





Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	126	Corn:	
.....farms reporting 1945...	103	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	171
.....number 1950...	70,210	.....farms reporting 1944...	107
.....number 1945...	38,411	.....acres 1949...	1,812
.....number 1945...	105	.....acres 1944...	1,028
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949...farms reporting 1950...	31,633	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	138
.....number 1950...	102	.....farms reporting 1944...	89
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	79	.....acres 1949...	1,496
.....number 1950...	31,066	.....acres 1944...	858
.....number 1945...	32,792	.....bushels 1949...	84,476
.....number 1945...	61	.....bushels 1944...	34,614
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	6,948	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	27
.....number 1950...	87	.....acres 1949...	230
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	24,118	.....tons..green weight 1949...	4,879
.....number 1950...	61	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	567	or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	19
.....number 1950...	99	.....acres 1949...	86
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	38,577	Small grains:	
.....number 1950...	79	Grains grown together and threshed	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	79	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	121
.....number 1949...	79	.....acres 1949...	1,689
.....number shorn 1949...	33,328	.....bushels 1949...	79,265
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	329,718	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
.....pounds 1944...	361,771	.....farms reporting 1944...	12
Average date of emmeration.....1950..Apr.15-Apr.28		.....acres 1949...	493
		.....acres 1944...	149
		.....bushels 1949...	15,922
		.....bushels 1944...	7,967
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	323
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	568	.....farms reporting 1944...	240
.....farms reporting 1945...	605	.....acres 1949...	6,285
.....number 1950...	25,465	.....acres 1944...	2,932
.....number 1945...	32,190	.....bushels 1949...	270,948
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	152	.....bushels 1944...	124,079
.....number 1949...	29,864	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	162
.....dollars 1949...	30,843	.....farms reporting 1944...	113
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	236	.....acres 1949...	1,726
.....dozens 1949...	87,416	.....acres 1944...	984
.....dollars 1949...	36,801	.....bushels 1949...	83,605
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....bushels 1944...	48,199
.....number 1950...	156	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	31	.....farms reporting 1944...	11
.....farms reporting 1944...	23	.....acres 1949...	220
.....number 1949...	2,037	.....acres 1944...	128
.....number 1944...	1,267	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	243
		.....farms reporting 1944...	227
		.....acres 1949...	4,169
		.....acres 1944...	3,430
		.....bushels 1949...	176,107
		.....bushels 1944...	162,002
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Dry field and seed beans harvested	
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	627	for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	52
.....dollars 1949...	3,992,991	.....farms reporting 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	13
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	575	.....acres 1949...	722
.....farms reporting 1944...	539	.....acres 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	217
.....number 1949...	22,479	.....100-lb. bags 1949...	10,062
.....number 1944...	16,502	.....100-lb. bags 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	2,313
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	500	Dry field and seed peas, other than Austrian	
.....farms reporting 1944...	18,837	winter peas, harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....number 1949...	2,586,881	.....farms reporting 1944...	7
.....number 1944...	302	.....acres 1949...	7
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,642	.....acres 1944...	73
.....farms reporting 1944...	267,894	.....100-lb. bags 1949...	150
.....number 1949...	262	.....100-lb. bags 1944...	902
.....number 1944...	335	Hay crops:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	262	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	633
.....farms reporting 1944...	335	.....farms reporting 1944...	33,750
.....number 1949...	6,234	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
.....number 1944...	11,828	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	532
.....dollars 1949...	199,609	.....farms reporting 1944...	511
.....dollars 1944...	77	.....acres 1949...	16,522
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	65	.....acres 1944...	18,830
.....farms reporting 1944...	47,127	.....tons 1949...	63,441
.....number 1949...	37,325	.....tons 1944...	71,283
.....number 1944...	917,824	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	127
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	95	.....farms reporting 1944...	98
.....farms reporting 1944...	676	.....acres 1949...	3,869
.....dollars 1949...	20,783	.....acres 1944...	4,943
		.....tons 1949...	5,720
		.....tons 1944...	6,890
FARM SLAUGHTER		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	474	grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	53
.....farms reporting 1944...	324	.....farms reporting 1944...	16
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	550	.....acres 1949...	880
.....farms reporting 1944...	187	.....acres 1944...	281
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	194	.....tons 1949...	1,308
.....farms reporting 1944...	344	.....tons 1944...	404
.....number 1949...	331	Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	95
.....number 1944...	149	.....farms reporting 1944...	134
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	123	.....acres 1949...	12,852
.....farms reporting 1944...	206	.....acres 1944...	9,724
.....number 1949...	161	.....tons 1949...	15,173
.....number 1944...	303	.....tons 1944...	11,865
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	355		
.....farms reporting 1944...	585		
.....number 1949...	694		
.....number 1944...	57		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	267		
.....farms reporting 1944...	47		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold			
from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	3,040		
.....dollars 1949...			

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Does not include anvheans.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops—Continued		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	207	1944...	7
1944...	40	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	287	1944...	1
1944...	84	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	14
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	90	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4
1944...	80		
acres 1949...	1,139	Berries and other small fruit harvested for sale:	
1944...	1,723	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	9
pounds 1949...	242,194	acres 1949...	22
1944...	197,820	quarts 1949...	19,900
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	133	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	88	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1,651	quarts 1949...	783
1944...	864		
pounds 1949...	561,421	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	245,460	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsika clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	315
acres 1949...		1945...	75
pounds 1949...		acres 1950*	369
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder,		1945...	134
harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	200
acres 1949...	40	1945...	166
pounds 1949...	70,400	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,266
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for		1945...	1,942
sale.....farms reporting 1949...	176	1945...	465
1944...	234	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,802
acres 1949...	2,361	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,119
1944...	3,519	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,451
100-lb. bags 1949...	462,092	1944...	
1944...	602,197	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	238
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945...	195
acres 1949...	160	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,334
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	3,920	1945...	2,574
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	168	1945...	3,024
1944...	157	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,310
acres 1949...	3,233	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,807
1944...	2,520	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,907
tons 1949...	73,800	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	119
1944...	41,925	1945...	96
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed,		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,279
other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	150
acres 1949...	25	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	934
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	345
Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	380	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	424
1944...	491	1944...	130
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	46	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	114
1944...	73	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,876
acres 1949...	377	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,733
1944...	854	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	143
sold dollars 1949...	74,642	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,012
1944...	97,126	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	131
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,166
1944...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,008
acres 1949...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	158
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,898
1944...	2	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	161
acres 1949...	(*)	1945...	120
1944...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	18,708
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	2,852
acres 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10,683
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,025
acres 1949...	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,435
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1944...	3,892
1944...	33	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	215
acres 1949...	207	1945...	178
1944...	199	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,441
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	1,050
acres 1949...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	241
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,200
acres 1949...	117	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	70,440
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944...	26,274
acres 1949...	8	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	122
1944...	10	1945...	75
1944...	136	vines of all ages..number 1950...	948
		1945...	834
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	229
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	719
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,472
		1944...	3,861

\*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.  
 \*Less than 1 acre.

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<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,153	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	129
1945.....	1,051	1945.....	142
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	257,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	71.2	1945.....	27
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	123,992	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	117
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	61,106	1945.....	115
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,786	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	235
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	13,185	1945.....	260
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	183,699	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	231
1945.....	142,815	1945.....	219
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	159.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	99
1945.....	135.9	1945.....	92
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,432	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	149
1945.....	8,652	1945.....	137
average per acre, dollars 1950*	96.61	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	109
1945.....	63.67	1945.....	71
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	56
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,041	1945.....	50
1944.....	894	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	21
acres 1949.....	40,258	1945.....	24
1944.....	33,610	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	207	1945.....	6
1944.....	171	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	20
acres 1949.....	198	1945.....	22
1944.....	169	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	147	1945.....	8
1944.....	144	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	20
acres 1949.....	228	1945.....	20
1944.....	222		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	205	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944.....	140	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	42	White operators.....number 1950...	1,132
1944.....	34	1945.....	1,044
acres 1949.....	14	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	21
1944.....	14	1945.....	7
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	545	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	731	Full owners.....number 1950...	842
acres 1949.....	13,552	1945.....	722
1944.....	10,519	Part owners.....number 1950...	153
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	266	1945.....	109
acres 1949.....	4,788	Managers.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	2,227	1945.....	6
acres 1944.....	67	All tenants.....number 1950...	152
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	852	1945.....	202
acres 1949.....	65	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.2
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	19.3
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	37
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	221	1945.....	81
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	3,936	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	34
acres 1949.....	5	1945.....	7
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	52
1944.....	1	1945.....	82
acres 1949.....	1,861	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	42
1944.....	65	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	10
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
1944.....	11	1945.....	38
acres 1949.....	334	Other tenants.....number 1950...	3
1944.....	61	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	493		
1944.....	334	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949.....	110,180	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	712
1944.....	87,102	1945.....	690
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,084	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,083
1944.....	1,034	1945.....	978
acres 1949.....	12,726	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,068
1944.....	9,231	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.17
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,113	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	910
1944.....	1,003	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	608
acres 1949.....	51,645	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	200
1944.....	47,005	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,003
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	311
acres 1949...	1,079	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	355
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	146
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,057	1945.....	146
1945.....	1,002	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	57	1945.....	10
1945.....	28	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	61
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	316	1945.....	61
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	579	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	31
1944.....	411	1945.....	41
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	308	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	65
1944.....	271	1945.....	72

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<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 388 1945... 406	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 7 1945... 10
Ultimate land area.....acres	1950... 903,040 1945... 45.2	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... 5
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 45.2 1945... 5	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... 5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 233,973 1945... 194,893	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 10 1945... 3
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 4,646 1945... 25,169	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 11
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 25,169 1945... 408,345	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 3 1945... 4
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 397,579 1945... 1,052.4	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 26
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 1,979.3 1945... 50,162	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 15 1945... 18
Average size of farm.....acres	1950* 50.162 1945... 20,349	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 27
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950* 43.51 1945... 20.78	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 16 1945... 33
Value of land and buildings.....average per acre, dollars	1950* 43.51 1945... 20.78	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 9 1945... 9
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 46 1945... 50
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 369 1944... 368	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 62 1945... 60
acres	1949... 146,184 1944... 121,510	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 163 1945... 155
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 6 1944... 4	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 15 1944... 11	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 13	White operators.....number	1950... 268 1945... 280
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 25	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 20 1945... 26
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 49 1944... 61	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 53 1944... 61	Full owners.....number	1950... 120 1945... 171
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 214 1944... 193	Part owners.....number	1950... 167 1945... 179
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 114 1944... 101	Managers.....number	1950... 3 1945... 2
acres	1949... 8,856 1944... 14,934	All tenants.....number	1950... 98 1945... 54
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 298 1944... 139,933	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 25.3 1945... 13.3
acres	1949... 102,984 1944... 269	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 7
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 47	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 47	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 87 1945... 40
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 47 1944... 201	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 74 1945... 13
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 69 1944... 9,338	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 3 1945... 6
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 29	Other tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
acres	1949... 3,789 1944... 2,450	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 9	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres	1949... 1,450 1944... 403	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 142 1945... 141
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 9	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 280 1945... 192
acres	1949... 1,450 1944... 403	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 259 1945... 9.33
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 194 1944... 332	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 172 1945... 175
acres	1949... 76,197 1944... 139,779	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 111 1945... 259
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 361 1944... 271	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 111 1945... 259
acres	1949... 31,936 1944... 15,519	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 79 1945... 21
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 170 1944... 125	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 62 1945... 237
acres	1949... 10,868 1944... 8,970	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 62 1945... 307
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 75	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 21 1945... 62
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Milk machine.....farms reporting	1950... 237 1945... 307
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 334 1945... 392	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 11 1945... 19
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 48 1945... 13	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 11 1945... 19
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 26 1944... 116	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 11 1945... 19
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 78 1944... 37	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 11 1945... 19
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 37 1944... 36	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 11 1945... 19

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<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 168 1945... 188	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 24 1945... 25
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 1,669,760 1945... 1,5	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 4 1945... 5
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 19,623 1945... 6,416	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 20 1945... 20
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 188 1945... 25,851	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 22 1945... 29
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 22,034 1945... 153.9	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 17 1945... 26
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 117.2 1945... 153.9	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 10 1945... 7
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 7,419 1945... 4,302	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 17 1945... 21
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 67.06 1945... 36.71	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 25 1945... 15
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 116 1945... 143	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 27 1945... 38
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950... 2,817 1945... 3,025	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... 6
average per acre, dollars	1950... 43 1945... 56	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 21 1945... 12
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 12 1945... 12
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 18 1944... 26	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... 7
acres	1949... 19 1944... 9	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 3 1945... ..
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 4 1944... 2		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 49 1944... 45	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1,240 1944... 731	White operators.....number	1950... 168 1945... 187
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 20 1944... 160	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... 1
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 6 1944... 3	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 4 1944... 2	Full owners.....number	1950... 140 1945... 166
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Part owners.....number	1950... 13 1945... 6
acres	1949... 45 1944... 731	Managers.....number	1950... .. 1945... 1
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 20 1944... 160	All tenants.....number	1950... 15 1945... 15
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 6 1944... 87	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 8.9 1945... 8.0
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 1	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 9 1945... 14
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 15 1944... 364	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... .. 1945... 1
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 93 1944... 131	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 9,957 1944... 12,356	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 1
acres	1949... 56 1944... 44	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 44 1944... 8,247		
acres	1949... 2,738 1944... 2,263	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 33 1944... 19	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 25 1945... 33
acres	1949... 1,948 1944... 2,263	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 140 1945... 113
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 161 1944... 188	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 135 1945... 8.88
acres	1949... 1,191 1944... 761	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 65 1945... 25
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 50	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 25 1945... 20
acres	1949... 3 1944... 17	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 105 1945... 45
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 17 1944... 95	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 25
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 25 1945... 5
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 158 1945... 186	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 6 1945... 2	Milk machine.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 103 1944... 106	Grain combines.....number	1950... .. 1945... 5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 102 1944... 91	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 91 1944... 95	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..

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

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<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>A</sup>-Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	26
.....1945...	98	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950...	120	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945...	115	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945...	24	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	109
.....number 1950...	60		
.....1945...	25	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	65
.....number 1950...	45	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	6
.....1945...	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	6
.....number 1950...	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	7
.....1945...	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	39
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	7
.....number 1950...	115	Other farms.....number 1950...	103
.....1945...	165	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	17
.....1945...	127	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	86
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	59		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	25	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	39	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	315,644
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	25	.....1944.....	271,970
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	20	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	21,798
		.....1944.....	16,191
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>A</sup></b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	14,991
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	8,159
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,528
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	.....1944.....	1,753
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,182
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....1944.....	1,735
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,097
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	4,550
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	284,392
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	25	.....1944.....	253,807
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	155,292
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	30	.....1944.....	168,119
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.1	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,442
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	21,583
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	114,618
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....1944.....	64,101
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,494
		.....1944.....	1,972
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>A</sup></b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week pressing enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	87
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	120	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	87
.....persons 1950...	190	.....1945.....	106
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	120	.....number 1950...	217
Operators.....persons 1950...	110	.....1945.....	230
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1
.....persons 1950...	65	.....1945.....	3
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	1
.....persons 1950...	15	.....1945.....	3
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>A</sup></b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	135	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	128
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	65	.....1945.....	158
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	25	.....number 1950...	1,890
.....1945.....	2,545	.....1945.....	1,962
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	65	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	123
.....1945.....	19,085	.....number 1950...	151
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	115	.....number 1950...	783
.....dollars 1949...	98,630	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,144
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	65	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	112
.....dollars 1949...	18,105	.....number 1950...	453
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	110	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	85
.....dollars 1949...	3,265	.....number 1950...	462
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	95	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	77
.....dollars 1949...	14,875	.....number 1950...	337
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	86
.....dollars 1949...	3,300	.....number 1950...	288
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	33
.....dollars 1949...	1,215	.....1944.....	51
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....gallons 1949...	272,010
No sales.....number 1950...	52	.....dollars 1949...	126,970
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	34	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	29
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	17	.....1944.....	35
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	6	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	43,696
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	6	.....1944.....	13,258
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	6	.....dollars 1949...	28,322
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	28	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	6	.....dollars 1949...	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	7	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	.....	Hog and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	18
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	6	.....1945.....	32
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950...	69
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	101
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	14
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	39
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	9
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	30
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	6
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	33	.....number 1950...	9
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	13

<sup>1</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.  
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<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	298	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	87
.....1945.....	170	General farms.....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	387	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	195	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	4
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	357	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	42
.....1945.....	230	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	31
.....number 1950.....	485		
.....1945.....	253		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	310	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	362	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	426
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	17
.....number 1950.....	102	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	46
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	105
.....number 1950.....	118	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	151
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	393	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	92
.....1945.....	305	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	17
.....number 1950.....	468	Other farms.....number 1950...	31
.....1945.....	322	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	13
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	16
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
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...	64	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	290	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,980,869
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	96	.....1944.....	2,463,699
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,461,595
		.....1944.....	1,257,770
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,457,072
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,162,336
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	7,329
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	191	.....1944.....	95,022
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	155	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	794
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	91	.....1944.....	412
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	158	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,515,884
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	60	.....1944.....	1,145,004
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	156	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	340,975
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	36	.....1944.....	294,509
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	29,455
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	85,859
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	129	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,145,454
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	158	.....1944.....	764,636
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	166	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,390
		.....1944.....	925
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	350
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	401	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	350
.....persons 1950.....	801	.....1945.....	338
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	401	.....number 1950.....	1,450
Operators.....persons 1950.....	391	.....1945.....	1,881
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	189	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....persons 1950.....	271	.....1945.....	5
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	54	.....number 1950.....	4
.....persons 1950.....	139	.....1945.....	6
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	463	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	383
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	443	.....1945.....	323
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	363	.....number 1950...	12,307
.....1945.....	101,136	.....1945.....	11,086
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	363	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	375
.....dollars 1949.....	357,461	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	316
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	376	.....number 1950...	4,772
.....dollars 1949.....	183,170	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	4,718
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	317	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	369
.....dollars 1949.....	253,484	.....number 1950...	2,999
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	288	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	317
.....dollars 1949.....	134,881	.....number 1950...	2,528
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	438	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	257
.....dollars 1949.....	214,109	.....number 1950...	3,272
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	308	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	303
.....dollars 1949.....	58,751	.....number 1950...	1,735
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	372	.....number 1950...	259
.....dollars 1949.....	95,094	.....1944.....	246
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....gallons 1949...	1,327,832
No sales.....number 1950...	6	.....dollars 1949...	1,236,005
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	12	.....1944.....	303,152
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	10	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	69
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	12	.....1944.....	52
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	19	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	63,074
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	20	.....1944.....	69,031
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	73	.....dollars 1949...	37,823
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	91		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	87	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	78	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	209
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	63	.....1945.....	239
		.....number 1950...	1,258
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....1945.....	2,400
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	128	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	206
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	85	.....number 1950...	819
Cotton.....number 1950...	43	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	48
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	43	.....number 1950...	439
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	147
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	193
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	151	.....number 1950...	419
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	8	.....1945.....	674

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<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	87	Corn:	
1945.....	100	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	17,859	1944.....	.....
1945.....	20,318	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949..farms reporting 1950...	76	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	11,031	1944.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	93	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	10,673	bushels 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	19,085	1944.....	.....
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	47	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	1,925	1944.....	.....
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	64	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1950.....	8,748	1944.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	50	tons..green veight 1949.....	.....
number 1950...	358	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	58	or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	6,828	acres 1949.....	.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	66	Small grains:	
1944.....	94	Grains grown together and threshed	
number shorn 1949.....	11,644	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	99,593	acres 1949.....	231
1944.....	212,098	bushels 1949.....	5,225
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	114
		1944.....	68
		acres 1949.....	18,984
		1944.....	14,991
		bushels 1949.....	288,198
		1944.....	383,435
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	264
		1944.....	171
		acres 1949.....	18,529
		1944.....	9,522
		bushels 1949.....	267,595
		1944.....	229,461
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	242
		1944.....	221
		acres 1949.....	6,765
		1944.....	7,891
		bushels 1949.....	169,546
		1944.....	238,970
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1944.....	27
		acres 1949.....	215
		1944.....	439
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	206
		1944.....	209
		acres 1949.....	5,155
		1944.....	5,022
		bushels 1949.....	118,574
		1944.....	154,874
		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, other than Austrian	
		winter peas, harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	22
		1944.....	81
		acres 1949.....	341
		1944.....	1,640
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	2,369
		1944.....	16,862
		Hay crops:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	382
		acres 1949...	24,517
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	318
		1944.....	310
		acres 1949.....	13,725
		1944.....	20,578
		tons 1949.....	18,948
		1944.....	28,669
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	68
		1944.....	45
		acres 1949.....	3,555
		1944.....	3,167
		tons 1949.....	4,263
		1944.....	4,280
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small	
		grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50
		1944.....	7
		acres 1949.....	1,041
		1944.....	131
		tons 1949.....	871
		1944.....	157
		Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	72
		1944.....	40
		acres 1949.....	5,329
		1944.....	2,779
		tons 1949.....	5,236
		1944.....	3,523

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Does not include soybeans.



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Farms.....number 1950...	2,623	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	244
.....number 1945...	2,847	.....number 1945...	383
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,242,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	43
.....acres 1945...	40.9	.....number 1945...	107
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	358,881	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	201
.....percent 1945...	185,664	.....number 1945...	276
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	951	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	174
.....acres 1945...	37,038	.....number 1945...	217
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	508,458	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	300
.....acres 1945...	367,028	.....number 1945...	376
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	193.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	134
.....acres 1945...	128.9	.....number 1945...	152
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,192	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	692
.....acres 1945...	17,593	.....number 1945...	723
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	180.95	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	340
.....acres 1945...	136.47	.....number 1945...	348
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	193.8	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	313
.....acres 1945...	128.9	.....number 1945...	309
Value of land and buildings.....Average per farm, dollars 1950*	32,192	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	103
.....Average per farm, dollars 1945...	17,593	.....number 1945...	92
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	180.95	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	88
.....average per acre, dollars 1945...	136.47	.....number 1945...	66
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	144
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,399	.....number 1945...	126
.....farms reporting 1944...	2,548	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	41
.....acres 1949...	212,083	.....number 1945...	28
.....acres 1944...	197,941	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	50
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	.....number 1945...	27
.....farms reporting 1944...	279		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	115	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....farms reporting 1944...	131	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	140	White operators.....number 1950...	2,619
.....farms reporting 1944...	165	.....number 1945...	2,841
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	315	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	4
.....farms reporting 1944...	365	.....number 1945...	6
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	985	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	967	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,233
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	533	.....number 1945...	1,400
.....farms reporting 1944...	509	Part owners.....number 1950...	390
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	177	.....number 1945...	339
.....farms reporting 1944...	133	Managers.....number 1950...	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	871	.....number 1945...	19
.....acres 1949...	20,389	All tenants.....number 1950...	993
.....acres 1944...	18,310	.....number 1945...	1,089
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	256	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	37.8
.....farms reporting 1944...	12,412	.....percent 1945...	38.3
.....acres 1949...	6,985	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	46
.....acres 1944...	102	.....number 1945...	97
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	6,790	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	208
.....farms reporting 1944...	73	.....number 1945...	35
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	693
.....farms reporting 1944...	8	.....number 1945...	794
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	173	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	582
.....farms reporting 1944...	5,622	.....number 1945...	111
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	46
.....farms reporting 1944...	11	.....number 1945...	163
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	8,722	Other tenants.....number 1950...	13
.....farms reporting 1944...	374	.....number 1945...	33
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	11		
.....farms reporting 1944...	8,722	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....acres 1949...	27	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,798
.....acres 1944...	289	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,758
1944...	504	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,550
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....farms reporting 1945...	2,601
.....farms reporting 1944...	27	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,443
.....acres 1949...	289	.....farms reporting 1945...	8,64
1944...	504	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	2,123
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,470	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,848
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,649	.....farms reporting 1945...	317
.....acres 1949...	214,384	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	2,379
.....acres 1944...	119,174	.....farms reporting 1945...	904
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,522	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	27
.....farms reporting 1944...	2,735	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,098
.....acres 1949...	40,179	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	821
.....acres 1944...	23,740	.....farms reporting 1945...	868
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2,560	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....farms reporting 1944...	2,572	.....farms reporting 1945...	5
.....acres 1949...	238,452	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	278
.....acres 1944...	221,492	.....farms reporting 1945...	289
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	23
.....farms reporting 1944...	310	.....farms reporting 1945...	37
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		.....farms reporting 1945...	23
		Fits or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		.....farms reporting 1945...	14
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,514		
.....operators reporting 1945...	2,687		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	87		
.....operators reporting 1945...	94		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	357		
.....operators reporting 1949...	935		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	480		
.....operators reporting 1944...	374		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	309		
.....operators reporting 1944...	309		

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

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<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,527	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	192
.....1945.....	1,009	General farms.....number 1950.....	788
.....number 1950.....	2,050	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	1,194	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	354
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,976	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	34
.....1945.....	1,978	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	400
.....number 1950.....	3,522	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	257
.....1945.....	2,044		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,939	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	3,275	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,371
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	118	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	166
.....number 1950.....	133	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	728
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	104	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	734
.....number 1950.....	114	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	492
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,339	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	226
.....1945.....	2,537	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	25
.....number 1950.....	3,385	Other farms.....number 1950.....	252
.....1945.....	3,204	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	139
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	113
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	301	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	284	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	27,880,903
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,001	.....1944.....	22,713,181
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,007	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,887,561
		.....1944.....	15,562,972
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,207,805
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	14,301,557
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	168	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	322,825
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,088	.....1944.....	493,321
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	809	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	175,941
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	490	.....1944.....	481,422
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	80,960
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	320,672
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,773	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,993,242
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	191	.....1944.....	7,145,539
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	312	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,941,025
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	48	.....1944.....	2,449,056
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	344,644
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	444,249
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,259	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,707,673
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,168	.....1944.....	4,292,234
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	88	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	4,970
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,319
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,425	.....1950.....	1,282
.....persons 1950.....	4,628	.....1945.....	2,636
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,356	.....number 1950.....	4,186
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,339	.....1945.....	8,737
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	769	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	85
.....persons 1950.....	1,029	.....1945.....	225
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	722	.....number 1950.....	226
.....persons 1950.....	1,260	.....1945.....	705
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,486	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,243
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,241	.....1945.....	2,524
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,936	.....number 1950.....	61,073
.....dollars 1949.....	1,098,338	.....1945.....	58,661
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,926	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,161
.....dollars 1949.....	3,162,603	.....1945.....	2,457
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,152	.....number 1950.....	22,209
.....dollars 1949.....	1,990,346	.....1945.....	26,152
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,793	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,067
.....dollars 1949.....	3,552,203	.....number 1950.....	12,901
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,914	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,768
.....dollars 1949.....	957,361	.....number 1950.....	15,462
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,139	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,469
.....dollars 1949.....	1,279,252	.....number 1950.....	15,992
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,768	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,448
.....dollars 1949.....	427,394	.....number 1950.....	7,410
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,846	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,482
.....dollars 1949.....	591,568	.....1944.....	1,760
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....gallons 1949.....	7,122,839
No sales.....number 1950.....	46	.....1944.....	10,151,830
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	67	.....dollars 1949.....	1,899,544
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	58	.....1949.....	157
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	24	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	369
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	53	.....1944.....	66,427
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	72	.....dollars 1949.....	259,762
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	183	.....1949.....	40,198
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	305	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	339	.....dollars 1949.....	1,283
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	582	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	894	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	638
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....1945.....	805
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,057	.....number 1950.....	6,480
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	879	.....1945.....	8,496
Cotton.....number 1950.....	178	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	511
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	3,327
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	322
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	34	.....number 1950.....	3,153
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	256	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	296
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	34	.....1945.....	336
		.....1950.....	946
		.....1945.....	1,139

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

<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.

<sup>3</sup>Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	299	Corn:	
1945...	375	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	70
number 1950...	125,388	1944...	113
1945...	114,511	acres 1949...	468
1944...	236	1944...	757
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949..farms reporting 1950...	60,301	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	40
number 1950...	229	1944...	76
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	324	acres 1949...	255
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	59,102	1944...	461
number 1950...	80,131	bushels 1944...	14,582
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	116	1944...	19,682
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	11,331	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1950...	206	acres 1949...	131
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	47,771	tons..green weight 1949...	1,547
number 1950...	138	Hogged or grazed, or out for green	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,199	or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950...	257	acres 1949...	82
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	65,087	Small grains:	
number 1950...	203	Grains grown together and threshed	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	310	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	864
1944...	63,982	acres 1949...	10,802
number shorn 1949...	598,747	bushels 1949...	630,900
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	836,411	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	67
1944...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944...	21
Average date of enumeration.....1950...		acres 1949...	6,388
		1944...	1,670
		bushels 1949...	135,673
		1944...	30,664
		1944...	1,488
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,298
		1944...	34,653
		acres 1949...	21,578
		1944...	1,730,057
		bushels 1949...	1,159,525
		1944...	287
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	369
		1944...	2,431
		acres 1949...	3,348
		1944...	167,374
		bushels 1949...	227,958
		1944...	15
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		1944...	131
		acres 1949...	29
		1944...	203
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	244
		1944...	2,934
		acres 1949...	3,553
		1944...	131,313
		bushels 1949...	184,834
		1944...	
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested	
		for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,842
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,657
		acres 1949...	62,092
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	65,192
		100-lb. bags 1949...	1,109,155
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,128,557
		Dry field and seed peas, other than Austrian	
		winter peas, harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	371
		1944...	481
		acres 1949...	7,004
		1944...	8,925
		100-lb. bags 1949...	140,503
		1944...	137,613
		Hay crops:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,052
		acres 1949...	60,209
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2,044
		1944...	2,178
		acres 1949...	51,884
		1944...	52,568
		tons 1949...	200,547
		1944...	186,385
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	324
		1944...	206
		acres 1949...	5,404
		1944...	2,996
		tons 1949...	7,637
		1944...	3,221
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small	
		grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		1944...	21
		acres 1949...	274
		1944...	166
		tons 1949...	462
		1944...	262
		Wild hay out.....farms reporting 1949...	20
		1944...	12
		acres 1949...	3,051
		1944...	1,278
		tons 1949...	3,652
		1944...	1,500

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include soybeans.





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.....1945...	3,8	.....1945...	4
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	68,644	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	26,944	.....1945...	22
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,200	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	12
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,954	.....1945...	16
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	89,834	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	6
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	114,646	.....1945...	12
.....1945...	429.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	442.6	.....1945...	2
.....1945...	19,154	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	10
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	11,183	.....1945...	11
.....1945...	50.22	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945*	25.26	.....1945...	8
.....1945...		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	30
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	36
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	174	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	201	.....1945...	12
.....acres 1949...	29,388	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	13
.....1944...	34,253	.....1945...	11
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....1944...	9	.....1945...	65
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	31
.....1944...	10	.....1945...	32
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	24
.....1944...	9	.....1945...	28
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16		
.....1944...	9	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	44	White operators.....number 1950...	208
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	42	.....1945...	258
.....1944...	62	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	51	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	58	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	85	Full owners.....number 1950...	133
.....1944...	84	.....1945...	150
.....acres 1949...	9,303	Part owners.....number 1950...	55
.....1944...	10,519	.....1945...	58
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	76	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....1949...	4,522	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	3,390	All tenants.....number 1950...	20
.....1944...	39	.....1945...	49
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	1,044	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	9.6
.....acres 1949...	34	.....1945...	18.9
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	49	.....1945...	17
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	3,478	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	111	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	15
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	154	.....1945...	20
.....acres 1949...	21,541	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	27,365	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	23	.....1945...	8
.....acres 1949...	3,047	Other tenants.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	2,032	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	101		
.....1944...	190	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....acres 1949...	19,042	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	92
.....1944...	33,990	.....1945...	59
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	199	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	243
.....1944...	232	.....1945...	193
.....acres 1949...	2,991	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	238
.....1944...	3,097	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4,70
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	139	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	126
.....1944...	142	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	93
.....acres 1949...	23,421	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	32
.....1944...	26,413	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	212
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	57
.....acres 1949...	1,003	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	50
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	103
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	185	.....number 1950...	180
.....1945...	221	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	22	.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	34	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	16
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	67	.....number 1950...	16
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	114	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1944...	106	.....number 1950...	
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	64	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1944...	67	.....number 1950...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	153	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	37
.....number 1945...	94	General farms.....number 1950...	59
.....number 1950...	196	.....number 1945...	100
.....number 1945...	100	.....number 1950...	45
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	178	.....number 1950...	14
.....number 1945...	111	.....number 1950...	14
.....number 1950...	322	.....number 1950...	62
.....number 1945...	139		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	163	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950...	213	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	155
.....number 1950...	.....	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	8
.....number 1950...	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	27
.....number 1950...	78	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	30
.....number 1950...	109	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	37
.....number 1950...	188	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	37
.....number 1945...	174	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	16
.....number 1950...	243	Other farms.....number 1950...	54
.....number 1945...	191	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	29
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	25
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	36	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	.....
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...	24	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	72	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,017,579
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	73	.....dollars 1944...	1,185,347
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	572,785
		.....dollars 1944...	519,474
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	570,323
		.....dollars 1944...	488,847
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,377
		.....dollars 1944...	30,610
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	85
		.....dollars 1944...	17
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
		.....dollars 1944...	.....
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	432,765
		.....dollars 1944...	654,738
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	62,153
		.....dollars 1944...	92,698
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,641
		.....dollars 1944...	24,747
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	347,971
		.....dollars 1944...	547,293
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,029
		.....dollars 1944...	2,135
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	122
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	121
		.....number 1945...	180
		.....number 1950...	644
		.....number 1945...	996
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1945...	6
		.....number 1950...	29
		.....number 1945...	28
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	152
		.....number 1945...	197
		.....number 1950...	4,021
		.....number 1945...	7,565
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	148
		.....number 1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	184
		.....number 1950...	1,510
		.....number 1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	3,592
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	129
		.....number 1950...	735
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	114
		.....number 1950...	92 <sup>3</sup>
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	133
		.....number 1950...	1,151
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	106
		.....number 1950...	434
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	36
		.....gallons 1944...	35
		.....gallons 1949...	74,873
		.....dollars 1949...	63,897
		.....dollars 1949...	30,768
		.....dollars 1944...	84
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	52,030
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	133,534
		.....dollars 1949...	31,181
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		.....dollars 1949...	204
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		.....number 1945...	119
		.....number 1950...	393
		.....number 1945...	1,016
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		.....number 1950...	298
		.....number 1950...	9
		.....number 1950...	95
		.....number 1950...	10
		.....number 1945...	60
		.....number 1950...	35
		.....number 1945...	122

<sup>1</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$25-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.  
<sup>3</sup>Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Corn:	
1945.....	26	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	138	1944.....	
1945.....	409	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	13	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949..farms reporting 1950...	92	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	12	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	15	acres 1949.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	84	1944.....	
number 1950...	339	bushels 1949.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	9	1944.....	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	10	1944.....	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	60	acres 1949.....	
number 1950...	6	tons .green weight 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green	
number 1950...	6	or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	46	1949.....	
number 1950...	10	Small grains:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	75	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number shorn 1949...	577	acres 1949...	398
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,036	bushels 1949...	4,860
1944.....	2,036	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Average date of emumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944.....	14
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		acres 1949...	142
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	141	1944.....	346
1945.....	188	bushels 1949...	1,270
number 1950...	7,190	1944.....	5,665
1945.....	10,200	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	51
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1944.....	72
number 1949...	4,080	acres 1949...	803
dollars 1949...	6,017	1944.....	1,181
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	64	bushels 1949...	10,820
dozens 1949...	30,985	1944.....	18,465
dollars 1949...	15,196	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	124
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	1944.....	132
number 1950...	7	acres 1949...	11,774
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	9,711
1944.....	13	bushels 1949...	348,983
number 1949...	302	1944.....	332,630
1944.....	1,135	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	8
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	13
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres 1949...	227
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	134	1944.....	268
dollars 1949...	342,502	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	127	1944.....	67
number 1949...	171	acres 1949...	466
1944.....	2,269	1944.....	1,514
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	117	bushels 1949...	12,060
number 1949...	1,961	1944.....	40,332
dollars 1949...	303,388	Annual legumes:	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	47	Dry field and seed beans harvested	
number 1949...	308	for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	22,223	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	91	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
1944.....	447	100-lb. bags 1949...	
dollars 1949...	1,432	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Dry field and seed peas, other than Austrian	
number 1949...	39	winter peas, harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	84	1944.....	9
dollars 1949...	706	acres 1949...	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1944.....	517
number 1949...	35	100-lb. bags 1949...	
dollars 1949...	1,035	1944.....	6,377
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Hay crops:	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	107	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	147
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1944.....	11,293
number 1949...	82	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	37	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	78
1944.....	35	1944.....	104
number 1949...	42	acres 1949...	2,724
1944.....	117	1944.....	4,263
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	32	tons 1949...	2,481
number 1949...	36	1944.....	4,608
1944.....	40	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	106
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	83	1944.....	135
number 1949...	140	acres 1949...	5,866
1944.....	193	1944.....	7,074
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	354	tons 1949...	5,145
number 1949...	12	1944.....	8,420
1944.....	48	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold		grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1944.....	31
dollars 1949...	1,885	acres 1949...	454
		1944.....	405
		tons 1949...	396
		1944.....	647
		Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	35
		1944.....	36
		acres 1949...	1,546
		1944.....	1,210
		tons 1949...	1,214
		1944.....	997

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Does not include soybeans.



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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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 926	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 97
	1945... 884	Under 3 acres.....number	1945... 99
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 944,000		1945... 10
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 81.7	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 24
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 443,550		1945... 87
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 150,897	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 75
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 3,769		1945... 126
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 15,775	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 110
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 582,441		1945... 103
	1945... 507,974	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 95
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 629.0		1945... 64
	1945... 574.6	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 52
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950* 17,395		1945... 63
	1945... 9,436	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 73
	1945... 30.36		1945... 46
	1945... 16.42	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 53
Land in farms according to use:			1945... 75
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 818	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 22
	1944... 749		1945... 19
	acres 1949... 68,387	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 21
	1944... 61,185		1945... 31
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 107	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 112
	1944... 83		1945... 103
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 80	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 98
	1944... 79		1945... 82
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 70	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 121
	1944... 75		1945... 103
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 154		
	1944... 132	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 192	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944... 188	White operators.....number	1950... 903
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 137		1945... 870
	1944... 130	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 23
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 78		1945... 14
	1944... 62	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 487	Full owners.....number	1950... 585
	1944... 271		1945... 565
	acres 1949... 16,393	Part owners.....number	1950... 203
	1944... 8,686		1945... 154
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 307	Managers.....number	1950... 4
	1944... 23,253		1945... 6
	acres 1949... 7,013	All tenants.....number	1950... 134
	1944... 179		1945... 159
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 179	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 14.5
	1944... 16,741		1945... 18.0
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 82	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 32
	1944... 76		1945... 45
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 21	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 14
	1944... 182		1945... 1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 182	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 65
	1944... 6,512		1945... 65
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 54	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 42
	1944... 51		1945... 23
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 14,165	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 20
	1944... 3,516		1945... 48
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 16	Other tenants.....number	1950... 4
	1944... 11	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 16
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 507		
	1944... 604	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
	acres 1949... 443,674	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 564
	1944... 422,710		1945... 406
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 863	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 855
	1944... 843		1945... 623
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 701	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 855
	1944... 550	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 6.84
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 29	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 673
	1944... 1,048	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 454
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 114
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 809
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 243
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 158
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 223
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 249
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 83
		Farms reporting	1950... 84
		Farms reporting	1950... 60
		Farms reporting	1950... 80
		Farms reporting	1950... 78
		Farms reporting	1950... 78

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Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>--Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	544	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	24
.....farms reporting 1945.....	355	General farms.....number 1950.....	141
.....number 1950.....	696	.....number 1950.....	39
.....number 1945.....	389	.....number 1950.....	34
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	600	.....number 1950.....	74
.....farms reporting 1945.....	321	.....number 1950.....	197
.....number 1950.....	779	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	197
.....number 1945.....	359		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	529	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	598	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	73
.....number 1950.....	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	33
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	83
.....farms reporting 1945.....	145	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	200
.....number 1950.....	161	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	210
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	161	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	161
.....farms reporting 1945.....	694	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	192
.....number 1950.....	570	.....number 1950.....	105
.....number 1945.....	807	Other farms.....number 1950.....	87
.....number 1945.....	599	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	87
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	162	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	34		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	138	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	326	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,552,126
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	266	.....dollars 1944.....	3,773,128
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,723,365
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,205,233
<b>TRAINING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>4</sup></b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,385,608
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	741,537
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	.....dollars 1944.....	251,401
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	387	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	291,422
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	288	.....dollars 1944.....	43,613
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	143	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	152,227
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	.....dollars 1944.....	42,742
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,347
0.5 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	475	.....dollars 1944.....	3,831,126
1.0 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,567,777
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	152	.....dollars 1944.....	441,247
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	98	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	407,801
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.8	.....dollars 1944.....	173,466
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	172,091
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	192	.....dollars 1944.....	3,216,413
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	481	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,987,383
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	245	.....dollars 1944.....	635
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	499
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>5</sup></b>			
was: processing enumeration:		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	864	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	521
.....persons 1950.....	1,562	.....farms reporting 1945.....	514
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	851	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	597
Operators.....persons 1950.....	820	.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,313
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	324	.....persons 1945.....	3,545
.....persons 1950.....	488	Horses and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	36
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	143	.....farms reporting 1945.....	212
.....persons 1950.....	254	.....number 1950.....	187
		.....number 1945.....	.....
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>6</sup></b>			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	903	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire and or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	737	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	769
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	585	.....farms reporting 1945.....	755
.....dollars 1949.....	203,760	.....number 1950.....	29,485
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	582	.....number 1945.....	27,984
.....dollars 1949.....	579,915	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	743
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	758	.....farms reporting 1945.....	709
.....dollars 1949.....	986,085	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	12,167
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	664	.....farms reporting 1945.....	13,284
.....dollars 1949.....	500,146	.....number 1950.....	683
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	628	.....number 1945.....	3,573
.....dollars 1949.....	102,667	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	581
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	708	.....number 1950.....	6,187
.....dollars 1949.....	320,259	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	512
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	538	.....number 1950.....	6,617
.....dollars 1949.....	107,185	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	250
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	491	.....number 1950.....	7,526
.....dollars 1949.....	114,132	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	227
		.....farms reporting 1944.....	183
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....gallons 1949.....	1,093,194
Under \$1,000.....number 1950.....	41	.....dollars 1949.....	718,150
\$1,000 to \$499.....number 1950.....	46	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	309,487
\$500 to \$999.....number 1950.....	5	.....farms reporting 1944.....	327
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....number 1950.....	50	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	414
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....number 1950.....	80	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	227,431
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....number 1950.....	45	.....dollars 1949.....	462,731
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	130	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....number 1950.....	148	.....dollars 1949.....	8
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....number 1950.....	140		
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....number 1950.....	125	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$50,000 and over.....number 1950.....	116	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	465
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	468
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950.....	8,891
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit and nut.....number 1950.....	148	.....number 1945.....	8,194
.....number 1950.....	104	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	404
.....number 1950.....	44	.....farms reporting 1945.....	4,436
.....number 1950.....	24	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	280
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	4,455
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	282
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	151	.....farms reporting 1945.....	299
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	13	.....number 1950.....	1,055
		.....number 1945.....	1,065

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<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	79,072	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	50,997
.....1945.....	52,600	General farms.....number 1950...	25,320
.....number 1950.....	86,789	.....number 1950.....	911
.....1945.....	56,629	.....number 1950.....	7,524
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	142,121	.....number 1950.....	16,885
.....1945.....	131,949	.....number 1950.....	36,693
.....number 1950.....	235,293	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	174,270		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	138,468	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	217,049	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	159,822
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15,022	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	6,836
.....number 1950.....	15,574	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	37,117
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,491	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	48,374
.....number 1950.....	2,670	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	33,111
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	159,682	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	21,227
.....1945.....	171,242	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	13,337
.....number 1950.....	196,183	Other farms.....number 1950...	35,446
.....1945.....	200,914	Part-time.....number 1950...	16,239
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	19,064
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	31,453	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	143
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	3,503	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	18,230	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,361,630,393
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	62,508	.....1944.....	953,811,507
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	79,574	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	588,488,101
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>3</sup></b>		.....1944.....	394,124,212
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	542,761,337
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	11,729	.....1944.....	354,141,350
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	81,116	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	14,170,396
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	65,093	.....1944.....	13,879,861
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	31,351	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	7,911,001
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	9,077,843
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	23,645,447
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	110,477	.....1944.....	17,025,158
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	10,748	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	772,236,894
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	27,795	.....1944.....	599,030,853
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	5,651	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	127,166,164
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.7	.....1944.....	115,775,538
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	64,760,513
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	52,113	.....1944.....	63,407,055
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	111,442	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	580,310,217
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	23,013	.....1944.....	379,848,260
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>4</sup></b>		Forest products sold.....dollar 1949...	905,318
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	656,442
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	171,550	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....persons 1950.....	300,034	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	85,088
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	168,953	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	80,895
Operators.....persons 1950.....	163,209	.....1945.....	135,943
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	62,308	.....number 1950.....	194,243
.....persons 1950.....	86,960	.....1945.....	390,122
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	34,593	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	8,735
.....persons 1950.....	49,865	.....1945.....	21,104
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>5</sup></b>		.....number 1950.....	17,478
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	182,118	.....1945.....	45,950
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	149,027	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	129,918	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	162,149
.....dollars 1949.....	31,011,256	.....1945.....	177,509
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	112,321	.....number 1950...	2,928,345
.....dollars 1949.....	77,449,497	.....1945.....	3,278,061
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	165,419	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	150,229
.....dollars 1949.....	143,466,302	.....1945.....	172,452
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	147,909	.....number 1950...	1,248,676
.....dollars 1949.....	179,427,913	.....1945.....	1,585,950
Seeds, tubs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	150,421	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	143,889
.....dollars 1949.....	33,707,718	.....number 1950...	909,025
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	149,420	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	109,236
.....dollars 1949.....	73,039,490	.....number 1950...	623,013
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	126,453	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	91,681
.....dollars 1949.....	25,975,864	.....number 1950...	710,273
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	123,965	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	96,376
.....dollars 1949.....	26,393,626	.....number 1950...	346,384
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....farms reporting 1949...	65,752
No sales.....number 1950...	5,585	.....1944.....	67,088
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	13,518	.....pounds 1949...	3,525,791,236
\$250 to \$999.....number 1950...	6,952	.....1944.....	3,574,496,729
\$1,000 to \$999.....number 1950...	7,040	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	116,026,250
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	10,741	.....1944.....	42,849
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	10,060	.....dollars 1949...	66,345
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	16,016	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	19,875,450
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	20,323	.....1944.....	33,005,222
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	24,516	.....dollars 1949...	11,008,970
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	36,482	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	886
	44,035	.....dollars 1949...	130,944
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	59,754	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	136,094
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	59,391	.....1945.....	143,234
Cotton.....number 1950...	145	.....number 1950...	6,045,125
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	218	.....1945.....	4,689,949
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	1,229	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	130,778
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	736	.....number 1950...	2,928,248
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	15,876	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	85,383
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	4,663	.....number 1950...	3,116,877
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	114,592
		.....number 1950...	111,946
		.....number 1950...	1,047,990
		.....1945.....	851,197

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<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	21,138	Sorghums:	
1945...	26,092	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	786
number 1950...	561,347	1944...	1,435
1945...	625,358	acres 1949...	4,083
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	9,143
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	20,594	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	54
number 1950...	332,386	1944...	165
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	20,346	acres 1949...	343
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	24,015	1944...	1,123
number 1950...	298,828	bushels 1949...	8,013
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	402,901	1944...	24,308
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	12,101	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	508
number 1950...	33,558	acres 1949...	2,799
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	17,169	tons..green weight 1949...	25,959
number 1950...	228,961	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	18,967	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	233
1944...	22,193	acres 1949...	941
number shorn 1949...	341,040	tons cut 1949...	1,134
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,666,234		
1944...	3,632,293		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	161,470	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,068
1945...	182,493	acres 1949...	27,485
number 1950...	17,385,328	bushels 1949...	925,116
1945...	21,630,547	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	54,750
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	109,254	1944...	40,894
number 1949...	14,770,663	acres 1949...	1,837,088
dollars 1949...	15,760,384	1944...	1,205,139
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	130,540	bushels 1949...	42,154,433
dozens 1949...	117,205,980	1944...	23,389,744
dollars 1949...	43,608,889	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	920
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,219	1944...	946
number 1950...	37,781	acres 1949...	12,160
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	3,094	1944...	5,424
number 1949...	3,106	bushels 1949...	273,387
1944...	612,974	1944...	110,893
1944...	465,588	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	113,694
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944...	108,937
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	3,654,328
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	162,340	1944...	3,011,097
dollars 1949...	576,887,598	bushels 1949...	148,343,869
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	138,786	1944...	96,424,784
1944...	150,263	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	5,675
number 1949...	1,744,911	1944...	12,209
1944...	1,847,900	acres 1949...	54,585
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	98,589	1944...	131,376
number 1949...	1,204,597	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2,606
dollars 1949...	242,350,347	1944...	3,981
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	100,239	acres 1949...	38,116
number 1949...	540,314	1944...	42,009
dollars 1949...	33,206,547	bushels 1949...	1,079,040
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	133,384	1944...	1,009,966
1944...	141,950	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3,669
number 1949...	7,286,458	1944...	4,121
1944...	7,588,848	acres 1949...	53,293
dollars 1949...	290,733,103	1944...	59,071
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	17,492	bushels 1949...	752,914
1944...	17,530	1944...	666,817
number 1949...	464,721	Annual legumes:	
1944...	514,954	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	89,964
dollars 1949...	9,077,610	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	105,129
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10,415	acres 1949...	3,287,341
number 1949...	29,349	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	3,832,646
dollars 1949...	1,519,991	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	82,782
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944...	86,430
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	132,115	acres 1949...	3,135,002
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	56,815	1944...	3,430,445
number 1949...	68,783	bushels 1949...	73,390,475
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	27,266	1944...	73,335,737
1944...	41,352	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17,015
number 1949...	31,934	acres 1949...	125,746
1944...	49,234	tons 1949...	170,417
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	30,980	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	23,711	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	456
number 1949...	36,849	acres 1949...	4,055
1944...	29,093	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	122,162	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1,975
1944...	147,620	acres 1949...	22,538
number 1949...	288,726	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4,567
1944...	400,424	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	5,962
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	49,668
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	22,462	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	73,750
dollars 1949...	904,374	1944...	1,166
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3,467
Corn:		1944...	14,893
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	161,930	acres 1949...	88,403
1944...	170,126	bushels 1949...	240,528
acres 1949...	9,112,343	1944...	
1944...	9,140,190	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3,176
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	160,618	acres 1949...	26,098
1944...	168,377	tons 1949...	26,534
acres 1949...	8,815,740	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	8,804,066	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	90
bushels 1949...	457,731,394	acres 1949...	800
1944...	400,045,612	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17,498	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	698
acres 1949...	180,687	acres 1949...	7,877
tons..green weight 1949...	1,782,042		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	13,854		
acres 1949...	115,916		

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	110,555	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	713
acres 1949...	2,010,018	acres 1949...	1,936
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	61,484	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3,606
1944...	47,408	acres 1949...	5,247
acres 1949...	860,750	acres 1949...	66,926
1944...	492,229	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	65,667
tons 1949...	2,009,569	1944...	1,163
1944...	1,068,876	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	1,269
acres 1949...	51,016	acres 1949...	217
1944...	84,494	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1,572
tons 1949...	1,526,403	acres 1949...	757
1944...	1,082,651	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3,053
1944...	2,160,698	acres 1949...	476
1944...	13,494	acres 1944...	700
acres 1949...	4,904	acres 1949...	18,131
1944...	155,845	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	17,089
acres 1949...	55,292	acres 1949...	785
1944...	180,930	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	827
1944...	48,576	acres 1949...	346
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3,810	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	711
1944...	903	acres 1949...	2,891
acres 1949...	34,316	acres 1944...	4,428
1944...	8,271	acres 1949...	11,476
tons 1949...	33,832	acres 1944...	13,666
1944...	7,945	acres 1949...	510
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	9,212	acres 1949...	2,507
acres 1949...	136,916	acres 1949...	4,836
1944...	328,484	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	120,312	quarts 1949...	3,599
1944...	232,965	acres 1949...	2,086
acres 1949...	709	quarts 1949...	2,605,983
1944...	11,345	acres 1949...	1,456
tons, green weight 1949...	55,926	quarts 1949...	418
Field crops (other):		quarts 1949...	389,797
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11,348	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	3,599
1944...	27,245	acres 1949...	2,086
acres 1949...	159,140	quarts 1949...	2,605,983
1944...	428,117	acres 1949...	1,456
bushels 1949...	104,782	quarts 1949...	418
1944...	332,462	quarts 1949...	389,797
1944...	2,295	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	63,581
acres 1949...	31,792	1945...	62,959
pounds 1949...	7,126,079	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,646,386
1944...	1,850	1945...	2,218,333
acres 1949...	19,984	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	375,369
1944...	42,284	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,271,017
bushels 1949...	3,712	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,994,443
acres 1949...	74,358	1944...	2,538,874
pounds 1949...	4,013,257	1945...	50,873
acres 1949...	419	farms reporting 1950...	50,873
1944...	5,383	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,523,744
bushels 1949...	6,752	1945...	1,940,167
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	49,084	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	321,143
1944...	42,978	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,202,601
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	5,480	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,148,958
1944...	14,478	1944...	1,863,032
bushels 1949...	943,247	farms reporting 1950...	34,884
1944...	972,114	1945...	36,430
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10,897	trees of all ages..number 1950...	201,514
1944...	9,120	1945...	368,841
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,000	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	39,688
1944...	3,747	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	161,826
bushels 1949...	135,310	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	194,416
1944...	358,969	1944...	311,720
acres 1949...	482	farms reporting 1950...	42,116
1944...	273	1945...	49,378
gallons 1949...	18,519	trees of all ages..number 1950...	146,515
acres 1949...	4,640	1945...	192,341
1944...	17,738	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	50,600
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	285,596	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	95,915
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	136,431	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,281,693
1944...	176,671	1944...	1,579,328
farms reporting 1949...	6,520	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	22,405
1944...	11,415	1945...	24,226
acres 1949...	130,260	trees of all ages..number 1950...	90,422
1944...	142,602	1945...	116,043
acres 1949...	14,170,396	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	28,613
1944...	13,873,861	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	61,809
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	912	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	22,796
acres 1949...	7,076	1944...	20,861
1944...	1,000	farms reporting 1950...	16,263
acres 1949...	1,667	trees of all ages..number 1950...	45,819
1944...	1,304	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	17,630
acres 1949...	3,348	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	28,189
1944...	239	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16,755
farms reporting 1949...	3,561	acres 1949...	39,482
acres 1949...	513	1945...	46,447
1944...	778	trees of all ages..number 1950...	524,957
farms reporting 1949...	868	1945...	851,564
1944...	1,392	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	59,619
acres 1949...	2,592	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	465,338
1944...	4,254	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,760,077
farms reporting 1949...	807	1944...	5,679,547
acres 1949...	1,703	farms reporting 1950...	2,262
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	807	1945...	1,962
acres 1949...	1,703	trees of all ages..number 1950...	30,764
Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...		1945...	47,467
1945...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,805
trees of all ages..number 1950...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22,959
1945...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	184,091
trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		1944...	148,318
1945...			
trees of bearing age..number 1950...			
quantity harvested..pounds 1949...			
1944...			

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,896	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	161
1945...	3,320	1945...	310
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	554,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	32
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	88.3	1945...	60
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	299,141	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	129
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	235,521	1945...	250
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,815	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	221
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	48,029	1945...	266
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	489,448	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	157
1945...	506,286	1945...	194
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	169.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	119
1945...	152.5	1945...	130
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	19,522	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	325
1945...	11,957	1945...	397
average per acre, dollars 1950*	106.47	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	358
1945...	78.41	1945...	433
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	503
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,634	1945...	532
1944...	2,958	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	295
acres 1949...	260,730	1945...	309
1944...	251,175	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	216
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	216	1945...	256
1944...	307	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	458
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	162	1945...	421
1944...	180	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	74
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	150	1945...	61
1944...	182	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	9
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	301	1945...	11
1944...	392	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	763	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	938	White operators.....number 1950...	2,896
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	764	1945...	3,319
1944...	759	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	278	1945...	1
1944...	200	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,614	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,453
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,294	1945...	1,579
acres 1949...	47,799	Part owners.....number 1950...	577
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	38,711	1945...	542
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	10
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	508	1945...	24
acres 1949...	11,890	All tenants.....number 1950...	856
1944...	24,009	1945...	1,175
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,483	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	29.6
1944...	1,285	1945...	35.4
acres 1949...	79,562	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	94
1944...	57,983	1945...	252
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	522	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	348
1944...	253	1945...	230
acres 1949...	17,030	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	354
1944...	7,845	1945...	644
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	156
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,190	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	198
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	2,005	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	60
acres 1949...	40,586	1945...	49
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	92,808	Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,784	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	3,173	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,142
acres 1949...	31,851	1945...	2,347
1944...	33,755	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,371
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	1,799
1944...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,356
acres 1949...	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.95
1944...	1	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,345
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	466
acres 1949...	1	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	471
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,114
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,754	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	945
1945...	3,121	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	62
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	122	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	284
1945...	191	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1,026
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	1,067
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	414	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	811
1949...	922	number 1950...	816
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	730	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	324
1944...	730	number 1950...	329
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	386	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	191
1944...	367	number 1950...	209
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		number 1950...	36

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motor trucks.....farms reporting 1950... 1945..... number 1950..... 1945.....	1,109 774 1,229 842	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950... General farms.....number 1950...	1,303 422
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945..... number 1950..... 1945.....	2,109 1,876 3,328 2,243	Primarily crop.....number 1950... Primarily livestock.....number 1950... Crop and livestock.....number 1950... Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	175 247 282 362
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950.....	2,034 2,982	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950.....	255 260	Commercial farms.....number 1950... Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950... Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950... Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950... Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950... Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950... Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950... Other farms.....number 1950... Part-time <sup>b</sup> .....number 1950... Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950... Abnormal <sup>c</sup> .....number 1950...	2,555 53 423 764 689 414 215 341 223 117 1
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945..... number 1950..... 1945.....	2,424 2,811 2,940 3,243	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Farms by class of work power: No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 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... Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	315 55 419 1,249 858	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... All crops sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Forest products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944...	16,734,275 12,172,027 5,785,181 3,684,570 5,284,628 3,058,840 82,759 113,346 280,146 398,692 137,648 113,692 10,933,206 8,478,339 1,546,358 1,337,177 879,404 1,025,490 8,507,444 6,115,672 15,888 9,118
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently: Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950... 1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950... Distance over dirt or unimproved roads: 0.5 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1.0 to 1.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 2.0 to 2.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 3.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950... Kind of road on which farm is located: Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950... Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950... Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	173 1,129 831 673 7 1,911 130 241 31 0.3 459 2,327 120	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	1,678 1,595 2,331 4,091 7,483 232 656 446 1,401
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Week preceding enumeration: Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950... Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950... operators.....persons 1950... Spouse members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950... Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950...	2,627 4,688 2,606 2,531 938 1,422 495 735	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... pounds 1949... 1944... Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... pounds of butterfat 1949... 1944... Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	2,950 2,933 43,621 50,012 2,496 2,835 21,793 27,789 2,324 14,920 1,772 9,441 1,354 5,452 1,697 6,935 1,069 1,124 39,241,687 35,876,517 1,277,961 821 1,239 478,739 699,801 267,199 10 1,198
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	2,724 2,224 1,886 376,799 1,663 1,027,145 2,502 1,948,466 2,181 1,519,985 2,346 376,263 2,239 959,587 1,807 316,158 1,901 380,406	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... 4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	2,267 2,496 129,229 92,646 2,203 57,762 1,617 71,467 1,998 2,073 19,497 16,483
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>			
No sales.....number 1950... \$1 to \$249.....number 1950... \$250 to \$999.....number 1950... \$1,000 to \$999.....number 1950... \$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950... \$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950... \$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950... \$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950... \$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950... \$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	36 81 98 89 192 158 315 479 439 535 474		
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950... Cash-grain.....number 1950... Cotton.....number 1950... Other field-crop.....number 1950... Vegetable farms.....number 1950... Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950... Dairy farms.....number 1950... Poultry farms.....number 1950...	518 518 15 25 196 55		

<sup>a</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>b</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.  
<sup>c</sup>Sows and hogs 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	314	Sorghums:	
1945.....	523	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950...	10,212	1944.....	11
1945.....	12,948	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....		1944.....	59
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	303	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	5,765	acres 1949.....	4
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	299	1944.....	4
1945.....	491	bushels 1949.....	95
number 1950.....	5,397	1944.....	6
1945.....	9,938	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	188	1944.....	277
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	368	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	278	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1945.....	4,447	1944.....	
1944.....	290	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number shorn 1949.....	459	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	6,155	1944.....	
pounds 1949.....	47,586	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	74,885	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,527	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1945.....	3,002	acres 1949.....	345
number 1950.....	227,428	bushels 1949.....	8,267
1945.....	316,636	1949.....	1,591
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,691	acres 1949.....	1,125
number 1949.....	199,914	1944.....	47,846
dollars 1949.....	203,117	bushels 1949.....	24,663
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,062	1944.....	1,111,912
dozens 1949.....	1,346,989	1944.....	452,323
dollars 1949.....	490,642	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	33	1944.....	16
number 1950.....	2,585	acres 1949.....	400
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	49	1944.....	400
1944.....	55	bushels 1949.....	1,923
number 1949.....	27,027	1944.....	1,395
1944.....	20,337	acres 1949.....	46,342
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	23,437
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949.....	1,649,731
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,559	1944.....	462,305
dollars 1949...	8,474,669	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	127
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,215	1944.....	223
1944.....	2,539	acres 1949.....	1,479
number 1949.....	19,731	1944.....	2,256
1944.....	22,509	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,374	1944.....	3
number 1949.....	9,706	acres 1949.....	102
dollars 1949.....	1,726,695	1944.....	37
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,774	bushels 1949.....	1,955
number 1949.....	10,025	1944.....	820
dollars 1949.....	748,419	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	59
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,269	1944.....	49
1944.....	2,591	acres 1949.....	920
number 1949.....	148,622	1944.....	659
1944.....	161,625	bushels 1949.....	13,493
dollars 1949.....	5,863,551	1944.....	8,024
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	298	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	364	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,069
number 1949.....	6,534	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,662
1944.....	9,155	acres 1949.....	33,590
dollars 1949.....	121,222	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	50,291
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	172	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	984
number 1949.....	354	1944.....	1,511
dollars 1949.....	14,782	acres 1949.....	32,642
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	47,500
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,049	bushels 1949.....	851,637
1949.....	948	1944.....	1,036,134
number 1949.....	1,056	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	117
1949.....	248	acres 1949.....	592
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1944.....	304	1944.....	921
number 1949.....	274	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	319	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	714	acres 1949.....	19
1944.....	675	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	782	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	730	acres 1949.....	337
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,915	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	2,467	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	3
number 1949.....	4,552	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	6,412	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1
Ment, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949.....	2
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	376	bushels 1949.....	50
dollars 1949.....	11,412	1944.....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Corn:		acres 1949.....	1
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,433	tons 1949.....	3
1944.....	2,709	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949.....	96,332	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	100,544	acres 1949.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,408	1944.....	
1944.....	2,644	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949.....	92,715	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	95,704	acres 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	4,771,107	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	4,302,500	1944.....	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	109	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	800	bushels 1949.....	50
acres 1949.....	800	1944.....	
tons..green weight 1949.....	7,321	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		acres 1949.....	1
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	305	tons 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	8,817	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,768	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	30,532	acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,127	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	56
1944...	1,137	acres 1949...	102
acres 1949...	13,437	acres 1944...	79
1944...	10,642	1944...	123
tons 1949...	29,730	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944...	24,424	acres 1949...	6
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	953	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	1,680	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	14,370	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944...	30,120	acres 1949...	8
tons 1949...	16,926	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	36,993	acres 1944...	17
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	45	acres 1949...	1
1944...	108	1944...	4
acres 1949...	1,136	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944...	476	acres 1949...	6
tons 1949...	1,303	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944...	412	acres 1949...	7
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	73	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	66
1944...	18	acres 1944...	106
acres 1949...	654	acres 1949...	109
1944...	139	1944...	190
tons 1949...	588	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944...	112	acres 1949...	8
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	74	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	33
acres 1949...	613	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	186	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	88
tons 1949...	735	acres 1949...	88
1944...	204	quarts 1949...	213,070
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	44
acres 1949...	67	acres 1949...	34
tons, green weight 1949...	370	quarts 1949...	43,794
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	390	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,126
1944...	836	acres 1945...	130
acres 1949...	5,614	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,025
1944...	12,256	acres 1945...	1,413
bushels 1949...	5,420	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	575
1944...	14,742	acres 1945...	672
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	trees of all ages, number 1950...	40,476
acres 1949...	131	acres 1945...	61,752
pounds 1949...	15,518	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	10,822
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	64	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	29,654
acres 1949...	744	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	114,244
bushels 1949...	1,147	1944...	138,636
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	781
acres 1949...	6	acres 1945...	444
pounds 1949...	236	trees of all ages, number 1950...	10,183
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres 1945...	15,481
acres 1949...	77	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	2,634
bushels 1949...	71	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	7,529
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,030	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	4,425
1944...	1,142	1944...	26
acres 1949...	280	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	484
1944...	530	acres 1945...	621
bushels 1949...	42,085	trees of all ages, number 1950...	2,057
1944...	31,980	acres 1945...	2,440
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	210	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	318
1944...	168	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,739
acres 1949...	24	trees of bearing age, number 1949...	3,624
1944...	102	quantity harvested, bushels 1944...	1,469
bushels 1949...	4,644	1945...	525
1944...	13,606	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	594
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1945...	1,617
acres 1949...	8	trees of all ages, number 1945...	2,090
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	625	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	541
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,076
lb. of brush 1949...	51	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	19,184
acres 1949...	18	1944...	13,193
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	456	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	374
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,310	acres 1945...	343
1944...	3,057	trees of all ages, number 1950...	1,530
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	84	acres 1945...	1,498
1944...	156	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	439
acres 1949...	397	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,091
1944...	660	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	458
acres 1949...	82,759	1944...	605
1944...	113,346	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	238
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	30	acres 1945...	569
acres 1949...	15	trees of all ages, number 1950...	224
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	30	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	345
1944...	48	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	246
acres 1949...	17	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	618
1944...	23	1945...	839
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	17	vines of all ages, number 1950...	4,615
acres 1949...	7	acres 1945...	6,898
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	11	vines not of bearing age, number 1950...	730
acres 1949...	6	vines of bearing age, number 1950...	3,385
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	45	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	40,224
acres 1949...	100	1944...	51,381
1944...	77	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	39
1944...	114	acres 1945...	32
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	18	trees of all ages, number 1950...	200
acres 1949...	13	acres 1945...	248
		trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	23
		trees of bearing age, number 1950...	177
		quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	1,616
		1944...	1,262

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.

<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	643	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	33
.....1945...	798	.....1945...	48
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	143,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	65.8	.....1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	52,544	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	31
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	43,756	.....1945.....	48
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,451	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	78
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,446	.....1945.....	134
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	94,305	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	94
.....1945.....	100,731	.....1945.....	113
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	146.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	51
.....1945.....	126.2	.....1945.....	67
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	8,888	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	92
.....1945.....	5,369	.....1945.....	110
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A...	60.94	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	69
.....1945.....	42.53	.....1945.....	91
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	63
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	594	.....1945.....	58
.....1944.....	770	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	40
.....acres 1949...	44,686	.....1945.....	43
.....1944.....	43,185	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	34
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	.....1945.....	37
.....1944.....	130	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	60
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	90	.....1945.....	76
.....1944.....	148	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	21
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	72	.....1945.....	13
.....1944.....	77	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	8
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	96	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	122		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944.....	159	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	White operators.....number 1950...	525
.....1944.....	107	.....1945.....	607
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	118
.....1944.....	27	.....1945.....	191
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	272	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	237	Full owners.....number 1950...	318
.....acres 1949...	4,917	.....1945.....	331
.....1944.....	4,439	Part owners.....number 1950...	145
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	115
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	247	Managers.....number 1950...	4
.....1944.....	7,352	.....1945.....	4
.....acres 1949...	14,172	All tenants.....number 1950...	176
.....1944.....	240	.....1945.....	348
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	249	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	27.4
.....1944.....	249	.....1945.....	43.6
.....acres 1949...	7,500	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	17
.....1944.....	9,068	.....1945.....	38
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	288	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	14
.....1944.....	374	.....1945.....	1
.....acres 1949...	19,822	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	120
.....1944.....	14,610	.....1945.....	224
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	106
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....1945.....	14
.....1944.....	166	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....acres 1949...	2,385	.....1945.....	85
.....1944.....	3,105	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945.....	16
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	535	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944.....	740	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	215
.....acres 1949...	7,643	.....1945.....	116
.....1944.....	12,152	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	375
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	170
.....1944.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	375
.....acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.24
.....1944.....	.....	.....1950.....	133
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	42
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	63
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	278
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	80
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	164
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	180
		.....number 1950...	87
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	96
		.....number 1950...	28
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	28
		.....number 1950...	10
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	10
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	502		
.....1945.....	721		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	55		
.....1945.....	77		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	162		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	224		
.....1944.....	248		
.....1949.....	124		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	142		
.....1944.....	142		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	91
.....1945.....	152	General farms.....number 1950.....	49
.....number 1950.....	270	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	160	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	3
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	333	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	23
.....1945.....	242	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	192
.....number 1950.....	491		
.....1945.....	296		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	323		
.....number 1950.....	462		
.....1945.....	15		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	497
.....number 1950.....	14	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	3
.....1945.....	14	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	41
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	292	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	71
.....number 1950.....	335	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	83
.....1945.....	343	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	111
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	363	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	144
.....number 1950.....		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	126
.....1945.....		Other farms.....number 1950.....	84
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	101
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	153	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	142		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	196		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	142	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,806,325
		.....1944.....	1,287,651
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,282,843
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	861,756
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,193,033
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	276	.....1944.....	793,204
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	102	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	31,185
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	106	.....1944.....	41,720
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	28,440
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	26,797
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	261	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	185
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	.....1944.....	35
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	81	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	542,272
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	417,125
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.7	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	40,866
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	46,991
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	161	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	57,812
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	326	.....1944.....	48,223
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	36	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	441,594
		.....1944.....	321,909
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,210
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	8,770
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	430		
.....persons 1950.....	785	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	414	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	356
Operators.....persons 1950.....	373	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	236
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	152	.....1945.....	352
.....persons 1950.....	294	.....number 1950.....	461
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	863
.....persons 1950.....	118	.....1945.....	171
		.....number 1950.....	379
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		.....1945.....	942
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	478		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	332	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	203	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	399
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	43,699	.....1945.....	297
.....dollars 1949.....	272	.....number 1950.....	3,156
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	151,879	.....1945.....	4,685
.....dollars 1949.....	405	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	378
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	86,198	.....1945.....	582
.....dollars 1949.....	343	.....number 1950.....	1,465
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	377	.....1945.....	2,271
.....dollars 1949.....	63,207	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	353
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	306	.....number 1950.....	963
.....dollars 1949.....	161,379	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	192
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	258	.....number 1950.....	629
.....dollars 1949.....	63,409	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	140
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	240	.....number 1950.....	484
.....dollars 1949.....	36,042	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	193
		.....number 1950.....	578
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	33
No sales.....number 1950.....	30	.....1944.....	29
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	71	.....pounds 1949.....	332,686
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	96	.....1944.....	507,030
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	45	.....dollars 1949.....	10,381
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	45	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	140
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	55	.....1944.....	177
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	77	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	52,809
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	67	.....1944.....	67,330
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	62	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	29,912
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	38	.....dollars 1949.....	13
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	48		573
		<b>HOGS</b>	
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	443
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	293	.....1945.....	534
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	206	.....number 1950.....	6,496
Cotton.....number 1950.....	87	.....1945.....	9,163
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	411
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	3,394
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	288
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	3,502
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	322
		.....1945.....	458
		.....number 1950.....	1,164
		.....1945.....	1,170

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

<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.

<sup>3</sup>Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIALIZED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Sorghums:	
1945...	8	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	169	1944...	2
1945...	227	acres 1949...	1
1945...		1944...	4
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	107	1944...	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	4	acres 1949...	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	6	1944...	
number 1950...	103	bushels 1949...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	164	1944...	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	4	acres 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	3	1944...	
number 1950...	62	tms. green weight 1949...	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	5	1944...	
number shorn 1949...	105	acres 1949...	
1949...	698	tms out 1949...	
1944...	1,360		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28		
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		<b>Small grains:</b>	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	505	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1945...	669	acres 1949...	49
number 1950...	29,943	bushels 1949...	1,040
1945...	41,279	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	71
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	229	acres 1949...	2,630
number 1949...	16,372	1944...	1,692
dollars 1949...	17,323	bushels 1949...	36,544
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	288	1944...	25,184
dozens 1949...	105,702		
dollars 1949...	38,737	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	16	1944...	
number 1950...	112	acres 1949...	28
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944...	
1944...	3	bushels 1949...	400
number 1949...	316	1944...	
1944...	100	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	32
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres 1949...	25
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	429	acres 1949...	274
dollars 1949...	443,058	1944...	269
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	238	bushels 1949...	6,348
1944...	361	1944...	4,480
number 1949...	1,541		
1944...	2,041	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	165	1944...	40
number 1949...	912	acres 1949...	65
dollars 1949...	119,085	1944...	260
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	234	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1949...	629	1944...	38
dollars 1949...	38,690	acres 1949...	611
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	375	1944...	390
1944...	447	bushels 1949...	11,185
number 1949...	8,111	1944...	6,865
1944...	10,296		
dollars 1949...	281,141	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944...	4	1944...	5
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949...	88
number 1949...	86	1944...	28
1944...	205	bushels 1949...	1,585
dollars 1949...	1,229	1944...	350
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	28		
number 1949...	55	<b>Annual legumes:</b>	
dollars 1949...	2,913	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	319
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	245
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	370	acres 1949...	13,747
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	33	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	6,852
number 1949...	37		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	282
1944...	15	1944...	157
number 1949...	8	acres 1949...	13,105
1944...	17	1944...	5,402
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	27	bushels 1949...	273,741
1944...	15	1944...	99,107
number 1949...	29	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944...	15	acres 1949...	348
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	369	tms 1949...	352
1944...	542	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	894	acres 1949...	159
1944...	1,471	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949...	135
dollars 1949...	231		
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Corn:		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	7
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	496	acres 1949...	130
1944...	688	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	76
acres 1949...	19,253	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	24,921	1944...	2
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	487	acres 1949...	5
1944...	683	bushels 1949...	50
acres 1949...	18,838	1944...	32
1944...	24,223	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
bushels 1949...	580,718	acres 1949...	58
1944...	721,677	tms 1949...	68
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	96	acres 1949...	25
tms. green weight 1949...	906	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949...	42
acres 1949...	319		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	302	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	5,388	.....acres 1949...	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	124	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....1944...	76	.....1944...	2
.....acres 1949...	3,060	.....acres 1949...	18
.....1944...	807	.....1944...	6
.....tons 1949...	8,733	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	19
.....1944...	1,693	.....acres 1949...	24
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	75	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	567	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944...	642	.....acres 1949...	1
.....tons 1949...	719	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944...	714	.....1944...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	159	.....acres 1949...	3
.....1944...	171	.....1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	1,573	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....1944...	1,828	.....acres 1949...	6
.....tons 1949...	1,792	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944...	1,732	.....acres 1949...	41
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	20
.....1944...	2	.....1944...	20
.....acres 1949...	44	.....acres 1949...	30
.....1944...	23	.....1944...	69
.....tons 1949...	51	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	24	.....acres 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	16
.....acres 1949...	173		
.....1944...	1,071	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1949...	185	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	38
.....1944...	989	.....acres 1949...	153
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		.....quarts 1949...	133,687
.....acres 1949...		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
.....tons, green weight 1949...		.....quarts 1949...	
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	127
.....1944...	9	.....1945...	15
.....acres 1949...	77	.....acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> ...	83
.....1944...	151	.....1945...	97
.....bushels 1949...	56	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	81
.....1944...	138	.....1945...	43
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,310
.....acres 1949...	13	.....1945...	1,928
.....pounds 1949...	2,600	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	832
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	478
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	750
.....bushels 1949...		.....1944...	1,470
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	59
.....acres 1949...	4	.....1945...	42
.....pounds 1949...	300	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,429
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	4,540
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,549
.....bushels 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,380
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	170	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,418
.....1944...	307	.....1944...	3,081
.....acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> ...	50	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	44
.....1944...	189	.....1945...	13
.....bushels 1949...	5,075	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	97
.....1944...	10,567	.....1945...	59
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	87	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	34
.....1944...	232	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	63
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	17	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	85
.....1944...	122	.....1944...	17
.....bushels 1949...	1,574	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	33
.....1944...	9,747	.....1945...	14
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	134
.....acres 1949...	3	.....1945...	38
.....gallons 1949...	305	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	53
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	81
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	137
.....lb. of brush 1949...		.....1944...	166
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	41
.....acres 1949...	1	.....1945...	9
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	20	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	128
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	338	.....1945...	111
.....1944...	597	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	56
.....acres 1949...	129	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	72
.....1944...	246	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	31
.....sold..dollars 1949...	31,185	.....1944...	40
.....1944...	41,720	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	8
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	33
.....acres 1949...	12	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	28
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	35	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5
.....1944...	90	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	89	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1944...	379	.....1945...	43
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	13
.....acres 1949...	1	.....1945...	361
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	144
.....acres 1949...	1	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	101
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,086
.....1944...	5	.....1944...	2,376
.....acres 1949...	1	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....1944...	18	.....1945...	3
Cantaloups and melons.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	73
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	7
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	53
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	20
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	608
		.....1944...	20

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,471	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	66
1945...	1,482	1945...	51
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	245,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	90.2	1945...	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	141,120	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	59
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	103,250	1945...	49
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,243	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	126
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,477	1945...	112
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	221,136	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	110
1945...	226,859	1945...	108
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	150.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	105
1945...	153.1	1945...	106
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	13,580	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	154
1945...	7,172	1945...	165
average per acre, dollars 1950*	90.24	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	216
1945...	46.85	1945...	245
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	202
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,302	1945...	196
1944...	1,289	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	145
acres 1949...	129,148	1945...	173
1944...	122,839	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	125
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	85	1945...	103
1944...	85	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	204
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	1945...	198
1944...	85	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	16
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	1945...	21
1944...	87	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	147	1945...	2
1944...	167		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	351	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	359	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	380	White operators.....number 1950...	1,460
1944...	390	1945...	1,477
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	151	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	11
1944...	116	1945...	5
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	366	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	210	Full owners.....number 1950...	737
acres 1949...	11,277	1945...	603
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	5,634	Part owners.....number 1950...	375
		1945...	359
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	357	1945...	11
acres 1949...	7,189	All tenants.....number 1950...	354
1944...	13,515	1945...	509
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	355	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	24.1
1944...	377	1945...	34.3
acres 1949...	12,573	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	54
1944...	6,253	1945...	74
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	183	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	210
1944...	1,431	1945...	221
acres 1949...	3,456	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	60
1944...		1945...	159
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	47
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,091	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	13
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,319	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	30
acres 1949...	41,247	1945...	55
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	64,375	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,435	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	1,467	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	857
acres 1949...	11,265	1945...	735
1944...	10,487	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,322
		1945...	750
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,322
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.72
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	732
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	245
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	441
acres 1949...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,182
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	552
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	396
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	502
		number 1950...	519
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	262
		number 1950...	262
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		number 1950...	67
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	337
		number 1950...	363
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		number 1950...	26
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,400		
1945...	1,409		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	51		
1945...	66		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	338		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	509		
1944...	350		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	309		
1944...	291		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950.....	647	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	184
1945.....	293	General farms.....number 1950.....	398
number 1950.....	724	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	4
1945.....	311	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	160
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	962	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	231
1945.....	830	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	277
number 1950.....	1,296		
1945.....	925		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	922		
number 1950.....	1,206		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	60		
number 1950.....	65		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25		
number 1950.....	25		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,052		
1945.....	1,139		
number 1950.....	1,216		
1945.....	1,218		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, mule, or horse.....farms reporting 1950.....	248		
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.....	223		
Tractor and horse and/or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	685		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	310		
<b>TRAILING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,194
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	130	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	502	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	121
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	450	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	337
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	315	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	341
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	308
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	8
0.5 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	847	Other farms.....number 1950.....	277
1.0 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	109
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	225	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	168
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.7		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	246		
Gravel, crushed stone, or similar.....farms reporting 1950.....	891		
Dirt and gravel.....farms reporting 1950.....	225		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Were there any farm laborers:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,163,306
Family workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,317	1944.....	4,060,676
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,341	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,244,873
Operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,302	1944.....	956,840
Wages paid to operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,272	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,207,168
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	875	1944.....	913,753
Persons 1950.....	162	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,723
Persons 1950.....	194	1944.....	1,567
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	33,447
		1944.....	38,275
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,015
		1944.....	2,040
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,911,491
		1944.....	3,160,430
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,237,041
		1944.....	1,339,721
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	421,042
		1944.....	374,732
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,283,458
		1944.....	1,305,977
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,942
		1944.....	3,406
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	905
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	386
		1945.....	1,140
		number 1950.....	2,047
		1945.....	3,244
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	61
		1945.....	156
		number 1950.....	123
		1945.....	794
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,273
		1945.....	1,319
		number 1950.....	17,969
		1945.....	21,040
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,223
		1945.....	1,269
		number 1950.....	6,560
		1945.....	12,038
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,192
		number 1950.....	7,687
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	930
		number 1950.....	5,452
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	648
		number 1950.....	1,896
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	695
		number 1950.....	2,101
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	929
		1944.....	1,081
		pounds 1949.....	39,574,506
		1944.....	47,486,448
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,733,944
		1944.....	26
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	4,245
		1944.....	5,591
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,461
		1944.....	636
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,023
		1945.....	865
		number 1950.....	13,640
		1945.....	20,667
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	980
		number 1950.....	14,268
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	697
		number 1950.....	19,578
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	852
		1945.....	687
		number 1950.....	4,973
		1945.....	2,841

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	123	Sorghums:	
1945.....	162	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number 1950.....	4,246	1944.....	37
1945.....	4,196	acres 1949.....	191
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	119	1944.....	409
number 1950.....	2,343	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	119	1944.....	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	153	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	2,051	1944.....	2
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	3,209	bushels 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	87	1944.....	20
number 1950.....	292	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	114	acres 1949.....	176
number 1950.....	1,903	tons..green weight 1949.....	1,241
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	118	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	136	acres 1949.....	15
number shorn 1949.....	2,428	tons cut 1949.....	8
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	17,571		
1944.....	22,083		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,290	acres 1949.....	80
1945.....	1,347	bushels 1949.....	1,455
number 1950.....	159,353	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	678
1945.....	179,792	1944.....	475
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	860	acres 1949.....	20,905
number 1949.....	77,904	1944.....	13,311
dollars 1949.....	78,867	bushels 1949.....	427,034
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,091	1944.....	256,141
dozens 1949.....	965,014	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
dollars 1949.....	323,369	1944.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	14	acres 1949.....	169
1945.....	70	1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	19	bushels 1949.....	3,373
1944.....	13	1944.....	
number 1949.....	790	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	742
1944.....	916	1944.....	611
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres 1949.....	14,786
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,248	1944.....	12,610
dollars 1949.....	2,236,774	bushels 1949.....	329,190
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,121	1944.....	289,859
1944.....	1,149	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	109
number 1949.....	8,174	1944.....	451
1944.....	9,902	acres 1949.....	923
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	797	1944.....	4,850
number 1949.....	4,269	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
dollars 1949.....	753,360	1944.....	32
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	897	acres 1949.....	149
number 1949.....	3,905	1944.....	311
dollars 1949.....	143,637	bushels 1949.....	4,028
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	946	1944.....	5,908
1944.....	934	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
number 1949.....	35,951	1944.....	61
1944.....	31,526	acres 1949.....	159
dollars 1949.....	1,290,887	1944.....	698
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	110	bushels 1949.....	1,773
1944.....	114	1944.....	7,397
number 1949.....	2,442	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	2,347	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010
dollars 1949.....	41,953	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,043
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	90	acres 1949.....	37,979
number 1949.....	172	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	33,475
dollars 1949.....	6,937	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	916
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	709
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,022	acres 1949.....	34,744
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	374	1944.....	20,626
1944.....	448	bushels 1949.....	610,568
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	234	1944.....	356,034
1944.....	207	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	387
number 1949.....	267	acres 1949.....	3,082
1944.....	253	tons 1949.....	3,901
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	150	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	187	acres 1949.....	38
number 1949.....	181	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	214	acres 1949.....	115
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	961	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	1,093	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	21
number 1949.....	2,223	acres 1949.....	102
1944.....	2,873	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	267
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	212	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949.....	7,779	1944.....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres 1949.....	19
Corn:		bushels 1949.....	120
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,166	1944.....	
1944.....	1,193	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19
acres 1949.....	40,182	acres 1949.....	82
1944.....	42,705	tons 1949.....	102
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,153	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,175	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	37,618	1944.....	
1944.....	38,170	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
bushels 1949.....	1,444,739	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	977,352	1944.....	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	185	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	21
acres 1949.....	1,857	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	21
tons..green weight 1949.....	13,332	acres 1949.....	102
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	73	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	707	1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	848	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	13,728	.....acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	403	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	401	.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....	3,743	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	3,434	.....1944.....	
.....tons 1949.....	7,180	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	6,574	.....acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	530	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	656	.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	7,218	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	8,567	.....acres 1949.....	
.....tons 1949.....	8,640	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	10,126	.....1944.....	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	98	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	19	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	1,008	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	237	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....tons 1949.....	1,101	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	176	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	130	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	10	.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	1,220	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	182	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....tons 1949.....	1,097	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	158	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	61		
.....acres 1949.....	683	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944.....	811	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....tons 1949.....	655	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	706	.....quarts 1949.....	11,134
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....acres 1949.....	
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	40	.....quarts 1949.....	22
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	188	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	502
.....1944.....	188	.....1945.....	37
.....acres 1949.....	2,211	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	364
.....1944.....	2,225	.....1945.....	24
.....bushels 1949.....	2,127	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	332
.....1944.....	2,034	.....1945.....	26
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	5,688
.....acres 1949.....	237	.....1945.....	3,967
.....pounds 1949.....	47,372	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	1,327
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	4,334
.....acres 1949.....	18	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	20,534
.....bushels 1949.....	19	.....1944.....	8,781
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	62
.....acres 1949.....	233	.....1945.....	39
.....pounds 1949.....	14,080	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	12,227
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	17	.....1945.....	12,221
.....acres 1949.....	178	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	3,831
.....bushels 1949.....	261	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	8,454
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	555	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	10,211
.....1944.....	63	.....1944.....	11,121
.....acres 1949.....	40	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
.....1944.....	12	.....1945.....	15
.....bushels 1949.....	6,956	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	71
.....1944.....	989	.....1945.....	1,121
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	142	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	15
.....1944.....	1	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	26
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	57
.....1944.....	(*)	.....1944.....	1,174
.....bushels 1949.....	501	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
.....1944.....	10	.....1945.....	12
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	75
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	219
.....gallons 1949.....	376	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	23
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	471
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	7,767
.....lb. of brush 1949.....		.....1944.....	2,000
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	30	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	154
.....acres 1949.....	7	.....1945.....	15
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	87	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	65
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,121	.....1945.....	21
.....1944.....	1,271	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	43
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	171
.....acres 1949.....	13	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	11
.....1944.....	13	.....1944.....	11
.....sold, dollars 1949.....	2,323	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
.....1944.....	1,867	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	23
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	13
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	13
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	4	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	3
.....1944.....	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	3
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....1945.....	213
.....1944.....	4	.....vines of all ages, number 1950.....	2,447
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1945.....	1,276
.....acres 1949.....		.....vines not of bearing age, number 1950.....	24
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....vines of bearing age, number 1950.....	2,200
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	16,313
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1944.....	3,703
.....1944.....		Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....1945.....	4
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	11
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	11
		.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	2
		.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	4
		.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	42
		.....1944.....	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
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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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,085	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	26
.....1945...	1,104	.....1945...	17
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	181,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	97.3	.....1945.....	19
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	76,978	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	17
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	98,864	.....1945.....	32
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,552	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	34
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,245	.....1945.....	42
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	176,149	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	40
.....1945.....	175,375	.....1945.....	37
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	162.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	39
.....1945.....	158.9	.....1945.....	150
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	30,251	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	173
.....1945.....	19,776	.....1945.....	232
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	183.04	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	235
.....1945.....	124.49	.....1945.....	226
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	246
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059	.....1945.....	125
.....1944.....	1,082	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	134
.....acres 1949.....	125,063	.....1945.....	80
.....1944.....	122,459	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	72
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....1945.....	124
.....1944.....	24	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	104
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....1945.....	9
.....1944.....	25	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	29	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	65	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	86	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	380	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	406	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	439	White operators.....number 1950...	1,085
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	441	.....1945.....	1,104
.....1944.....	104	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	83	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	781	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	592	Full owners.....number 1950...	485
.....acres 1949.....	20,299	.....1945.....	440
.....1944.....	14,915	Part owners.....number 1950...	113
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	106
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	80	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....acres 1949.....	2,008	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	2,406	All tenants.....number 1950...	481
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	375	.....1945.....	552
.....acres 1949.....	259	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	44.3
.....1944.....	8,410	.....1945.....	50.0
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	115	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	77
.....acres 1949.....	93	.....1945.....	136
.....1944.....	1,293	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	24
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945.....	11
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	387	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	363
.....acres 1949.....	602	.....1945.....	279
.....1944.....	10,351	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	34
.....1944.....	19,875	.....1945.....	349
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	17
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	126
.....1944.....		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	2
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	15
.....acres 1949.....		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,047	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	782
.....1945.....	1,048	.....1945.....	703
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	27	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
.....1945.....	43	.....1945.....	936
With other income of family exceeding value		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	76	.....1945.....	14.52
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	276	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	916
.....1944.....	131	.....1945.....	601
.....1944.....	99	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	379
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	41	.....1945.....	309
.....1944.....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	972
		.....1945.....	538
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	48
		.....1945.....	747
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	316
		.....1945.....	318
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	482
		.....1945.....	509
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	213
		.....1945.....	213
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	769
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	961
		.....1945.....	15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945.....	15
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	454	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	173
.....number 1945.....	274	General farms.....number 1950...	61
.....number 1950.....	502	.....number 1945.....	5
.....number 1945.....	321	.....number 1950.....	15
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	963	.....number 1945.....	41
.....number 1945.....	953	.....number 1950.....	63
.....number 1950.....	1,613	.....number 1945.....	
.....number 1945.....	1,250		
.....number 1950.....	943		
.....number 1945.....	1,542		
.....number 1950.....	41		
.....number 1945.....	46		
.....number 1950.....	23		
.....number 1945.....	25		
.....number 1950.....	1,023		
.....number 1945.....	1,028		
.....number 1950.....	1,353		
.....number 1945.....	1,314		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	87		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...			
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	20		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	474		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	504		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,032
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	56	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	29
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	347	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	313
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	378	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	433
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	262	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	166
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	76
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	15
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	300	Other farms.....number 1950...	53
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	29
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	382	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	24
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.8		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	315		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	628		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	105		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,660,120
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	973	.....dollars 1944.....	8,522,759
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,725	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,626,168
Operators.....persons 1950...	947	.....dollars 1944.....	1,809,432
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	907	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,388,032
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	361	.....dollars 1944.....	1,601,346
.....persons 1950...	461	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	595,620
.....persons 1950...	263	.....dollars 1944.....	157,545
.....persons 1950...	357	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,931
		.....dollars 1944.....	2,719
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	35,585
		.....dollars 1944.....	47,800
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,631,633
		.....dollars 1944.....	6,708,337
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,540,032
		.....dollars 1944.....	3,695,048
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	391,672
		.....dollars 1944.....	330,658
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,701,899
		.....dollars 1944.....	2,682,531
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	319
		.....dollars 1944.....	5,090
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	505
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	503
		.....number 1945.....	950
		.....number 1950.....	1,130
		.....number 1945.....	2,750
		.....number 1950.....	6
		.....number 1945.....	18
		.....number 1950.....	11
		.....number 1945.....	202
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	969
		.....number 1945.....	1,031
		.....number 1950.....	36,536
		.....number 1945.....	39,516
		.....number 1950.....	954
		.....number 1945.....	1,002
		.....number 1950.....	18,776
		.....number 1945.....	21,795
		.....number 1950.....	340
		.....number 1945.....	16,304
		.....number 1950.....	899
		.....number 1945.....	9,265
		.....number 1950.....	742
		.....number 1945.....	5,755
		.....number 1950.....	650
		.....number 1945.....	2,637
		.....number 1950.....	855
		.....number 1945.....	917
		.....pounds 1949.....	132,828,408
		.....pounds 1944.....	127,216,439
		.....dollars 1949.....	4,531,799
		.....dollars 1944.....	18
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	13,945
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	18,109
		.....dollars 1949.....	8,218
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	710
		.....number 1945.....	696
		.....number 1950.....	27,307
		.....number 1945.....	20,920
		.....farms reporting 1950...	702
		.....number 1950...	14,641
		.....number 1950...	297
		.....number 1950...	12,666
		.....number 1945...	614
		.....number 1950...	499
		.....number 1945...	6,371
		.....number 1950...	4,340

<sup>1</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income using value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc. less 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:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	980	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	26,639	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	876	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	73
.....1944.....	566	.....acres 1949.....	49
.....acres 1949.....	21,414	.....acres 1944.....	2,706
.....1944.....	9,316	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
.....tons 1949.....	56,858	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....1944.....	21,056	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	277	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	772	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	4,235	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	14,129	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	61
.....tons 1949.....	7,389	.....acres 1944.....	3
.....1944.....	27,016	.....acres 1949.....	2,970
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1944.....	839
.....1944.....	.....	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	.....	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....tons 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	.....	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	.....acres 1944.....	1
.....1944.....	2	.....acres 1949.....	3
.....acres 1949.....	102	.....acres 1944.....	3
.....1944.....	12	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
.....tons 1949.....	136	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	17	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	31	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	431	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
.....1944.....	276	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....tons 1949.....	792	.....quarts 1949.....	1,380
.....1944.....	588	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....acres 1949.....	290	.....quarts 1949.....	329
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	1,600	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops:		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	.....1945.....	3
.....1944.....	100	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	130
.....acres 1949.....	270	.....1945.....	27
.....1944.....	1,194	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	528
.....bushels 1949.....	175	.....1945.....	66
.....1944.....	635	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	5,719
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,620
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	955
.....pounds 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	4,764
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	9,152
.....acres 1949.....	21	.....1944.....	1,316
.....bushels 1949.....	63	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	43
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	7
.....acres 1949.....	25	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	117
.....pounds 1949.....	1,500	.....1945.....	11
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	76
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	41
.....bushels 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	10
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	157	.....1944.....	.....
.....1944.....	36	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	219
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	53	.....1945.....	34
.....1944.....	64	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	498
.....bushels 1949.....	5,276	.....1945.....	163
.....1944.....	3,316	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	108
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	390
.....1944.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	770
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	.....	.....1944.....	320
.....1944.....	.....	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	204
.....bushels 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	34
.....1944.....	.....	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	540
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	134
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	157
.....gallons 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	383
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	5,530
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	306
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	92
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	.....1945.....	11
.....acres 1949.....	6	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	347
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	85	.....1945.....	63
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	564	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	114
.....1944.....	940	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	233
.....acres 1949.....	7,250	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	116
.....1944.....	3,735	.....1944.....	3
.....sold, dollars 1949.....	595,620	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
.....1944.....	157,545	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	7
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	4
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	3
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	155
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	33
.....1944.....	133	.....vines of all ages, number 1950.....	694
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	294
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....vines not of bearing age, number 1950.....	153
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....vines of bearing age, number 1950.....	541
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	3,945
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)	.....1944.....	2,903
.....1944.....	2	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	1	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	15
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	6	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	.....
		.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	15
		.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	110
		.....1944.....	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
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<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	957	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	37
.....1945...	992	.....1945...	19
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	196,480	.....1950.....	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.5	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	21
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	117,003	.....1945.....	19
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	80,464	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	25
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	175	.....1945.....	30
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	21,819	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	51
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	175,823	.....1945.....	56
.....1945...	180,629	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	42
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	183.7	.....1945.....	37
.....1945...	182.1	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	133
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	17,347	.....1945.....	126
.....1945...	10,111	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	141
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	87.61	.....1945.....	182
.....1945...	55.53	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	150
.....1945...		.....1945.....	182
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	102
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	853	.....1945.....	102
.....1944.....	908	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	57
acres 1949...	74,702	.....1945.....	74
1944.....	70,194	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	173
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	46	.....1945.....	141
1944.....	47	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	31
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	.....1945.....	34
1944.....	81	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	5
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	56	.....1945.....	5
1944.....	65		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	138	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944.....	170	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	285	White operators.....number 1950...	957
1944.....	302	.....1945.....	992
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	213	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	202	.....1945.....	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	41	Full owners.....number 1950...	499
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	461	.....1945.....	497
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	331	Part owners.....number 1950...	187
acres 1949...	12,287	.....1945.....	198
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	9,165	Managers.....number 1950...	1
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	3
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	206	All tenants.....number 1950...	270
acres 1949...	4,631	.....1945.....	294
1944.....	7,287	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	28.2
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	657	.....1945.....	29.6
1944.....	647	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	13
acres 1949...	44,021	.....1945.....	19
1944.....	46,763	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	98
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	210	.....1945.....	61
1944.....	62	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	139
acres 1949...	8,912	.....1945.....	109
1944.....	2,165	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	51
Other pasture (not cropland and		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	82
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	394	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	20
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	647	.....1945.....	109
acres 1949...	21,307	Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	36,595	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	912	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944.....	960	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	654
acres 1949...	9,962	.....1945.....	779
1944.....	8,460	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	610
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	208
1944.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	605
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.04
1944.....		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	229
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	99
1944.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	128
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	525
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	151
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	220
		number 1950...	226
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	240
		number 1950...	240
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	69
		number 1950...	69
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		number 1950...	35
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		number 1950...	7
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	897		
.....1945...	890		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	45		
.....1945...	97		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	96		
.....1949...	283		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	133		
.....1949...	110		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1944...	38		

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	980-	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	26,639	acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	876	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	73
acres 1949.....	566	acres 1949.....	49
acres 1944.....	21,414	acres 1949.....	4,265
acres 1944.....	9,316	acres 1944.....	2,706
tons 1949.....	56,858	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
tons 1944.....	21,056	acres 1949.....	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	277	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	772	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1944.....	4,235	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1944.....	14,129	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	7,389	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	61
tons 1944.....	27,016	acres 1944.....	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	2,970
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1944.....	839
acres 1944.....	.....	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
acres 1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
acres 1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	102	acres 1944.....	6
acres 1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	136	acres 1944.....	3
tons 1944.....	17	acres 1949.....	3
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	31	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	431	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1944.....	276	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	792	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1944.....	588	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	290	quarts 1949.....	1,380
tons..green weight 1949.....	1,600	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Field crops:		acres 1949.....	(*)
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	quarts 1949.....	329
acres 1944.....	100	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	270	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
acres 1944.....	1,194	acres 1945.....	3
bushels 1949.....	175	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	130
bushels 1944.....	635	acres 1945.....	17
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	518
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	66
pounds 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5,719
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	acres 1945.....	1,620
acres 1949.....	21	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	955
bushels 1949.....	63	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,764
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	9,152
acres 1949.....	25	acres 1944.....	1,316
pounds 1949.....	1,500	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	42
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	7
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	117
bushels 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	11
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	157	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	76
acres 1944.....	36	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	41
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	53	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	10
acres 1944.....	64	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	219
bushels 1949.....	5,276	acres 1945.....	34
bushels 1944.....	3,316	acres 1945.....	498
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	acres 1950.....	163
acres 1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	108
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	392
acres 1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	778
bushels 1949.....	.....	acres 1944.....	323
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	204
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	34
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	540
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	134
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	acres 1945.....	157
acres 1949.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	383
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	85	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,530
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	564	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	306
acres 1949.....	940	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	92
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	91	acres 1945.....	11
acres 1949.....	57	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	347
acres 1944.....	7,250	acres 1945.....	63
acres 1944.....	3,735	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	114
sold..dollars 1949.....	595,620	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	233
acres 1944.....	157,545	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	116
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	acres 1944.....	3
acres 1949.....	1	acres 1945.....	4
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7
acres 1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	133	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	155
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1945.....	31
acres 1949.....	(*)	acres 1950.....	694
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	294
acres 1944.....	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	153
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	541
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	acres 1944.....	3,945
acres 1949.....	6	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,903
		acres 1945.....	2
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	15
		acres 1945.....	.....
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	15
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	110
		acres 1944.....	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
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Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	111	Sorghums:	
1945.....	203	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	3,033	1944.....	2
1945.....	9,197	acres 1949.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	7
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	1,846	1944.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	105	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	182	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	1,462	bushels 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	3,649	1944.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	384	1944.....	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	90	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1950...	1,187	tons, green weight 1949.....	.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	98	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	176	cut for dry storage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number shorn 1949...	1,997	acres 1949.....	.....
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	14,237	1944.....	.....
1944.....	27,928	tons cut 1949...	.....
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	810	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1945.....	876	acres 1949.....	181
number 1950...	73,875	bushels 1949.....	5,025
1945.....	90,400	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	361
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	570	1944.....	141
number 1949...	51,201	acres 1949.....	8,660
dollars 1949...	51,768	1944.....	2,965
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	652	bushels 1949.....	204,475
dozens 1949...	410,305	1944.....	49,461
dollars 1949...	143,069	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	13	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	57	acres 1949...	100
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944.....	.....
1944.....	21	bushels 1949...	1,470
number 1949...	185	1944.....	.....
1944.....	291	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	599
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	350
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	14,104
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	867	1944.....	6,408
dollars 1949...	3,291,461	bushels 1949...	425,525
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	740	1944.....	115,968
1944.....	754	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	67
number 1949...	6,908	1944.....	55
1944.....	8,330	acres 1949...	665
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	441	1944.....	599
number 1949...	3,615	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	599,308	1944.....	.....
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	614	acres 1949...	50
number 1949...	3,293	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	285,969	bushels 1949...	895
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	814	1944.....	.....
1944.....	780	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	35
number 1949...	60,833	1944.....	27
1944.....	60,456	acres 1949...	449
dollars 1949...	2,374,976	1944.....	265
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	107	bushels 1949...	6,496
1944.....	174	1944.....	2,957
number 1949...	3,180	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	7,826	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	305
dollars 1949...	66,189	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	393
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	78	acres 1949...	9,479
number 1949...	137	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	11,393
dollars 1949...	5,019	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	261
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	351
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	737	acres 1949...	9,031
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	265	1944.....	10,434
number 1949...	294	bushels 1949...	207,107
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	38	1944.....	209,817
1944.....	56	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	74
number 1949...	47	acres 1949...	464
1944.....	64	tons 1949...	800
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	237	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	247	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	254	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	715	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	750	acres 1949...	12
number 1949...	1,869	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	2,176	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	5
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	26
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	110	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	2,254	1944.....	.....
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres 1949...	.....
Corn:		bushels 1949...	.....
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	808	1944.....	.....
1944.....	860	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	34,123	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	26
1944.....	35,834	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	800	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	851	bushels 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	32,522	1944.....	.....
1944.....	35,189	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
bushels 1949...	1,617,658	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	1,576,318	acres 1949...	.....
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	14	tons 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	99	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
tons, green weight 1949...	863	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		acres 1949...	.....
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	153		
acres 1949...	1,502		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	537	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	6,771	acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	377	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	380	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	3,436	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	2,732	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	7,581	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	5,997	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	186	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	474	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,414	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	7,902	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,848	1944.....	
1944.....	10,071	acres 1949.....	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	14	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	206	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	163	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	225	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	177	1944.....	4
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain		acres 1949.....	22
cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	72	1944.....	40
1944.....	6	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	667	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	77	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	582		
1944.....	58	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	14
acres 1949.....	129	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	171	quarts 1949.....	1,392
tons 1949.....	144	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	11
1944.....	224	acres 1949.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	quarts 1949.....	506
acres 1949.....	105		
tons, green weight 1949.....	105	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	374
1944.....	308	1945.....	8
acres 1949.....	1,635	acres 1950.....	116
1944.....	5,243	1945.....	74
bushels 1949.....	1,405	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	213
1944.....	7,200	1945.....	195
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,815
acres 1949.....	31	1945.....	4,409
pounds 1949.....	4,005	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	703
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,112
acres 1949.....	45	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	14,685
bushels 1949.....	47	1944.....	14,240
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	285
acres 1949.....	7	1945.....	355
pounds 1949.....	500	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,331
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	3,647
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	805
for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	294	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,526
1944.....	161	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,489
acres 1949.....	16	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
1944.....	35	1945.....	161
bushels 1949.....	3,332	1945.....	200
1944.....	1,723	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	359
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		1945.....	460
for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	45	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	53
1944.....	45	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	306
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	544
1944.....	8	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	389
bushels 1949.....	95	1945.....	217
1944.....	443	1945.....	240
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,271
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	966
gallons 1949.....	212	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	194
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,077
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	5,795
1944.....		1944.....	3,863
Popcorn harvested.....lb. of brush 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	148
1949.....	11	1945.....	160
acres 1949.....	9	1945.....	733
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	220	1945.....	899
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	163
Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	749	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	570
1944.....	889	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	134
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1944.....	65
1944.....	4	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	115
acres 1949.....	22	1945.....	379
1944.....	40	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	93
sold, dollars 1949.....	2,079	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	284
1944.....	4,113	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	212
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	214
acres 1949.....		1944.....	282
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	897
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,185
acres 1949.....		1945.....	86
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	811
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	13,132
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	14,636
1944.....		Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
acres 1949.....		1945.....	14
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	37
Cabbages.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	85
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	42
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	480
acres 1949.....		1944.....	23

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,904	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	125
	1945...	1945...	98
	2,971	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	25
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	555,520	1945...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	93.6	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	100
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	192,636	1945...	86
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	357,690	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	113
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,418	1945...	124
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	34,533	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	69
		1945...	92
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	520,211	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	52
	1945...	1945...	51
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	179.1	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	260
	1945...	1945...	286
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	41,814	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	397
	1945...	1945...	393
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	26,655	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	663
	1945...	1945...	684
	150.06	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	385
		1945...	375
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	337
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,772	1945...	351
	1944...	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	456
	2,838	1945...	475
acres 1949...	371,970	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	44
	1944...	1945...	38
	376,222	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	113	1945...	4
	1944...		
	101	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944...	White operators.....number 1950...	2,904
	65	1945...	2,969
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
	1944...		
	36	Farms by tenure of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Full owners.....number 1950...	990
	1944...	1945...	930
	164	Part owners.....number 1950...	334
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	623	1945...	321
	1944...	Managers.....number 1950...	10
	663	1945...	29
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,400	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,570
	1944...	1945...	1,691
	1,414	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	54.1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	450	1945...	56.9
	1944...	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	92
	455	1945...	191
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,761	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	724
	1944...	1945...	461
	1,635	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	679
acres 1949...	47,399	1945...	955
1944...	47,025	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	68
		1945...	591
Cropland not harvested and not		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	69
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	214	1945...	84
	1944...	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	13
	5,127	1945...	56
	2,552	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	709	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,266
	1944...	1945...	2,235
	533	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,727
acres 1949...	37,139	1945...	2,261
	29,322	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,667
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	199	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.60
	1944...	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,158
	67	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	919
acres 1949...	4,832	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	595
1944...	1,256	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,591
Other pasture (not cropland and		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	922	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	51
	1944...	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	753
	1,326	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1,161
acres 1949...	25,864	number 1950...	1,161
1944...	43,522	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,824
Other land (house lots, roads,		number 1950...	1,856
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,799	Pack-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	381
	1944...	number 1950...	386
	2,932	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	380
acres 1949...	27,880	number 1950...	411
1944...	27,842	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	20
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
	1944...		
	2		
acres 1949...	2		
	1		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
	1944...		
	2		
acres 1949...	166		
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,774		
	1945...		
	2,836		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	113		
	1945...		
	122		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	219		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	657		
	1944...		
	552		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	218		
	1944...		
	166		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motor trucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,151	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,382
.....1945.....	669	General farms.....number 1950...	360
.....number 1950.....	1,257	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	704	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,507	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	2,559	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	4,493	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	3,566	.....number 1950.....	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,437	.....number 1950.....	192
.....number 1950.....	4,072	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	385	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,723
.....number 1950.....	391	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	214
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	1,008
.....number 1950.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	897
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,656	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	374
.....1945.....	2,802	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	147
.....number 1950.....	3,430	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	83
.....1945.....	3,515	Other farms.....number 1950...	181
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	78
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	248	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	103
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	102	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	732	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	30,713,358
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,807	.....1944.....	20,893,874
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	8,764,402
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	6,453,868
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	147	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8,304,533
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,059	.....1944.....	6,133,490
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,029	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	198,691
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	539	.....1944.....	41,234
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	50,828
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	77,515
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,939	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	210,350
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	90	.....1944.....	206,639
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	329	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	21,943,945
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	65	.....1944.....	14,425,998
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,765,926
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	1,642,556
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	569	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	921,752
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	2,066	.....1944.....	1,213,510
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	19,256,267
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		.....1944.....	11,570,932
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,011
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,607	.....1944.....	8,008
.....persons 1950.....	4,591	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,574	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	819
.....persons 1950.....	2,510	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	802
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	844	.....1945.....	2,066
.....persons 1950.....	1,201	.....number 1950.....	1,910
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	706	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	28
.....persons 1950.....	880	.....1945.....	110
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		.....number 1950...	47
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,722	.....1945.....	213
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,575	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	2,340	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,576
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	573,136	.....1945.....	2,761
.....dollars 1949...	2,030	.....number 1950...	70,749
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,351,722	.....1945.....	79,744
.....dollars 1949...	2,546	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,431
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	3,707,681	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	2,711
.....dollars 1949...	2,369	.....number 1950...	23,598
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,526	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	32,321
.....dollars 1949...	714,736	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,192
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,562	.....number 1950...	14,062
.....dollars 1949...	1,340,793	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,885
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	2,341	.....number 1950...	12,640
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	492,509	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,883
.....dollars 1949...	579,344	.....number 1950...	27,761
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,649
No sales.....number 1950...	12	.....number 1950...	6,790
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	91	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,485
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	53	.....1944.....	1,388
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	19	.....pounds 1949...	57,271,630
\$600 to \$799.....number 1950...	63	.....1944.....	56,766,613
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	53	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,628,051
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	120	.....dollars 1949...	412
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	226	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	810
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	306	.....1944.....	243,052
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	739	.....dollars 1949...	496,072
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	1,222	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	137,469
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....dollars 1949...	406
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	639	<b>HOGS</b>	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	639	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,328
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	2,442
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	184,705
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	6	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	145,462
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	9	.....number 1950...	2,286
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	88	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	88,982
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	28	.....number 1950...	1,355
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	95,723
		.....number 1950...	2,146
		.....1945.....	2,053
		.....number 1950...	39,020
		.....1945.....	30,572

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	389	Sorghums:	
1945.....	477	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	9,038	1944...	5
1945.....	18,279	acres 1949...	12
1944.....		1944...	39
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	374	1944.....	
number 1950...	5,372	acres 1949...	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	373	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	425	bushels 1949...	
number 1950...	4,893	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	6,303	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	195	acres 1949...	10
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	679	1944.....	75
number 1950...	290	tons, green weight 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	3,466	Sorghum or cans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	3,466	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1949.....	342	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	374	1944.....	5
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,029	Small grains:	
1944.....	43,486	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1944.....	53,070	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	544
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	23,701
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,358	1949...	145
1945.....	2,770	farms reporting 1949...	134
number 1950...	243,646	1944.....	134
1945.....	342,838	acres 1949...	4,090
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,849	1944.....	2,705
number 1949...	280,677	bushels 1949...	98,585
dollars 1949...	308,310	1944.....	66,350
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,990	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
dozens 1949...	1,632,873	1944.....	5
dollars 1949...	580,992	acres 1949...	497
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	12	1944.....	100
number 1950...	122	bushels 1949...	19,820
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1944.....	2,081
1944.....	9	1944.....	2,537
number 1949...	3,937	acres 1949...	2,546
1944.....	3,654	bushels 1949...	99,225
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	87,729
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949...	4,881,525
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,660	1944.....	3,386,273
dollars 1949...	19,220,248	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	22
1944.....	2,408	1944.....	22
number 1949...	2,460	acres 1949...	140
1944.....	45,688	1944.....	166
number 1949...	42,138	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	2,017	1944.....	
1944.....	37,570	acres 1949...	87
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	8,575,907	1944.....	
number 1949...	1,405	bushels 1949...	2,840
dollars 1949...	8,118	1944.....	
1944.....	602,503	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	63
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,370	1944.....	29
number 1949...	2,497	acres 1949...	625
1944.....	233,674	1944.....	253
1944.....	219,778	bushels 1949...	10,656
dollars 1949...	9,749,201	1944.....	3,405
1944.....	318	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	313	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	492
1944.....	13,588	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	988
dollars 1949...	17,001	acres 1949...	11,799
1944.....	272,719	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	19,888
number 1949...	104	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	473
1944.....	199	1944.....	904
dollars 1949...	19,918	acres 1949...	11,559
1944.....		1944.....	18,984
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	336,661
try cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,159	1944.....	452,215
1,405		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,901	acres 1949...	191
number 1949...	644	1944.....	388
1944.....	973	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	837	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	1,168	acres 1949...	35
Galves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	802	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	532	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1,064	acres 1949...	14
1944.....	785	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Hogs and pigs butchered... ..farms reporting 1949...	1,899	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
number 1949...	2,212	acres 1949...	37
1944.....	4,380	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944.....	5,518	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	37
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	446	bushels 1949...	1,190
dollars 1949...	14,676	1944.....	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
corn:		acres 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,710	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944.....	2,765	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	207,231	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944.....	215,567	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,698	acres 1949...	37
1944.....	2,740	bushels 1949...	1,190
acres 1949...	202,613	1944.....	
1944.....	208,863	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949...	12,105,962	acres 1949...	
1944.....	12,446,328	1944.....	
1944.....	169	tons 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1,526	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949...	16,109	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....		acres 1949...	
tons, green weight 1949...		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	389	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	3,092		

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,230	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	45,801	.....acres 1949.....	10
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,144	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	31
.....1944.....	623	.....acres 1949.....	1,139
.....acres 1949.....	17,184	.....1944.....	157
.....1944.....	6,273	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
.....tons 1949.....	40,247	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....1944.....	13,955	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,478	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	2,072	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	27,820	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	40,486	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	38,475	.....acres 1944.....	2
.....1944.....	60,060	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	.....acres 1949.....	4
.....1944.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	98	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	99	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
.....1944.....	.....	.....acres 1944.....	13
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	.....acres 1949.....	10
.....1944.....	7	.....1944.....	12
.....acres 1949.....	98	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	75	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	117	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	84		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	63	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	676	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	22
.....1944.....	599	.....acres 1949.....	4
.....tons 1949.....	1,082	.....quarts 1949.....	3,650
.....1944.....	552	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	23
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	22	.....acres 1949.....	9
.....acres 1949.....	386	.....quarts 1949.....	7,903
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	2,505		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	317	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,606
.....1944.....	666	.....1945.....	316
.....acres 1949.....	4,791	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	389
.....1944.....	10,910	.....1945.....	370
.....bushels 1949.....	2,668	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,387
.....1944.....	5,309	.....1945.....	1,767
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	18,621
.....acres 1949.....	35	.....1945.....	24,017
.....pounds 1949.....	900	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,104
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	93	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	15,817
.....acres 1949.....	1,054	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	40,464
.....bushels 1949.....	2,415	.....1944.....	48,496
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	884
.....acres 1949.....	10	.....1945.....	1,279
.....pounds 1949.....	750	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,888
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	7,829
.....acres 1949.....	6	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,466
.....bushels 1949.....	3	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,422
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	379	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,773
.....1944.....	997	.....1944.....	3,178
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	45	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	695
.....1944.....	162	.....1945.....	898
.....bushels 1949.....	6,015	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,295
.....1944.....	12,652	.....1945.....	2,902
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	401
.....1944.....	63	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,694
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3,010
.....1944.....	5	.....1944.....	3,305
.....bushels 1949.....	82	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	801
.....1944.....	201	.....1945.....	1,229
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,456
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	3,899
.....gallons 1949.....	50	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	735
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,721
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	16,140
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	37,539
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	376
.....acres 1949.....	18	.....1945.....	1,463
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	276	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,283
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,233	.....1945.....	1,901
.....1944.....	2,681	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	367
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	916
.....acres 1949.....	53	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	211
.....1944.....	1,978	.....1944.....	362
.....acres 1949.....	477	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	237
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	198,691	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	588
.....1944.....	41,234	.....1950.....	255
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	333
.....acres 1949.....	221	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	198
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	686
.....1944.....	9	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,140
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	5,410
.....1944.....	3	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	15,446
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	491
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,919
.....1944.....	3	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	47,942
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	600	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	131,913
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....1944.....	25
.....1944.....	4	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	176
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	2	.....1945.....	24
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	152
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	567
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	901	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	20
.....1945...	919	.....1945...	27
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	165,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	84.6	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	106,420	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	22
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	42,893	.....1945...	36
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	219	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	47
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,386	.....1945...	53
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	140,246	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	82
.....1945...	144,051	.....1945...	98
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	155.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	62
.....1945...	156.7	.....1945...	62
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	9,611	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	151
.....1945...	7,711	.....1945...	156
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A...	63.50	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	124
.....1945...	49.20	.....1945...	116
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	126
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	826	.....1945...	129
.....1944...	843	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	66
.....acres 1949...	48,818	.....1945...	63
.....1944...	47,396	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	52
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	92	.....1945...	56
.....1944...	88	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	116
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....1945...	120
.....1944...	117	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	24
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	109	.....1945...	27
.....1944...	83	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	160	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	182		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	221	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	242	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	116	White operators.....number 1950...	901
.....1944...	109	.....1945...	919
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	22	.....1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	377	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	305	Full owners.....number 1950...	523
.....acres 1949...	8,128	.....1945...	506
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	5,036	Part owners.....number 1950...	223
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	235
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	452	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	10,909	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	15,025	All tenants.....number 1950...	143
.....1944...	553	.....1945...	175
.....acres 1949...	28,225	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.9
.....1944...	26,977	.....1945...	19.0
.....1944...	467	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	20
.....acres 1949...	435	.....1945...	20
.....1944...	21,992	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	19,453	.....1945...	7
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	2-
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	512	.....1945...	123
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	529	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	76
.....acres 1949...	14,805	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	20,379	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...		.....1945...	20
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	847	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	20
.....1944...	877		
.....acres 1949...	7,369	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	9,785	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	211
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	236
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	676
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	238
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	676
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.67
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	175
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	85
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	576
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	141
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	155
		.....number 1950...	160
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	111
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	755	.....number 1950...	111
.....1945...	832	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	58	.....number 1950...	41
.....1945...	85	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
With other income of family exceeding value		.....number 1950...	20
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	215	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	21
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	385	.....number 1950...	21
.....1944...	252		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	160		
.....1944...	114		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.





Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	56	Sorghums:	
.....1945.....	67	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	1
.....number 1950.....	1,622	.....1944.....	2
.....1945.....	1,496	.....acres 1949.....	2
Sheep and lambs born before		.....1944.....	5
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	52	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1945.....	956	.....1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	49	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	61	.....1944.....	
.....number 1950.....	792	.....bushels 1949.....	
.....1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,259	.....1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	37	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1945.....	164	.....1944.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	48	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....1945.....	666	.....1944.....	2
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
.....1944.....	58	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number shorn 1949.....	907	.....acres 1949.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	7,244	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	9,001	.....tons cut 1949.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	765	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....1945.....	858	.....acres 1949.....	45
.....number 1950.....	78,398	.....bushels 1949.....	740
.....1945.....	104,459	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	279
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	529	.....1944.....	296
.....number 1949.....	40,785	.....acres 1949.....	7,263
.....dollars 1949.....	42,250	.....1944.....	6,350
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	653	.....bushels 1949.....	152,088
.....dozens 1949.....	410,702	.....1944.....	117,525
.....dollars 1949.....	143,450	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	18	.....1944.....	
.....number 1950.....	89	.....acres 1949.....	51
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	18	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	28	.....bushels 1949.....	1,010
.....number 1949.....	556	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	1,790	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	198
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		.....acres 1949.....	155
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		.....bushels 1949.....	2,136
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	766	.....1944.....	1,507
.....dollars 1949.....	1,791,550	.....bushels 1949.....	46,439
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	534	.....1944.....	31,699
.....1944.....	580	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	38
.....number 1949.....	3,490	.....1944.....	91
.....1944.....	3,893	.....acres 1949.....	225
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	362	.....1944.....	620
.....number 1949.....	2,368	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
.....dollars 1949.....	393,016	.....1944.....	24
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	339	.....acres 1949.....	58
.....number 1949.....	1,122	.....1944.....	129
.....dollars 1949.....	97,019	.....bushels 1949.....	1,760
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	711	.....1944.....	2,857
.....1944.....	710	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
.....number 1949.....	33,035	.....1944.....	4
.....1944.....	32,120	.....acres 1949.....	30
.....dollars 1949.....	1,282,694	.....1944.....	31
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	47	.....bushels 1949.....	412
.....1944.....	52	.....1944.....	530
.....number 1949.....	793	Annual legumes:	
.....1944.....	1,188	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	186
.....dollars 1949.....	12,849	.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	243
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	81	.....acres 1949.....	4,715
.....number 1949.....	121	.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	3,421
.....dollars 1949.....	5,972	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	171
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		.....1944.....	141
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	700	.....acres 1949.....	4,585
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	276	.....1944.....	2,548
.....number 1949.....	316	.....bushels 1949.....	102,921
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	84	.....1944.....	46,502
.....1944.....	233	.....acres 1949.....	14
.....number 1949.....	97	.....bushels 1949.....	81
.....1944.....	240	.....1944.....	119
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	200	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	67	.....acres 1949.....	
.....number 1949.....	219	.....tons 1949.....	
.....1944.....	68	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	686	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944.....	797	.....acres 1949.....	4
.....number 1949.....	2,063	Soybeans plowed under for green	
.....1944.....	2,643	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		.....acres 1949.....	45
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	179	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	78
.....dollars 1949.....	8,258	.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	82
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		.....acres 1949.....	634
Corn:		.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	599
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	743	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....1944.....	757	.....1944.....	22
.....acres 1949.....	21,167	.....acres 1949.....	66
.....1944.....	19,887	.....bushels 1949.....	468
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	717	.....1944.....	2,242
.....1944.....	756	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	44
.....acres 1949.....	20,789	.....acres 1949.....	216
.....1944.....	19,786	.....tons 1949.....	245
.....bushels 1949.....	920,559	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....1944.....	950,118	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....acres 1949.....	34
.....acres 1949.....	204	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
.....1944.....	1,495	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		.....acres 1949.....	318
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	35		
.....acres 1949.....	174		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949....	566	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949....	1
acres 1949.....	5,659	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949....	485	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949....	3
1944.....	454	acres 1949....	2
acres 1949....	3,604	acres 1949....	1
1944.....	2,790	1944.....	1
tons 1949....	8,996	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949....	2
1944.....	7,505	acres 1949....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	257	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949....	
acres 1949....	1,246	acres 1949....	
1944.....	1,870	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949....	2
tons 1949....	1,684	acres 1949....	(*)
1944.....	2,701	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949....	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	25	acres 1949....	
1944.....	7	1944.....	
acres 1949....	118	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949....	
1944.....	24	acres 1949....	
tons 1949....	159	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949....	
1944.....	21	acres 1949....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	69	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949....	2
1944.....	21	acres 1949....	4
acres 1949....	521	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	102	acres 1949....	5
tons 1949....	483	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949....	
1944.....	74	acres 1949....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	35	Other vegetables.....acres 1949....	
acres 1949....	253	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	186	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949....	13
tons 1949....	322	acres 1949....	3
1944.....	254	quarts 1949....	3,468
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949....	1	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949....	6
acres 1949....	8	acres 1949....	2
tons, green weight 1949....	30	quarts 1949....	945
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	16	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950....	539
1944.....	103	1945....	444
acres 1949....	128	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ....	6,940
bushels 1949....	927	1945....	9,674
1944.....	59	Apples.....farms reporting 1950....	367
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	1	1945....	459
acres 1949....	60	trees of all ages, number 1950....	229,663
pounds 1949....	15,000	1945....	353,047
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	1	trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	28,305
acres 1949....	5	trees of bearing age, number 1950....	201,358
bushels 1949....	16	quantity harvested, bushels 1949....	1,169,908
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....		1944.....	406,437
acres 1949....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950....	412
pounds 1949....		1945....	524
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	2	trees of all ages, number 1950....	35,927
acres 1949....	9	1945....	32,869
bushels 1949....	7	trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	6,703
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	311	trees of bearing age, number 1950....	29,224
1944.....	537	quantity harvested, bushels 1949....	26,948
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ....	53	1944.....	5,633
bushels 1949....	132	1945....	184
1944.....	7,743	Pears.....farms reporting 1950....	283
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	39	trees of all ages, number 1950....	1,200
1944.....	27	1945....	1,395
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ....	(*)	trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	46
bushels 1949....	119	trees of bearing age, number 1950....	1,114
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949....	173	quantity harvested, bushels 1949....	2,488
acres 1949....	1	1944.....	2,901
gallons 1949....	1	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950....	295
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	50	1945....	447
acres 1949....		trees of all ages, number 1950....	2,462
lb. of brush 1949....		1945....	2,528
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	7	trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	1,372
acres 1949....	(*)	trees of bearing age, number 1950....	1,050
100 lb. ear corn 1949....	12	quantity harvested, pounds 1949....	24,175
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949....	698	1944.....	36,963
1944.....	852	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950....	202
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	3	1945....	262
1944.....	10	trees of all ages, number 1950....	1,274
acres 1949....	1	1945....	1,484
1944.....	25	trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	260
sold, dollars 1949....	34	trees of bearing age, number 1950....	1,011
1944.....	1,100	quantity harvested, bushels 1949....	365
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949....	1	1944.....	517
acres 1949....	(*)	1945....	71
1944.....	2	trees of all ages, number 1950....	266
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949....	3	trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	86
acres 1949....	(*)	trees of bearing age, number 1950....	180
1944.....	7	quantity harvested, bushels 1949....	151
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950....	173
acres 1949....	(*)	1945....	286
1944.....	3	vines of all ages, number 1950....	1,571
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949....	3	1945....	2,703
acres 1949....	(*)	vines not of bearing age, number 1950....	215
1944.....		vines of bearing age, number 1950....	1,356
Cantaloupe and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949....		quantity harvested, pounds 1949....	9,541
acres 1949....		1944.....	22,385
		Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950....	43
		1945....	33
		trees of all ages, number 1950....	2,746
		1945....	799
		trees not of bearing age, number 1950....	911
		trees of bearing age, number 1950....	1,835
		quantity harvested, pounds 1949....	14,283
		1944.....	3,775

or 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
 or 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
 sorted 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,545	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	64
.....1945...	1,608	.....1945...	61
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	299,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	87.4	.....1945...	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	125,808	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	55
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	142,507	.....1945...	58
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,564	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	55
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,090	.....1945...	57
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	261,789	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	53
.....1945...	269,788	.....1945...	59
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	169.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	39
.....1945...	167.8	.....1945...	36
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	26,589	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	168
.....1945...	16,213	.....1945...	196
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	150.22	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	241
.....1945...	96.63	.....1945...	257
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	376
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,472	.....1945...	362
.....1944...	1,552	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	193
acres 1949...	154,053	.....1945...	198
.....1944...	153,502	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	128
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	68	.....1945...	144
.....1944...	84	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	204
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	47	.....1945...	213
.....1944...	52	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	20
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	43	.....1945...	23
.....1944...	43	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	4
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	102	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	130	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	515	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	546	White operators.....number 1950...	1,545
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	585	.....1945...	1,607
.....1944...	576	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	112	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	108	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078	Full owners.....number 1950...	737
.....1944...	1,085	.....1945...	724
acres 1949...	35,788	Part owners.....number 1950...	120
.....1944...	40,808	.....1945...	132
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	15
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	148	.....1945...	24
acres 1949...	3,577	All tenants.....number 1950...	673
.....1944...	5,100	.....1945...	728
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	409	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	43.6
.....1944...	375	.....1945...	45.3
acres 1949...	14,241	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	110
.....1944...	11,932	.....1945...	177
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	197	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	67
.....1944...	193	.....1945...	26
acres 1949...	4,311	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	462
.....1944...	3,748	.....1945...	459
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	22
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	802	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	440
.....1944...	941	.....1945...	34
acres 1949...	34,042	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	66
.....1944...	40,748	.....1945...	4
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	30
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,503	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	1,593	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,371
acres 1949...	15,777	.....1945...	1,296
.....1944...	13,950	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,471
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,022
.....1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,461
acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.89
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,215
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	577
.....1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	510
acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,420
.....1944...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	591
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,475	.....1945...	791
.....1945...	1,507	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	373
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	53	.....1945...	379
.....1945...	80	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	893
With other income of family exceeding value		.....1945...	902
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	114	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	218
.....1944...	354	.....1945...	218
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	209	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	513
.....1944...	154	.....1945...	569
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	105	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1944...	105	.....1945...	21

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	529	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,052
1945.....	324	General farms.....number 1950...	105
number 1945.....	338	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	10
1945.....	1,356	Primarily.....number 1950...	52
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,212	Crop and live.....number 1950...	43
1945.....	2,182	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	120
1945.....	1,454		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,346	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
number 1950.....	2,099	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,425
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	52	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	88
number 1950.....	52	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	373
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	466
number 1950.....	31	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	335
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,446	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	105
1945.....	1,459	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	53
number 1950.....	1,825	Other farms.....number 1950...	120
1945.....	1,782	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	24
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	96
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	139	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	
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...	59	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	593	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,162,738
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	749	1944.....	9,369,777
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,003,855
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>4</sup></b>		1944.....	477,635
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	823,180
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	61	1944.....	391,063
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	688	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	175,220
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	599	1944.....	76,956
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	165	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,355
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	1944.....	2,316
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,100
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,014	1944.....	300
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	52	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,154,557
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	599	1944.....	8,889,451
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	156	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,154,249
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	20	1944.....	1,697,017
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	858,686
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	348	1944.....	625,972
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,076	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	11,141,622
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	86	1944.....	6,566,462
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>4</sup></b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,322
Week preceding enumeration:		1944.....	2,691
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,440	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
persons 1950.....	2,582	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	735
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,422	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	720
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,362	1945.....	1,340
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	609	number 1950.....	1,765
persons 1950.....	851	1945.....	4,420
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	290	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	34
persons 1950.....	369	1945.....	63
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>4</sup></b>		number 1950.....	61
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,467	1945.....	116
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,297	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,222	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,427
dollars 1949.....	352,826	1945.....	1,484
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,012	number 1950.....	50,765
dollars 1949.....	994,286	1945.....	56,292
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,430	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,351
dollars 1949.....	2,404,729	1945.....	1,457
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,280	number 1950.....	17,194
dollars 1949.....	3,878,160	1945.....	22,083
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,330	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,284
dollars 1949.....	316,402	number 1950.....	14,397
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,397	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,125
dollars 1949.....	640,928	number 1950.....	10,940
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,187	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	984
dollars 1949.....	211,382	number 1950.....	18,019
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,266	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	973
dollars 1949.....	230,322	number 1950.....	4,513
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,068
No sales.....number 1950.....	16	1944.....	1,002
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	80	pounds 1949.....	66,704,506
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	11	1944.....	62,871,958
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	21	dollars 1949.....	2,098,632
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	27	1944.....	114
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	43	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	243
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	80	number 1950.....	99,112
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	216	pounds of butterfat 1944.....	249,819
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	221	dollars 1949.....	55,611
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	364	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	466	dollars 1949.....	6
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	29	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,306
Cash grain.....number 1950.....	29	1945.....	1,331
Cotton.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	84,715
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		1945.....	68,313
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	7	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,285
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	41,951
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	225	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	673
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	7	number 1950.....	42,764
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,186
		1945.....	1,107
		number 1950.....	20,561
		1945.....	15,425

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	208	Sorghums:	
1945.....	287	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	5,700	1944.....	1
1945.....	5,470	acres 1949.....	4
		1944.....	40
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	205	1944.....	
number 1950.....	3,764	acres 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	203	1944.....	
1945.....	280	bushels 1949.....	
number 1950.....	3,081	1944.....	
1945.....	4,038	tons 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	122	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
number 1950.....	683	1944.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	acres 1949.....	4
number 1950.....	1,936	tons, green weight 1949.....	65
1949.....	192	ghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	263	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number shorn 1949.....	3,303	1944.....	
1949.....	27,830	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	32,039	tons cut 1949.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,258	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1945.....	1,433	acres 1949.....	381
number 1950.....	155,355	bushels 1949.....	13,200
1945.....	202,853	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	39
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	923	1944.....	31
number 1949.....	117,095	acres 1949.....	535
dollars 1949.....	131,156	1944.....	422
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,057	bushels 1949.....	13,760
1944.....	1,126,861	1944.....	9,033
dollars 1949.....	411,587	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950.....	5	1944.....	11
number 1950.....	32	acres 1949.....	16
1949.....	9	1944.....	48
1944.....	15	bushels 1949.....	301
number 1949.....	39,219	1944.....	837
1944.....	10,592	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,335
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	1,361
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	44,817
alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,445	1944.....	41,124
dollars 1949.....	11,114,510	bushels 1949.....	2,087,860
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,357	1944.....	1,458,155
1944.....	1,359	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949.....	18
number 1949.....	33,951	1944.....	13
1944.....	29,757	acres 1949.....	214
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949.....	1,104	1944.....	142
number 1949.....	27,950	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
dollars 1949.....	5,965,075	1944.....	6
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	894	acres 1949.....	175
number 1949.....	6,001	1944.....	84
dollars 1949.....	309,869	bushels 1949.....	7,735
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,316	1944.....	2,325
1944.....	1,362	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	34
number 1949.....	117,422	1944.....	29
1944.....	112,176	acres 1949.....	907
dollars 1949.....	4,753,230	1944.....	888
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	170	bushels 1949.....	11,178
1944.....	194	1944.....	10,555
number 1949.....	3,797	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	4,316	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	59
dollars 1949.....	74,558	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	156
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	85	acres 1949.....	657
number 1949.....	162	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,312
dollars 1949.....	11,778	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	28
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	102
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,196	acres 1949.....	366
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	681	1944.....	1,788
number 1949.....	812	bushels 1949.....	7,197
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949.....	554	1944.....	23,731
1944.....	765	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	35
number 1949.....	652	acres 1949.....	247
1944.....	834	tons 1949.....	455
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	142	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	37	for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
number 1949.....	160	acres 1949.....	16
1944.....	43	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,113	manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....	1,246	acres 1949.....	28
number 1949.....	2,582	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	3,073	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949.....	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	302	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	12,931	1944.....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres 1949.....	
Corn:		Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,405	1944.....	
1944.....	1,480	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	68,544	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
1944.....	69,581	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,400	1944.....	
1944.....	1,473	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	64,119	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
1944.....	66,458	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	4,197,694	1944.....	
1944.....	4,280,053	acres 1949.....	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	354	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	2,894	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949.....	31,074	for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949.....	219	manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,531	acres 1949.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,326	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949.....	35,055	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	801	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	27
.....1944.....	476	.....1944.....	82
.....acres 1949.....	15,441	.....acres 1949.....	1,875
.....tons 1949.....	6,709	.....1944.....	1,011
.....1944.....	35,533	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944.....	15,743	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	828	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	1,205	.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	18,039	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	29,120	.....acres 1949.....	
.....tons 1949.....	23,565	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	32
.....1944.....	50,906	.....1944.....	29
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	1,028
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	342
.....acres 1949.....		Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	1
.....tons 1949.....		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
.....1944.....	1	.....1944.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	145	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	9	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	22
.....tons 1949.....	163	.....acres 1949.....	218
.....1944.....	14	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	416	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	19
.....1944.....	139	.....acres 1949.....	3
.....tons 1949.....	619	.....quarts 1949.....	4,547
.....1944.....	213	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	10
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	32	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	669	.....quarts 1949.....	834
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	2,403	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	775
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	163	.....1945.....	159
.....1944.....	323	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	75
.....acres 1949.....	2,474	.....acres 1945.....	78
.....1944.....	5,150	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	698
.....bushels 1949.....	1,578	.....1945.....	772
.....1944.....	3,713	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5,404
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	5,665
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,185
.....pounds 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,218
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	7,914
.....acres 1949.....	302	.....1944.....	2,609
.....bushels 1949.....	732	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	161
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	150
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	532
.....pounds 1949.....		.....1945.....	526
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	207
.....acres 1949.....	20	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	321
.....bushels 1949.....	6	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	138
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	394	.....1944.....	130
.....1944.....	923	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	282
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	70	.....1945.....	252
.....1944.....	266	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	609
.....bushels 1949.....	7,700	.....1945.....	538
.....1944.....	20,982	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	145
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	12	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	463
.....1944.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,024
.....acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	(*)	.....1944.....	641
.....1944.....		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	333
.....bushels 1949.....	24	.....1945.....	334
.....1944.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	884
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945.....	985
.....acres 1949.....	4	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	264
.....gallons 1949.....	148	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	620
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	5,348
.....acres 1949.....		.....1944.....	4,413
.....lb. of brush 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	185
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	.....1945.....	137
.....acres 1949.....	77	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	727
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	258	.....1945.....	480
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,159	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	117
.....1944.....	1,451	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	610
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	143	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	283
.....acres 1949.....	3,215	.....1944.....	19
.....1944.....	1,669	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	32
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	175,220	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	30
.....1944.....	76,956	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	76
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	24
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	20
.....1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	353
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945.....	335
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,628
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	2,031
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	267
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,361
.....1944.....		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	15,695
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1944.....	24,838
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	14
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	54
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	54
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	385
.....acres 1949.....	30	.....1944.....	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.

<sup>2</sup>For 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	932	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	43
.....1945...	946	.....1945...	31
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	236,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	90.6	.....1945.....	4
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	104,967	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	35
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	131,614	.....1945.....	27
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,866	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	42
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,866	.....1945.....	55
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,866	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	38
.....1945.....		.....1945.....	32
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	214,554	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	19
.....1945.....	219,058	.....1945.....	37
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	230.2	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	63
.....1945.....	231.6	.....1945.....	54
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	38,128	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	103
.....1945.....	21,835	.....1945.....	92
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	161.16	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	123
.....1945.....	94.30	.....1945.....	129
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	103
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	857	.....1945.....	111
.....1944.....	866	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	111
.....acres 1949.....	140,065	.....1945.....	234
.....1944.....	132,925	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	233
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....1945.....	53
.....1944.....	29	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	51
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....1945.....	10
.....1944.....	37	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	27	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	33	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	172	White operators.....number 1950...	932
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	176	.....1945.....	946
.....1944.....	310	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	338	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	241	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	213	Full owners.....number 1950...	355
.....1944.....	317	.....1945.....	333
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	210	Part owners.....number 1950...	186
.....acres 1949.....	7,758	.....1945.....	176
.....1944.....	4,703	Managers.....number 1950...	3
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	3
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	221	All tenants.....number 1950...	388
.....acres 1949.....	6,065	.....1945.....	434
.....1944.....	12,966	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	41.6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	344	.....1945.....	45.9
.....acres 1949.....	304	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....1944.....	18,706	.....1945.....	16
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	221	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	186
.....acres 1949.....	209	.....1945.....	110
.....1944.....	8,353	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	168
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945.....	287
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	462	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	142
.....acres 1949.....	716	.....1945.....	26
.....1944.....	19,807	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	13
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	21
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	890	.....1945.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	913	Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944.....	13,800	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	91	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>	
.....acres 1949.....	126	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	539
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	271	.....1945.....	521
.....acres 1949.....	198	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	759
.....1944.....	105	.....1945.....	366
FARM OPERATORS		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	754
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	854	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.38
.....1945.....	845	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	396
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	69	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	179
.....1945.....	91	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	224
With other income of family exceeding value		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	680
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	126	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	251
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	271	.....1945.....	5
.....1944.....	198	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	21
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	105	Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	475
.....1944.....	68	Grain combines.....number 1950...	544
		.....1945.....	452
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	467
		.....1945.....	66
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	66
		.....1945.....	66
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	38
		.....1945.....	38
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		.....1945.....	35

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b> —Continued		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b> —Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	524	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	242
.....farms reporting 1945.....	362	General farms.....number 1950.....	66
.....number 1950.....	583	.....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1945.....	390	.....number 1950.....	15
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	760	.....number 1950.....	46
.....farms reporting 1945.....	697	.....number 1950.....	105
.....number 1950.....	1,374	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	105
.....number 1945.....	1,005		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	735	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,258	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	837
.....number 1950.....	98	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	103
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	98	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	265
.....farms reporting 1945.....	15	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	257
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	91
.....farms reporting 1945.....	790	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	91
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	816	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	30
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,023	Other farms.....number 1950.....	95
.....number 1950.....	1,005	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	34
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	61
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	97	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
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.....	51	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	406	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,512,454
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	373	.....dollars 1944.....	6,101,414
		.....dollars 1949.....	5,633,999
		.....dollars 1944.....	3,247,557
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,536,960
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	3,182,665
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	48,200
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	342	.....dollars 1944.....	29,125
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	359	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,739
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	133	.....dollars 1944.....	4,248
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	45,100
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	31,519
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	361	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,869,424
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	.....dollars 1944.....	2,841,177
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	238	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	178,204
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	.....dollars 1944.....	190,974
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	241,632
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	238,702
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	197	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,449,588
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	437	.....dollars 1944.....	2,411,501
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	240	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,031
		.....dollars 1944.....	12,680
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	454
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	795	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	443
.....persons 1950.....	1,442	.....farms reporting 1945.....	704
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	776	.....number 1950.....	1,193
Operators.....persons 1950.....	750	.....number 1945.....	2,319
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	244	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	37
.....persons 1950.....	367	.....farms reporting 1945.....	177
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	224	.....number 1950.....	775
.....persons 1950.....	325	.....number 1945.....	401
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	855	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	791
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	725	.....farms reporting 1945.....	838
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	634	.....number 1950.....	13,303
dollars 1949.....	173,587	.....number 1945.....	15,418
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	545	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	774
dollars 1949.....	404,566	.....farms reporting 1945.....	817
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	787	.....number 1950.....	5,606
dollars 1949.....	787,813	.....number 1945.....	6,724
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	721	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	726
dollars 1949.....	1,126,813	.....number 1950.....	3,123
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	739	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	478
dollars 1949.....	196,080	.....number 1950.....	2,375
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	755	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	444
dollars 1949.....	480,134	.....number 1950.....	3,460
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	658	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	495
dollars 1949.....	134,628	.....number 1950.....	1,862
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	672	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	125
dollars 1949.....	181,676	.....farms reporting 1944.....	168
		.....pounds 1949.....	2,873,654
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....pounds 1944.....	3,359,676
No sales.....number 1950.....	9	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	98,730
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	52	.....farms reporting 1944.....	340
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	15	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	452
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	5	.....pounds 1944.....	142,084
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	5	.....pounds 1944.....	202,755
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	25	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	73,515
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	30	.....farms reporting 1944.....	7
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	80	.....dollars 1949.....	959
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	52		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	93	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	203	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	694
	368	.....farms reporting 1945.....	737
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950.....	36,207
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	494	.....number 1945.....	28,434
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	494	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	677
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	18,384
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	489
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	17,623
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	590
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	261
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	15	.....number 1950.....	5,502
		.....number 1945.....	4,424

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



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	117	Sorghums:	
1945.....	158	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	2,441	1944.....	1
1945.....	2,049	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	1944.....	4
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	115	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	1,468	1949.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	113	acres 1949.....	.....
1945.....	150	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	1,350	bushels 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,824	1944.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	69	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	118	acres 1949.....	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	90	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	973	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
1945.....	107	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	148	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	148	acres 1949.....	.....
number shorn 1949.....	1,367	1944.....	.....
1944.....	10,501	tons cut 1949.....	.....
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	16,095		
1944.....	.....		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	791	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1945.....	856	acres 1949.....	196
number 1950.....	77,621	bushels 1949.....	3,481
1945.....	103,830	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	555
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	549	acres 1949.....	23,023
number 1949.....	65,021	1944.....	14,576
dollars 1949.....	68,496	bushels 1949.....	661,016
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	619	1944.....	298,973
dozens 1949.....	436,694		
dollars 1949.....	155,744	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	6	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	15	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	11	1944.....	.....
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	3	bushels 1949.....	.....
number 1949.....	2,546	1944.....	.....
1944.....	104	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	527
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres 1949.....	406
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	12,756
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	801	1944.....	9,461
dollars 1949.....	3,441,767	bushels 1949.....	538,905
1949.....	678	1944.....	229,666
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	695		
1944.....	9,948	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949.....	11,165	1944.....	64
1944.....	503	acres 1949.....	371
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	7,825	1944.....	754
number 1949.....	1,489,224	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949.....	446	acres 1949.....	33
1944.....	2,123	1944.....	.....
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	187,557	bushels 1949.....	900
number 1949.....	703	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949.....	754	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	162
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	43,285	1944.....	144
number 1949.....	45,167	acres 1949.....	4,595
1944.....	1,737,059	1944.....	4,058
dollars 1949.....	99	bushels 1949.....	55,752
1944.....	125	1944.....	40,626
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,128		
number 1949.....	1,697	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	19,564	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	656
dollars 1949.....	76	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	696
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	312	acres 1949.....	32,018
number 1949.....	12,353	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	37,901
dollars 1949.....	.....		
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	654
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	654	1944.....	679
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	270	acres 1949.....	31,878
number 1949.....	303	1944.....	36,969
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	86	bushels 1949.....	856,489
1944.....	134	1944.....	820,028
number 1949.....	97	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	146	acres 1949.....	51
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	185	tons 1949.....	64
1944.....	207		
number 1949.....	206	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	228	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Logs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	623	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	763	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	1,648	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	2,422	acres 1949.....	86
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	95
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	83	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	135
dollars 1949.....	2,755	acres 1949.....	1,649
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,354
Corn:		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	48
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	819	acres 1949.....	75
1944.....	824	1944.....	669
acres 1949.....	58,430	bushels 1949.....	2,606
1944.....	54,788	1944.....	5,135
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	817	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	36
1944.....	818	acres 1949.....	343
acres 1949.....	57,250	tons 1949.....	297
1944.....	54,201	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
bushels 1949.....	3,208,542	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	2,578,651	acres 1949.....	73
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949.....	342	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1944.....	3,605	acres 1949.....	564
tons..green weight 1949.....	.....		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	75		
acres 1949.....	838		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	452	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	7,680	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	311	1944.....	12
acres 1949.....	242	1944.....	16
1944.....	3,365	acres 1949.....	51
tons 1949.....	1,776	1944.....	41
1944.....	6,625	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	3,686	acres 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	212	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	337	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	3,925	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	5,749	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	3,881	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	6,748	1944.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	4	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	55	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	31	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	60	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	48	acres 1949.....	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1944.....	11
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	100	1944.....	5
1944.....	12	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	45
tons 1949.....	110	acres 1949.....	260
1944.....	6	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	5
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	18		
acres 1949.....	246	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	161	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	10
tons 1949.....	246	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	200	quarts 1949.....	11,579
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	10	acres 1949.....	1
tons..green weight 1949...	40	quarts 1949...	452
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	68	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	225	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	467
acres 1949...	1,142	1945...	64
1944.....	4,170	acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> ...	60
bushels 1949...	520	1945...	75
1944.....	3,946	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	137
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,447
acres 1949...	74	1945...	2,957
pounds 1949...	11,740	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	938
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,509
acres 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,585
bushels 1949...	.....	1944...	837
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	363
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	326
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,997
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	3,231
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	974
bushels 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,023
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,411
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	164	1944...	250
1944.....	212	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	192
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	12	1945...	244
1944.....	81	trees of all ages..number 1950...	480
bushels 1949...	2,588	1945...	664
1944.....	5,588	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	95
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	385
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	45	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	676
1944.....	46	1944...	1,236
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	12	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	227
1944.....	42	1945...	301
bushels 1949...	1,687	trees of all ages..number 1950...	737
1944.....	3,692	1945...	1,113
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	181
acres 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	556
gallons 1949...	180	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,140
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944...	11,720
acres 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	128
lb. of brush 1949...	.....	1945...	149
Popecorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees of all ages..number 1950...	488
acres 1949...	11	1945...	1,811
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	88	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	84
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	404
Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	653	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	132
1944.....	809	1944...	298
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	154
1944.....	77	trees of all ages..number 1950...	520
acres 1949...	528	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	135
1944.....	375	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	385
acres 1949...	48,200	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	206
1944.....	29,125	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	184
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	282
acres 1949...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,136
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	2,197
1944.....	4	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	120
acres 1949...	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,016
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,781
acres 1949...	.....	1944...	25,297
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	17
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	12
Cabbages.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	107
1944.....	2	1945...	234
acres 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	24
1944.....	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	83
acres 1949...	33	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	560
1944.....	198	1944...	153

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,108	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	203
.....1945...	3,267	.....1945...	235
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	640,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	44
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	94.5	.....1945...	23
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	207,196	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	159
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	453,381	.....1945...	212
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,478	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	120
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	59,155	.....1945...	146
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	604,900	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	73
.....1945...	616,030	.....1945...	73
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	194.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	37
.....1945...	188.6	.....1945...	43
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	65,170	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	250
.....1945...	42,707	.....1945...	276
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	325.87	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	289
.....1945...	226.49	.....1945...	322
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	598
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,897	.....1945...	646
.....1944...	3,032	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	444
.....acres 1949...	515,931	.....1945...	431
.....1944...	519,977	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	378
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	114	.....1945...	367
.....1944...	125	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	625
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	40	.....1945...	647
.....1944...	42	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	86
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1945...	77
.....1944...	39	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	70	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	70		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	386	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	411	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271	White operators.....number 1950...	3,107
.....1944...	1,374	.....1945...	3,264
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	990	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	971	.....1945...	3
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,812	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,352	Full owners.....number 1950...	793
.....acres 1949...	37,373	.....1945...	853
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	30,671	Part owners.....number 1950...	757
.....1949...	168	.....1945...	635
.....acres 1949...	3,452	Managers.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	1,470	.....1945...	35
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	303	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,550
.....1944...	267	.....1945...	1,744
.....acres 1949...	9,250	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	49.9
.....1944...	9,831	.....1945...	52.4
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	63
.....1944...	60	.....1945...	82
.....acres 1949...	1,346	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	935
.....1944...	1,249	.....1945...	84
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	848	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	488
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,741	.....1945...	1,517
.....acres 1949...	14,634	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	345
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	31,227	.....1945...	143
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,901	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	64
.....1944...	3,157	.....1945...	61
.....acres 1949...	22,914	Other tenants.....number 1950...	12
.....1944...	21,605	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	52
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	4	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	4	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,372
.....acres 1949...	1.5	.....1945...	2,271
.....1944...	1.5	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	3,007
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	2,362
.....acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,992
		.....1945...	13,118
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	2,567
		.....1945...	1,273
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,273
		.....1945...	1,298
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,298
		.....1945...	2,841
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,380
		.....1945...	27
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	368
		.....1945...	1,591
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,662
		.....1945...	1,876
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	2,008
		.....1945...	236
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	236
		.....1945...	176
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	230
		.....1945...	15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	15
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	15
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	15
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	15

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,701	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	210
.....1945.....	1,217	General farms.....number 1950...	148
.....number 1950.....	1,941	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	34
.....1945.....	1,299	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	114
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,751	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	213
.....1945.....	2,765	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	213
.....number 1950.....	5,708		
.....1945.....	4,308		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,691		
.....number 1950.....	5,011		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	602		
.....number 1950.....	625		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	71		
.....number 1950.....	72		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,986		
.....1945.....	3,073		
.....number 1950.....	3,775		
.....1945.....	3,798		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	353		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	19		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	49		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	467		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,220		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>2</sup></b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,900
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	201	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	144
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,378	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	1,205
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	886	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	988
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	622	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	390
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	96
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	74
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,625	Other farms.....number 1950...	208
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Part-time <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	107
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	638	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	100
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	145	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	983		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,628		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	446		
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>3</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	32,203,072
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,807	.....1944.....	24,603,660
.....persons 1950.....	4,894	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	23,813,693
.....1944.....	2,746	.....1944.....	17,627,958
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,670	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	22,643,391
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,670	.....1944.....	17,534,099
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	899	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	108,047
.....persons 1950.....	1,269	.....1944.....	34,492
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	702	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	12,376
.....persons 1950.....	955	.....1944.....	32,105
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	49,666
		.....1944.....	27,285
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,385,387
		.....1944.....	6,972,077
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,287,260
		.....1944.....	1,295,638
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,038,284
		.....1944.....	943,116
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	6,059,823
		.....1944.....	4,733,323
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,025
		.....1944.....	3,625
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	572
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	552
		.....1945.....	1,601
		.....number 1950.....	1,241
		.....1945.....	4,677
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		.....1945.....	112
		.....number 1950.....	54
		.....1945.....	209
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,608
		.....1945.....	2,953
		.....number 1950.....	42,022
		.....1945.....	48,192
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,514
		.....1945 <sup>4</sup> .....	2,876
		.....number 1950.....	17,698
		.....1945 <sup>4</sup> .....	22,442
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,263
		.....number 1950.....	11,410
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,962
		.....number 1950.....	9,691
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,692
		.....number 1950.....	10,357
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,375
		.....number 1950.....	5,166
		.....farms reporting 1949...	923
		.....1944.....	1,138
		.....pounds 1949...	28,867,550
		.....1944.....	35,734,891
		.....dollars 1949...	1,028,214
		.....farms reporting 1949...	877
		.....1944.....	1,299
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	456,062
		.....1944.....	722,671
		.....dollars 1949...	257,632
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		.....dollars 1949...	1,434
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,878
		.....1945.....	2,276
		.....number 1950.....	56,714
		.....1945.....	52,480
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,792
		.....number 1950.....	27,799
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,120
		.....number 1950.....	28,915
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,553
		.....1945.....	1,683
		.....number 1950.....	9,684
		.....1945.....	9,412

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	541	Sorghums:	
1945.....	523	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	11,754	1944.....	3
1945.....	9,352	acres 1949.....	6
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	21
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	532	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	7,276	1944.....	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	529	acres 1949.....	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	499	1944.....	5
number 1950.....	6,474	bushels 1949.....	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	6,365	1944.....	1
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	303	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	802	1944.....	3
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	424	acres 1949.....	20
number 1950.....	4,478	tons..green weight 1949...	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	466	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	476	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949...	6,051	acres 1949.....	3
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	49,147	1944.....	
1944.....	59,420	tons cut 1949.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,496	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1945.....	2,958	acres 1949.....	340
number 1950...	240,055	bushels 1949.....	14,810
1945.....	352,970	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	657
chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,931	1944.....	160
number 1949.....	246,516	acres 1949.....	22,641
dollars 1949.....	282,974	1944.....	4,354
chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,148	bushels 1949.....	682,919
dozens 1949.....	1,623,007	1944.....	99,327
dollars 1949.....	632,660	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	25	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	176	acres 1949.....	333
1944.....	47	1944.....	52
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	51	bushels 1949.....	11,024
1944.....	15,017	1944.....	650
number 1949.....	1,704	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2,455
1944.....		1944.....	2,268
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres 1949.....	95,537
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949.....	63,988
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,575	1944.....	3,533,108
dollars 1949.....	6,019,124	1944.....	1,970,750
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,261	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	84
1944.....	2,512	1944.....	89
number 1949.....	20,133	acres 1949.....	580
1944.....	24,107	1944.....	1,259
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,797	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949.....	14,279	1944.....	3
dollars 1949.....	2,674,344	acres 1949.....	43
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,443	1944.....	24
number 1949.....	5,854	bushels 1949.....	1,906
dollars 1949.....	395,641	1944.....	318
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,930	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	2,365	1944.....	22
number 1949.....	70,144	acres 1949.....	140
1944.....	89,721	1944.....	144
dollars 1949.....	2,776,295	bushels 1949.....	2,557
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	442	1944.....	2,036
1944.....	370	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	7,873	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,337
1944.....	7,344	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,753
dollars 1949.....	156,916	acres 1949.....	121,423
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	89	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	187,363
number 1949.....	282	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2,296
dollars 1949.....	15,928	1944.....	2,705
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		acres 1949.....	119,851
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,050	1944.....	183,671
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,176	bushels 1949.....	3,192,854
number 1949.....	1,388	1944.....	4,317,018
604		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	323
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,213	acres 1949.....	1,450
1944.....	692	1944.....	2,639
number 1949.....	1,415	tons 1949.....	
1944.....	594	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	301	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949.....	696	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	349	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,761	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	2,406	acres 1949.....	116
number 1949.....	3,808	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	6,004	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949.....	10
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	460	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
dollars 1949.....	18,836	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres 1949.....	
Corn:		1944.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,819	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2,957	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
acres 1949.....	255,965	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	237,220	acres 1949.....	10
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,812	1944.....	20
1944.....	2,942	tons 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	254,383	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	231,897	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949.....	14,572,193	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	11,969,467	1944.....	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	93	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949.....	856	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	7,892	acres 1949.....	
tons..green weight 1949...			
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	132		
acres 1949.....	726		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,179	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	15,677	acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	743	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	93
1944...	5'6	acres 1944...	32
acres 1949...	8,001	acres 1949...	1,668
1944...	4,186	1944...	136
tons 1949...	19,793	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	9,310	acres 1949...	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	444	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	1,160	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	6,315	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	29,132	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	8,120	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	26,678	acres 1944...	6
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29	acres 1949...	146
1944...	12	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	332	acres 1949...	3
1944...	133	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949...	416	acres 1949...	1
1944...	134	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain:		acres 1944...	12
cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	121	acres 1949...	19
1944...	17	1944...	42
acres 1949...	753	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	82	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	1,096	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	10
1944...	147		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	51	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	476	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	51
1944...	72	acres 1949...	5
tons 1949...	740	quarts 1949...	6,695
1944...	149	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	23
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	12
acres 1949...	53	quarts 1949...	7,092
tons..green weight 1949...	279		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,517
1944...	362	1945...	190
acres 1949...	881	1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	194
1944...	5,492	acres 1945...	365
bushels 1949...	287	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,102
1944...	2,531	1945...	920
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,714
acres 1949...	116	1945...	26,024
pounds 1949...	8,965	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,498
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	67	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,216
acres 1949...	816	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8,022
bushels 1949...	2,433	1944...	18,307
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	883
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,671
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945...	7,830
acres 1949...	73	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,891
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	550	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,980
1944...	209	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,814
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	18	1944...	718
1944...	51	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	611
bushels 1949...	5,577	1945...	522
1944...	2,067	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,595
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	106	1945...	1,738
1944...	48	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	472
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,123
1944...	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,533
bushels 1949...	217	1944...	1,343
1944...	154	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	867
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	725
acres 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,780
gallons 1949...	.....	1945...	2,378
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,047
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,733
lb. of brush 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	21,575
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1944...	7,931
acres 1949...	53	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	435
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	808	1945...	395
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,963	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,427
1944...	2,753	1945...	1,448
acres 1949...	106	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	182
1944...	52	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,045
acres 1949...	2,116	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	323
1944...	648	1944...	79
sold..dollars 1949...	108,047	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	295
1944...	34,492	1945...	753
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	351
acres 1949...	21	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	402
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	161
1944...	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	747
acres 1949...	12	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	691
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1945...	4,851
acres 1949...	11	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,977
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	108	1945...	686
acres 1949...	4	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,165
1944...	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	44,925
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	31,931
1944...	5	1944...	27
acres 1949...	16	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
1944...	15	1945...	.....
1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	98
acres 1949...	1	1945...	.....
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	15
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	83
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,620
		1944...	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
<sup>3</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,336	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	219
1945.....	2,347	1945.....	121
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	453,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	42
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.6	1945.....	15
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	165,036	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	177
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	296,018	1945.....	106
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,627	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	156
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	43,622	1945.....	173
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	420,059	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	115
1945.....	437,264	1945.....	114
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	179.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	78
1945.....	186.3	1945.....	68
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	42,896	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	187
1945.....	37,428	1945.....	214
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	234.05	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	230
1945.....	147.22	1945.....	223
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	363
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,025	1945.....	390
1944.....	2,115	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	226
acres 1949.....	332,147	1945.....	254
1944.....	332,967	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	220
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	103	1945.....	238
1944.....	107	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	472
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	63	1945.....	490
1944.....	64	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	64
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	1945.....	52
1944.....	51	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	100	1945.....	10
1944.....	113		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	308	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944.....	362	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	772	White operators.....number 1950...	2,335
1944.....	829	1945.....	2,345
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	624	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	589	1945.....	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	929	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	590	Full owners.....number 1950...	765
acres 1949.....	22,224	1945.....	734
1944.....	17,421	Part owners.....number 1950...	552
Cropland not harvested and not		1945.....	474
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	223	Managers.....number 1950...	7
1944.....	5,515	1945.....	10
acres 1949.....	11,307	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,012
1944.....	11,307	1945.....	1,129
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	316	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	43.3
1944.....	247	1945.....	48.1
acres 1949.....	12,919	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	56
1944.....	11,351	1945.....	90
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	141	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	689
1944.....	89	1945.....	577
acres 1949.....	4,850	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	226
1944.....	2,503	1945.....	399
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	173
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,050	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	53
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,601	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	41
acres 1949.....	26,418	1945.....	63
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	43,856	Other tenants.....number 1950...	13
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	28
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,221		
1944.....	2,224	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949.....	15,986	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,599
1944.....	17,859	1945.....	1,393
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,058
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1,325
acres 1949.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,043
1944.....	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.60
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,230
acres 1949.....	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	660
1944.....	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	581
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	344	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,839
1944.....	669	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	851
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	626	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	32
1944.....	282	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	237
		Crain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1,297
		number 1950.....	1,370
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,112
		number 1950.....	1,158
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	155
		number 1950.....	160
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	85
		number 1950.....	90
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950.....	10

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	346
.....1945.....	983	General farms.....number 1950...	195
.....number 1950.....	1,485	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	1,046	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	36
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,866	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	154
.....1945.....	1,809	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	301
.....number 1950.....	3,472		
.....1945.....	2,470		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,827		
.....number 1950.....	3,141		
.....1945.....	311		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	311		
.....number 1950.....	19		
.....1945.....	20		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,929		
.....number 1950.....	2,056		
.....1945.....	2,255		
.....number 1950.....	2,410		
.....1945.....			
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...			
.....1945.....			
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	349		
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...	86		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	589		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,287		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,055
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	67	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	63
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	959	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	709
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	891	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	728
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	356	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	295
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	168
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	92
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	834	Other farms.....number 1950...	281
0.3 to 0.5 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	126	Part-time.....number 1950...	161
0.6 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	425	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	120
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	221	Abnormal.....number 1950...	
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1.8		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...			
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,064		
Gravel, shell, or shales.....farms reporting 1950...	429		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	695		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,211,440
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,087	.....1944.....	15,471,282
.....persons 1950.....	3,859	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	14,898,622
.....1945.....	2,057	.....1944.....	9,229,528
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,987	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	13,264,309
.....persons 1950.....	783	.....1944.....	8,366,893
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	1,004	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,628
.....persons 1950.....	562	.....1944.....	2,041
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	868	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	9,607
.....persons 1950.....		.....1944.....	6,204
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,623,078
.....persons 1950.....		.....1944.....	854,990
.....1945.....		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,309,423
.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	6,240,449
.....1945.....		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	866,368
		.....1944.....	931,001
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	567,970
		.....1944.....	703,928
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	5,875,085
		.....1944.....	4,603,820
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,385
		.....1944.....	1,305
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	671
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	638
		.....1945.....	1,385
		.....number 1950.....	1,497
		.....1945.....	3,467
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		.....1945.....	230
		.....number 1950.....	93
		.....1945.....	442
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,966
		.....1945.....	2,108
		.....number 1950...	26,945
		.....1945.....	31,891
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,903
		.....1945.....	2,086
		.....number 1950...	11,577
		.....1945.....	15,484
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,726
		.....number 1950...	7,816
		.....1945.....	1,234
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,379
		.....number 1950...	1,114
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	6,031
		.....number 1950...	1,183
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,968
		.....number 1950...	753
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	825
		.....1944.....	22,713,991
		.....pounds 1949...	28,326,826
		.....1944.....	757,032
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	475
		.....1944.....	801
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	198,893
		.....1944.....	328,857
		.....dollars 1949...	106,430
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		.....dollars 1949...	2,906
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,684
		.....1945.....	1,763
		.....number 1950...	72,611
		.....1945.....	56,740
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,612
		.....number 1950...	34,591
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,155
		.....number 1950...	38,020
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,402
		.....1945.....	1,391
		.....number 1950...	10,236
		.....1945.....	8,802

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



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	249	Sorghums:	
1945.....	303	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	5,509	1944.....	1
1945.....	4,988	acres 1949...	25
1944.....		1944.....	4
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	242	1944.....	
number 1950...	3,030	acres 1949...	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	240	1944.....	
1945.....	273	bushels 1949...	
number 1945...	2,765	1944.....	
1945.....	4,066	1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	148	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	265	acres 1949...	7
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	216	1944.....	
number 1950...	2,479	tons green weight 1949...	92
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	225	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	264	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949...	2,969	acres 1949...	18
1949.....	27,095	1944.....	
1944.....	38,764	tons cut 1949...	54
1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...		Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,950	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1945.....	2,132	acres 1949...	179
number 1950...	182,679	bushels 1949...	6,156
1945.....	244,635	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,486
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,360	1944.....	866
number 1949...	139,114	acres 1949...	59,923
dollars 1949...	153,082	1944.....	24,178
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,549	bushels 1949...	1,756,015
dozens 1949...	1,043,777	1944.....	568,878
dollars 1949...	372,334		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	25	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	108	1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	36	acres 1949...	20
1944.....	33	1944.....	
number 1949...	6,669	bushels 1949...	120
1944.....	1,700	1944.....	
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,388
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	1,284
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,980	1944.....	35,727
dollars 1949...	5,852,518	acres 1949...	27,273
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,615	bushels 1949...	1,523,943
1944.....	1,767	1944.....	825,786
number 1949...	15,951		
1944.....	17,815	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,192	1944.....	32
number 1949...	10,564	acres 1949...	157
dollars 1949...	1,998,638	1944.....	352
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,048	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	5,387	1944.....	2
dollars 1949...	395,230	acres 1949...	5
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,690	1944.....	21
1944.....	1,823	bushels 1949...	75
number 1949...	84,177	1944.....	420
1944.....	110,888	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
dollars 1949...	3,382,270	1944.....	23
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	219	acres 1949...	98
1944.....	231	1944.....	219
number 1949...	2,815	bushels 1949...	1,647
1944.....	3,973	1944.....	2,894
dollars 1949...	54,579		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	97	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	469	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,701
dollars 1949...	21,801	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,898
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		acres 1949...	94,621
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,591	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	140,152
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	860		
number 1949...	1,097	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,694
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	267	1944.....	1,866
1944.....	652	acres 1949...	93,864
number 1949...	294	1944.....	137,770
1944.....	745	bushels 1949...	2,423,203
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	612	1944.....	3,198,393
1944.....	454	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	100
number 1949...	803	acres 1949...	491
1944.....	530	tons 1949...	853
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,446	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	1,819	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	3,449	acres 1949...	23
1944.....	5,107	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	16
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	259	acres 1949...	443
dollars 1949...	10,499		
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Corn:		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,937	acres 1949...	
1944.....	2,023	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
acres 1949...	125,762	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	119,362	1944.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,927	acres 1949...	
1944.....	2,006	bushels 1949...	
acres 1949...	124,631	1944.....	
1944.....	117,398	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949...	6,972,925	acres 1949...	
1944.....	3,938,099	tons 1949...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949...	424	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons green weight 1949...	3,849	acres 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	90	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	707	acres 1949...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	841	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	15,152	acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	323	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
1944.....	305	acres 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	3,402	acres 1944.....	13
tons 1949.....	8,025	1944.....	7
1944.....	5,841	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	588	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	910	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	11,144	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	17,777	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	13,229	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	24,750	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	24	acres 1944.....	1
1944.....	5	acres 1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	327	acres 1944.....	(*)
1944.....	65	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	407	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	58	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	123	acres 1944.....	1
1944.....	10	acres 1944.....	3
tons 1949.....	109	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	acres 1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	246	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	193	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	305	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	34
1944.....	227	acres 1949.....	14
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	quarts 1949.....	11,875
acres 1949.....	.....	farms reporting 1949.....	12
tons.....green weight 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	4
Field crops (other):		quarts 1949.....	4,071
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	135	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	416	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	933
acres 1949.....	2,505	1945.....	296
1944.....	8,114	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	223
bushels 1949.....	1,004	acres 1945.....	234
1944.....	4,746	acres 1945.....	625
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	1945.....	846
acres 1949.....	114	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5,514
1944.....	9,378	1945.....	6,029
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,394
acres 1949.....	47	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,120
1944.....	104	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	4,843
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1944.....	565
acres 1949.....	14	1944.....	704
1944.....	1,150	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,014
Alfalfa clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	1945.....	7,148
acres 1949.....	139	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	12,957
1944.....	217	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,026
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	446	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	5,122
1944.....	181	1944.....	4,876
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	21	1944.....	1,268
1944.....	20	farms reporting 1950.....	315
bushels 1949.....	4,693	1945.....	419
1944.....	1,220	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	801
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	1945.....	1,188
1944.....	92	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	250
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	551
1944.....	9	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	625
bushels 1949.....	284	1944.....	998
1944.....	336	1944.....	533
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1945.....	615
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,783
1944.....	.....	1945.....	3,189
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	552
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,231
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	26,186
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1944.....	12,912
acres 1949.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	242
1944.....	.....	1945.....	486
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	27	1945.....	865
acres 1949.....	15	1945.....	2,167
1944.....	91	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	239
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,646	1950.....	626
1944.....	1,900	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	170
acres 1949.....	10	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	179
1944.....	16	1944.....	261
acres 1949.....	14	farms reporting 1950.....	688
1944.....	22	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	278
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,628	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	410
acres 1949.....	2,041	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	342
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	411
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	749
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	3,748
1944.....	2	1945.....	6,722
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	420
1944.....	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,328
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	29,711
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	37,343
1944.....	1	farms reporting 1950.....	20
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	4
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	83
1944.....	1	1945.....	12
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	24
1944.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	59
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	596
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....		

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,052	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	140
.....1945...	2,149	.....1945...	118
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	323,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	18
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.8	.....1945...	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	184,936	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	122
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	139,741	.....1945...	115
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	913	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	207
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	35,435	.....1945...	249
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	290,155	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	172
.....1945...	300,663	.....1945...	208
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	141.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	157
.....1945...	139.9	.....1945...	166
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	14,921	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	239
.....1945...	8,675	.....1945...	252
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	98.42	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	291
.....1945...	62.01	.....1945...	292
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	243
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,742	.....1945...	233
.....1944...	1,732	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	178
.....acres 1949...	167,021	.....1945...	189
.....1944...	157,233	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	133
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	179	.....1945...	126
.....1944...	136	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	251
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	151	.....1945...	276
.....1944...	149	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	40
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	105	.....1945...	39
.....1944...	155	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	212	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	232		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	431	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	441	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	468	White operators.....number 1950...	2,052
.....1944...	457	.....1945...	2,149
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	196	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	162	.....1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	939	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,054
.....acres 1949...	30,902	.....1945...	983
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	25,743	Part owners.....number 1950...	372
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	614
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	561	Managers.....number 1950...	5
.....acres 1949...	12,434	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	14,309	All tenants.....number 1950...	421
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	894	.....1945...	545
.....1944...	748	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	20.5
.....acres 1949...	27,581	.....1945...	25.4
.....1944...	25,124	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	33
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	620	.....1945...	79
.....acres 1949...	16,485	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	139
.....1944...	16,488	.....1945...	19
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	429
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	588	.....1945...	144
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,257	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	49
.....acres 1949...	14,971	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	56
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	41,494	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	18
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,934	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	48
.....1944...	2,012		
.....acres 1949...	20,761	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	20,272	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,068
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	1,159
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,158
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	433
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,093
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.40
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	482
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	177
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	396	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	161
.....1944...	347	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,018
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	231
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	145
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	668
		.....number 1950...	679
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	593
		.....number 1950...	598
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	81
		.....number 1950...	86
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	101
		.....number 1950...	116
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....number 1950...	15
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,903		
.....1945...	1,994		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	107		
.....1945...	134		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	451		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	795		
.....1944...	666		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	396		
.....1944...	347		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	673	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	440
.....1945.....	348	General farms.....number 1950...	509
.....number 1950.....	745	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	372	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	54
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,258	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	99
.....1945.....	1,088	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	356
.....number 1950.....	1,794	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	417
.....1945.....	1,293		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,228	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	1,676	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,640
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	12
.....number 1950.....	90	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	149
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	366
.....number 1950.....	28	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	539
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,543	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	371
.....1945.....	1,667	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	203
.....number 1950.....	1,727	Other farms.....number 1950...	412
.....1945.....	1,795	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	275
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	137
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	441	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	46	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	289	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,401,231
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	579	.....1944.....	5,855,544
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	697	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,027,127
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		.....1944.....	2,364,141
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,958,725
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....1944.....	2,271,368
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	771	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	9,278
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	806	.....1944.....	15,624
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	275	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	47,524
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	66,371
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	11,600
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,351	.....1944.....	6,578
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	60	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,364,947
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	135	.....1944.....	3,487,041
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	506,438
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.4	.....1944.....	463,615
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	563,018
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	406	.....1944.....	503,951
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,407	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,297,491
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	115	.....1944.....	2,519,475
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,157
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	4,362
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,703	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....persons 1950.....	2,882	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	875
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,693	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	858
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,608	.....1945.....	1,318
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	677	.....number 1950.....	1,870
.....persons 1950.....	982	.....1945.....	3,302
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	218	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	41
.....persons 1950.....	292	.....1945.....	98
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		.....number 1950...	77
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,873	.....1945.....	201
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,398	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,152	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,737
.....dollars 1949.....	249,112	.....1945.....	1,854
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,103	.....number 1950...	18,501
.....dollars 1949.....	415,664	.....1945.....	20,030
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,708	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,894
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	832,180	.....1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,810
.....dollars 1949.....	1,498	.....number 1950.....	8,577
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,468	.....1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	10,702
.....dollars 1949.....	219,176	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,492
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,428	.....number 1950.....	6,168
.....dollars 1949.....	569,671	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,074
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,148	.....number 1950...	3,962
.....dollars 1949.....	192,695	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	758
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,133	.....number 1950...	2,875
.....dollars 1949.....	182,375	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	932
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....number 1950...	3,037
No sales.....number 1950...	41	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	614
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	96	.....1944.....	612
\$250 to \$999.....number 1950...	126	.....pounds 1949...	13,515,339
\$1,000 to \$999.....number 1950...	116	.....dollars 1949...	12,584,363
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	147	.....1949.....	427,859
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	187	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	443
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	273	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	704
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	354	.....1944.....	139,356
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	322	.....dollars 1949...	216,062
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	229	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	161	.....dollars 1949...	1,248
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	503	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,439
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	478	.....1945.....	1,514
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	44,387
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	25	.....1945.....	35,992
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,395
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	20,364
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	89	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	940
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	89	.....number 1950...	24,023
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,250
		.....1945.....	1,250
		.....number 1950...	6,401
		.....1945.....	5,109

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	141	Sorghums:	
1945...	192	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950...	3,410	1944...	13
1945...	3,956	acres 1949...	12
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	134	1944...	102
number 1950...	2,088	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	133	1944...	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	183	acres 1949...	10
number 1950...	1,908	1944...	5
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	3,218	bushels 1949...	200
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	87	1944...	50
number 1950...	180	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	111	1944...	
number 1950...	1,322	acres 1949...	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	115	tons..green weight 1949...	
1944...	177	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage on hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949...	1,728	acres 1949...	2
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	12,651	tons cut 1949...	
1944...	23,380		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,776	acres 1949...	145
1945...	1,908	bushels 1949...	2,316
number 1950...	199,656	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	876
1945...	220,545	1944...	375
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,211	acres 1949...	28,634
number 1949...	118,658	1944...	8,889
dollars 1949...	118,788	bushels 1949...	540,366
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,468	1944...	159,714
dollars 1949...	176,021	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	435,367	1944...	
number 1950...	22	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	82	1944...	
1944...	19	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	817	1944...	
1944...	334	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	581
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	446
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,745	acres 1949...	9,168
dollars 1949...	3,283,531	bushels 1949...	7,756
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	1944...	201,053
1944...	1,621	1944...	166,230
number 1949...	9,482	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	81
1944...	11,654	1944...	135
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	885	acres 1949...	573
number 1949...	5,471	1944...	1,391
dollars 1949...	858,163	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,088	1944...	9
number 1949...	4,011	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	289,492	1944...	73
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,429	bushels 1949...	
1944...	1,551	1944...	1,454
number 1949...	52,980	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944...	60,975	1944...	106
dollars 1949...	2,069,597	acres 1949...	259
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	105	1944...	1,433
1944...	127	bushels 1949...	2,913
number 1949...	1,799	1944...	15,592
1944...	2,307	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	4,984	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,275
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	103	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,333
number 1949...	408	acres 1949...	49,157
dollars 1949...	21,335	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	48,534
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,215
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,398	1944...	1,077
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	478	acres 1949...	47,605
number 1949...	525	1944...	40,999
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	90	bushels 1949...	954,812
1944...	104	1944...	731,397
number 1949...	97	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	211
1944...	110	acres 1949...	1,298
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	393	tons 1949...	1,847
1944...	386	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	428	acres 1949...	26
1944...	409	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,327	acres 1949...	228
1944...	1,609	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	2,688	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944...	3,812	acres 1949...	2
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	219	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	7,534	1944...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres 1949...	
Corn:		bushels 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,588	1944...	
1944...	1,600	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	66,150	acres 1949...	2
1944...	71,034	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,576	acres 1949...	
1944...	1,597	tons..green weight 1949...	
acres 1949...	64,640	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	69,915	acres 1949...	
bushels 1949...	2,794,334	Cowpeas harvested for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	2,789,578	1944...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	58	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	504	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...	4,051	acres 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	115	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	1,006	acres 1949...	

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	777	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	11,742	.....acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	185	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	62
.....acres 1949...	130	.....acres 1949...	64
.....acres 1949...	2,029	.....acres 1949...	62
.....acres 1949...	1,208	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	4,329	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	2,422	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	613	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	815	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	8,454	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	13,249	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	11,855	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	16,723	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	98	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	22	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	872	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	187	.....acres 1949...	10
.....acres 1949...	1,033	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	192	.....acres 1949...	30
Cats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38	.....acres 1949...	24
.....acres 1949...	4	.....acres 1949...	4
.....acres 1949...	272	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....acres 1949...	27	.....acres 1949...	34
.....acres 1949...	272	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	26		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949...	289	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	29
.....acres 1949...	1,279	.....acres 1949...	11
.....acres 1949...	309	.....acres 1949...	15,393
.....acres 1949...	1,206	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	12	.....acres 1949...	705
.....acres 1949...	35	Trees fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	873
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	110	.....acres 1945...	113
.....acres 1949...	129	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	290
.....acres 1949...	1,473	.....acres 1945...	435
.....bushels 1949...	1,760	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	590
.....bushels 1949...	955	.....acres 1945...	623
.....bushels 1949...	1,365	trees of all ages..number 1950...	12,542
.....bushels 1949...	124	.....acres 1945...	26,347
.....pounds 1949...	32,743	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,271
.....acres 1949...	48	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,271
.....acres 1949...	504	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	49,871
.....acres 1949...	1,069	.....acres 1944...	40,373
.....acres 1949...	12	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	585
.....acres 1949...	227	.....acres 1945...	699
.....acres 1949...	14,669	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,409
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	5,758
.....bushels 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,445
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	856	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,964
.....acres 1949...	332	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,906
.....acres 1949...	28	.....acres 1944...	2,788
.....acres 1949...	67	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	293
.....bushels 1949...	8,335	.....acres 1945...	374
.....acres 1949...	3,004	trees of all ages..number 1950...	608
.....acres 1949...	251	.....acres 1945...	921
.....acres 1949...	127	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	222
.....acres 1949...	(*) 16	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	356
.....bushels 1949...	549	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	603
.....acres 1949...	453	.....acres 1944...	2,714
.....acres 1949...	5	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	343
.....acres 1949...	1	.....acres 1945...	537
.....gallons 1949...	111	trees of all ages..number 1950...	993
.....acres 1949...	2	.....acres 1945...	1,914
.....acres 1949...	27	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	290
.....acres 1949...	12,600	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	708
.....acres 1949...	35	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,464
.....acres 1949...	206	.....acres 1944...	16,088
.....acres 1949...	3,845	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	53
100 lb. ear corn 1949...		.....acres 1945...	276
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,644	trees of all ages..number 1950...	209
.....acres 1949...	1,730	.....acres 1945...	1,122
.....acres 1949...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	62
.....acres 1949...	49	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	147
.....acres 1949...	134	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	62
.....acres 1949...	230	.....acres 1944...	120
.....acres 1949...	9,278	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	44
.....acres 1949...	19,624	trees of all ages..number 1950...	125
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	61
.....acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	64
.....acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	155
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1944...	492
.....acres 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	583
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	1,350
.....acres 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,518
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	312
.....acres 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,528
.....acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,231
.....acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	20,533
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1944...	12
.....acres 1949...		Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	129
.....acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	23
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	51
.....acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	78
.....acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	311
.....acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	130
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1944...	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,871	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	156
.....1945...	1,993	.....1945...	139
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	296,376	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...	282,4	.....1945...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	82.4	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	132
.....1945...	81.639	.....1945...	136
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	151,639	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	239
.....1945...	139,960	.....1945...	265
Land owned by others but operated by farm operators.....acres 1950...	139,960	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	169
.....1945...	31,582	.....1945...	200
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	31,582	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	120
.....1945...	250,617	.....1945...	117
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	267,311	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	210
.....1945...	267,311	.....1945...	241
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	133.9	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	237
.....1945...	134.1	.....1945...	263
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	9,346	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	207
.....1945...	5,247	.....1945...	215
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	68.07	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	186
.....1945...	39.14	.....1945...	175
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	108
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,515	.....1945...	121
.....1944...	1,618	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	213
.....acres 1949...	140,102	.....1945...	224
.....1944...	134,411	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	32
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	136	.....1945...	29
.....1944...	143	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	135	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	143		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	107	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	134	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	168	White operators.....number 1950...	1,871
.....1944...	227	.....1945...	1,992
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	397	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	460	.....1945...	1
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	435	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	372	Full owners.....number 1950...	672
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	137	.....1945...	635
.....1944...	129	Part owners.....number 1950...	63
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,153	.....1945...	58
.....1944...	983	Managers.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	33,565	.....1945...	10
.....1944...	27,466	All tenants.....number 1950...	96
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	89
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	554	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.7
.....1944...	15,629	.....1945...	13.0
.....acres 1949...	21,869	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	470	.....1945...	17
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	363	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	12
.....1944...	10,382	.....1945...	21
.....acres 1949...	10,196	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	179
.....1944...	536	.....1945...	194
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	586	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	106
.....1944...	14,324	.....1945...	19
.....acres 1949...	15,500	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	69
.....1944...	15,500	.....1945...	119
Other pasture (not cropland and		Other tenants.....number 1950...	16
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	603	.....1945...	24
.....1944...	1,214	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
.....acres 1949...	15,740		
.....1944...	39,470	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Other land (house lots, roads,		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	570
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,802	.....1945...	1,187
.....1944...	1,899	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,526
.....acres 1949...	20,475	.....1945...	1,459
.....1944...	13,550	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,526
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1949...	54.1
.....1944...		.....farms reporting 1949...	418
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	179
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	216
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....farms reporting 1949...	1,382
.....1944...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	451
.....acres 1949...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....1944...		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	458
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	465
		.....number 1949...	203
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	213
		.....number 1950...	73
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	72
		.....number 1950...	5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	373	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	25
1945.....	143	number 1950.....	40
number 1950.....	435	General farms.....number 1950.....	40
1945.....	151	number 1950.....	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,123	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	11
1945.....	758	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	23
number 1950.....	1,391	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	51
1945.....	822	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	51
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,078		
number 1950.....	1,277	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	83	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,439
number 1950.....	88	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	2
number 1950.....	26	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	22
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,438	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	40
1945.....	1,433	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	24
number 1950.....	1,571	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>b</sup> .....number 1950.....	24
1945.....	1,540	Other farms.....number 1950.....	23
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time.....number 1950.....	23
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	446	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	25
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	Abnormal <sup>c</sup> .....number 1950.....	25
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	233		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	761	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	375	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,577,50
		1944.....	2,648,90
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,128,50
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	856,70
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	161	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,077,40
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	770	1944.....	763,20
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	687	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	53
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	170	1944.....	1,06
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	44,32
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	42,23
0.3 to 0.8 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,022	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,17
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	130	1944.....	31
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	296	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,435,24
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	1944.....	1,837,20
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.6	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	287,42
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	220,30
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	395	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	564,80
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	967	1944.....	494,88
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	451		
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,583,19
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		1944.....	1,122,80
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,81
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,633	1944.....	4,95
persons 1950.....	2,503		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,618	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,568	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,13
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	572	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,11
persons 1950.....	752	1945.....	1,37
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	121	number 1950.....	4,14
persons 1950.....	183	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
		1945.....	1,2
		number 1950.....	115
		1945.....	20
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,619
		1945.....	1,728
		number 1950.....	16,95
		1945.....	18,056
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,59
		1945 <sup>d</sup> .....	1,68
		number 1950.....	8,637
		1945 <sup>e</sup> .....	10,608
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,459
		number 1950.....	5,438
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	981
		number 1950.....	3,592
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	621
		number 1950.....	1,774
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	902
		number 1950.....	2,073
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	263
		1944.....	179
		pounds 1949.....	5,665,347
		1944.....	3,583,287
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	203,209
		1944.....	612
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	931
		1944.....	158,692
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949.....	241,249
		1944.....	82,963
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,191
		1945.....	1,161
		number 1950.....	19,423
		1945.....	11,783
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,127
		number 1950.....	9,008
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	708
		number 1950.....	10,415
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	972
		1945.....	861
		number 1950.....	2,841
		1945.....	1,904

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



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	197	Sorghums:	
1945...	316	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950...	5,123	1944...	35
1945...	6,272	acres 1949...	25
1944...		1944...	207
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	193	1944...	1
number 1950...	2,872	acres 1949...	9
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	193	1944...	90
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	303	bushels 1949...	1
number 1950...	2,652	1944...	2
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	5,519	acres 1949...	18
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	103	tons..green weight 1949...	4
number 1950...	220	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	174	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1950...	2,251	acres 1949...	43
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	194	tons cut 1949...	
1944...	294		
number shorn 1949...	3,050		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	21,656		
1944...	38,858		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14		
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Small grains:	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,652	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1945...	1,717	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950...	214,030	acres 1949...	69
1945...	232,358	bushels 1949...	1,010
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	530
number 1949...	89,289	1944...	237
dollars 1949...	89,032	acres 1949...	12,288
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3,382	1944...	3,682
dozens 1949...	1,314,539	bushels 1949...	169,044
dollars 1949...	460,562	1944...	55,716
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	53	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950...	305	1944...	
1949...	59	acres 1949...	111
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1944...	75	1944...	
number 1949...	2,009	bushels 1949...	1,825
1944...	2,652	1944...	
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	650
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	557
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,549	acres 1949...	10,381
dollars 1949...	1,543,425	1944...	9,366
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,335	bushels 1949...	182,771
1944...	1,472	1944...	151,419
number 1949...	7,188	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	96
1944...	9,724	1944...	190
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	728	acres 1949...	864
number 1949...	3,296	1944...	1,460
dollars 1949...	505,770	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,122	1944...	5
number 1949...	3,892	acres 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	267,556	1944...	74
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,112	bushels 1949...	50
1944...	1,158	1944...	917
number 1949...	20,531	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	23,326	1944...	25
dollars 1949...	728,665	acres 1949...	69
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	196	1944...	261
1944...	255	bushels 1949...	694
number 1949...	3,186	1944...	2,131
1944...	4,636	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	56,543	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,159
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	108	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,078
number 1949...	258	acres 1949...	56,420
dollars 1949...	9,891	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	32,490
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,105
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,340	1944...	708
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	366	acres 1949...	54,188
number 1949...	397	1944...	22,503
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	43	bushels 1949...	699,248
1944...	68	1944...	263,032
number 1949...	43	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	249
1944...	177	acres 1949...	1,811
Galves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	325	tons 1949...	1,819
1944...	284	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	354	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944...	337	acres 1949...	79
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,291	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944...	1,416	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1949...	2,730	acres 1949...	342
1944...	3,489	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	29
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	27
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	183	acres 1949...	222
dollars 1949...	5,483	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	238
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Corn:		1944...	9
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,335	acres 1949...	15
1944...	1,432	bushels 1949...	224
acres 1949...	36,726	1944...	398
1944...	46,299	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	26
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,321	acres 1949...	191
1944...	1,409	tons 1949...	172
acres 1949...	35,664	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	44,826	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
bushels 1949...	1,052,455	acres 1949...	8
1944...	720,776	tons 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	48	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	481	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons..green weight 1949...	2,356	acres 1949...	8
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	68		
acres 1949...	581		

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Acres gr

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... ..	936 21,370	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... .. (*)	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... ..	43	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944... ..	14	acres 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..	384	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... .. (*)	
1944... ..	46	acres 1949... ..	
tons 1949... ..	610	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944... ..	73	acres 1949... ..	
clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	259	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... .. (*)	
1944... ..	136	acres 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..	3,524	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... .. (*)	
1944... ..	1,613	acres 1949... ..	
tons 1949... ..	4,280	1944... ..	
1944... ..	1,424	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	42	acres 1949... ..	
1944... ..	5,218	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..	377	acres 1949... ..	
1944... ..	6,110	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... .. (*)	
tons 1949... ..	364	1944... ..	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	51	acres 1949... ..	
1944... ..	8	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... .. (*)	
acres 1949... ..	594	acres 1949... ..	
1944... ..	148	Other vegetables.....acres 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..	326		
1944... ..	77		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... ..	541	acres 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..	11,802	1944... ..	
1944... ..	36,682	acres 1949... ..	
tons 1949... ..	6,252	1944... ..	
1944... ..	16,865	acres 1949... ..	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... ..		quarts 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..			
tons, green weight 1949... ..		acres 1949... ..	
Field crops (other):		1944... ..	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	58	quarts 1949... ..	
1944... ..	54		
acres 1949... ..	54	acres 1949... ..	
1944... ..	67	1944... ..	
bushels 1949... ..	126	acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> ... ..	
1944... ..	47	1945... ..	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	49	1946... ..	
acres 1949... ..	450	1947... ..	
1944... ..	84,524	1948... ..	
pounds 1949... ..	23	1949... ..	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	297	1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..	516	1951... ..	
bushels 1949... ..	504	1952... ..	
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	11,060	1953... ..	
acres 1949... ..	631,143	1954... ..	
pounds 1949... ..	5	1955... ..	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	78	1956... ..	
acres 1949... ..	95	1957... ..	
bushels 1949... ..	548	1958... ..	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... ..	393	1959... ..	
1944... ..	23	1960... ..	
acres 1949... ..	56	1961... ..	
1944... ..	6,817	1962... ..	
bushels 1949... ..	2,008	1963... ..	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... ..	179	1964... ..	
1944... ..	134	1965... ..	
acres 1949... .. (*)	17	1966... ..	
1944... ..	351	1967... ..	
bushels 1949... ..		1968... ..	
1944... ..		1969... ..	
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1970... ..	
acres 1949... ..		1971... ..	
1944... ..		1972... ..	
gallons 1949... ..		1973... ..	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1	1974... ..	
acres 1949... ..	1	1975... ..	
1944... ..	1,332	1976... ..	
lb. of brush 1949... ..	30	1977... ..	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	2	1978... ..	
acres 1949... ..	86	1979... ..	
1944... ..		1980... ..	
100 lb. ear corn 1949... ..		1981... ..	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,424	1982... ..	
1944... ..	1,638	1983... ..	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... ..	18	1984... ..	
acres 1949... ..	15	1985... ..	
1944... ..	594	1986... ..	
sold, dollar 1949... ..	1,916	1987... ..	
1944... ..		1988... ..	
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1	1989... ..	
acres 1949... ..	1	1990... ..	
1944... ..	1	1991... ..	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... ..	1	1992... ..	
acres 1949... ..	1	1993... ..	
1944... ..	2	1994... ..	
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	2	1995... ..	
acres 1949... .. (*)	2	1996... ..	
1944... ..		1997... ..	
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949... ..		1998... ..	
acres 1949... .. (*)		1999... ..	
1944... ..		2000... ..	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... ..		2001... ..	
acres 1949... .. (*)		2002... ..	
1944... ..		2003... ..	
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1	2004... ..	
acres 1949... .. (*)		2005... ..	
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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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,668	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	128
1945...	1,755	1945...	136
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	318,720	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	47
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	83.4	1945...	20
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	148,689	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	81
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	150,380	1945...	116
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,741	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	87
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	34,992	1945...	104
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	265,818	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	68
1945...	279,252	1945...	53
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	159.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	50
1945...	159.1	1945...	42
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,769	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	133
1945...	8,505	1945...	145
average per acre, dollars 1950*	96.32	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	303
1945...	53.45	1945...	305
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	284
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,482	1945...	331
1944...	1,594	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	225
acres 1949...	181,031	1945...	233
1944...	183,844	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	147
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1945...	170
1944...	80	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	220
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	38	1945...	210
1944...	47	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	21
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945...	24
1944...	35	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	78	1945...	2
1944...	77		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	421	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	455	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	639	White operators.....number 1950...	1,668
1944...	724	1945...	1,751
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	181	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	4
1944...	176	1945...	4
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	636	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	247	Full owners.....number 1950...	608
acres 1949...	12,557	1945...	586
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	4,886	Part owners.....number 1950...	436
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	4,886	1945...	382
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	423	1945...	4
1949...	9,039	All tenants.....number 1950...	620
1944...	11,905	1945...	783
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	280	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	37.2
1944...	218	1945...	44.6
acres 1949...	10,270	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	80
1944...	8,955	1945...	90
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	561	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	428
1944...	353	1945...	272
acres 1949...	17,501	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	88
1944...	13,120	1945...	375
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	75
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	976	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	13
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,493	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
acres 1949...	21,709	1945...	46
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	41,720	Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	20
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,625		
1944...	1,689	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949...	13,711	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	901
1944...	14,822	1945...	703
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,607
1944...	.....	1945...	1,297
acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,607
1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.76
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,005
acres 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	320
1944...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	395
FARM OPERATORS		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,502
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,585	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	791
1945...	1,677	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	60
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	56	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	520
1945...	71	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	787
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	792
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	257	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	407
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	418	number 1950...	412
1944...	348	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	135
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	226	number 1950...	140
1944...	197	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	701
		number 1950...	802
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		number 1950...	25

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	736	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	91
1945.....	383	General farms.....number 1950...	460
number 1950.....	781	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	405	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	150
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,307	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	305
1945.....	1,200	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	219
number 1950.....	1,830		
1945.....	1,316		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,297		
number 1950.....	1,763		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	26		
number 1950.....	31		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	36		
number 1950.....	36		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,387		
1945.....	1,351		
number 1950.....	1,527		
1945.....	1,668		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	195		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	155		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	957		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	351		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>b</sup></b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,449
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	135	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	6
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	895	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	146
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	420	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	681
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	202	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	371
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	185
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	60
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	895	Other farms.....number 1950...	219
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	110	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	100
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	285	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	119
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.8		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	310		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,087		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	255		
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,789,171
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,582	1944.....	5,371,633
persons 1950.....	3,249	dollars 1949.....	3,287,569
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,562	1944.....	1,477,505
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,517	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,222,034
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	855	1944.....	1,329,693
persons 1950.....	1,315	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	662
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	291	1944.....	5,473
persons 1950.....	417	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	31,273
		1944.....	140,483
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	33,600
		1944.....	1,851
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,492,349
		1944.....	3,882,853
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,535,956
		1944.....	1,895,831
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	989,868
		1944.....	774,550
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,966,525
		1944.....	1,212,472
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,253
		1944.....	11,275
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,161
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,094
		1945.....	1,389
		number 1950.....	2,651
		1945.....	4,347
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	185
		1945.....	418
		number 1950.....	320
		1945.....	815
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,409
		1945.....	1,559
		number 1950.....	22,682
		1945.....	24,627
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,373
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,521
		number 1950.....	13,161
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	16,018
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,321
		number 1950.....	12,315
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,071
		number 1950.....	5,226
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	936
		number 1950.....	2,033
		1945.....	785
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,262
		number 1950.....	2,262
		1944.....	1,124
		1944.....	1,269
		pounds 1949.....	71,115,362
		1944.....	68,883,816
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,518,945
		1944.....	56
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	70
		1944.....	29,074
		41,001	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949...	15,945
		1949.....	11
		1949.....	1,066
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,186
		1945.....	1,288
		number 1950.....	24,674
		1945.....	21,279
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,138
		number 1950.....	11,079
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	829
		number 1950.....	13,595
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,026
		1945.....	996
		number 1950.....	3,775
		1945.....	2,665

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Sorghums:	
1945.....	85	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	160
number 1950...	1,333	1944.....	167
1945.....	1,047	acres 1949...	899
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	1,089
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	63	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	730	1944.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	63	acres 1949...	5
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	82	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	677	bushels 1949...	50
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	873	1944.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	157
number 1950...	53	acres 1949...	889
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	54	tons..green weight 1949...	8,317
number 1950...	603	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	59	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	85	acres 1949...	5
number shorn 1949...	1,031	tons cut 1949...	1
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,911		
1944.....	6,981		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,560	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1945.....	1,641	acres 1949...	110
number 1950...	289,086	bushels 1949...	1,840
1945.....	320,458	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,267
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,112	1944.....	1,326
number 1949...	135,822	acres 1949...	48,960
dollars 1949...	129,814	1944.....	47,549
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,456	bushels 1949...	1,031,625
dozens 1949...	2,346,470	1944.....	916,396
dollars 1949...	850,448	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	26	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	115	acres 1949...	88
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944.....	.....
1944.....	32	bushels 1949...	1,518
number 1949...	829	1944.....	.....
1944.....	781	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,209
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	1,304
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	26,284
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,447	1944.....	31,115
dollars 1949...	1,955,203	bushels 1949...	603,149
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,326	1944.....	802,857
1944.....	1,467	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	146
number 1949...	11,801	1944.....	259
1944.....	13,255	acres 1949...	1,676
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,020	1944.....	2,880
number 1949...	4,104	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
dollars 1949...	702,041	1944.....	60
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,168	acres 1949...	162
number 1949...	7,697	1944.....	553
dollars 1949...	271,110	bushels 1949...	4,026
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,161	1944.....	75,440
1944.....	1,259	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1949...	24,990	1944.....	23
1944.....	28,704	acres 1949...	111
dollars 1949...	956,773	1944.....	221
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	51	bushels 1949...	1,797
1944.....	51	1944.....	3,299
number 1949...	1,024	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	568	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,183
dollars 1949...	16,126	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,129
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	118	acres 1949...	36,615
number 1949...	279	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	23,863
dollars 1949...	9,153	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,133
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	824
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,390	acres 1949...	34,390
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	375	1944.....	16,012
number 1949...	416	bushels 1949...	638,749
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	278	1944.....	256,197
1944.....	368	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	298
number 1949...	295	acres 1949...	2,147
1944.....	438	tons 1949...	2,705
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	104	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	83	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	121	acres 1949...	6
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	118	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,361	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1949...	1,578	acres 1949...	72
1944.....	4,895	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	76
1944.....	6,962	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	219
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	467
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	225	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,054
dollars 1949...	8,400	acres 1949...	4
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1944.....	65
Corn:		acres 1949...	30
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,417	bushels 1949...	117
1944.....	1,508	1944.....	2,910
acres 1949...	49,642	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	67
1944.....	52,218	acres 1949...	395
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,410	tons 1949...	435
1944.....	1,459	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949...	45,465	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	44,126	acres 1949...	1
bushels 1949...	1,820,990	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,033,248	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	525	acres 1949...	41
acres 1949...	3,740		
tons..green weight 1949...	28,870		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	67		
acres 1949...	437		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,088	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	16,257	acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	794	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	758	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	8,458	1944...	3
1944...	8,260	acres 1949...	(*) 1
tons 1949...	19,507	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	14,209	acres 1949...	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	600	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	872	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	6,987	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	9,896	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	9,805	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	12,293	acres 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	41	1944...	(*)
1944...	6	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	502	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	111	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	563	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	74	acres 1949...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	61	acres 1949...	26
acres 1949...	180	1944...	1
1944...	924	acres 1949...	11
tons 1949...	136	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	704	acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	276	.....	.....
1944...	2,020	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	348	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944...	912	acres 1949...	49
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quarts 1949...	19,213
acres 1949...	50	farms reporting 1949...	1
tons, green weight 1949...	183	acres 1949...	(*)
Field crops (other):		quarts 1949...	65
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	208	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	393	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	791
acres 1949...	2,249	1945...	378
1944...	3,777	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	590
bushels 1949...	1,521	1945...	952
1944...	2,852	farms reporting 1950...	501
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1945...	541
acres 1949...	103	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,507
pounds 1949...	14,077	1945...	9,184
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,312
acres 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,195
bushels 1949...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	13,704
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944...	4,930
acres 1949...	93	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	531
pounds 1949...	3,369	1945...	651
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	27,935
acres 1949...	11	1945...	41,596
bushels 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,296
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	758	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23,639
1944...	1,105	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	34,195
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	78	1944...	55,212
1944...	160	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	277
bushels 1949...	13,530	1945...	372
1944...	20,006	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,268
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	105	1945...	7,590
1944...	93	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	112
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	(*) 8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,156
bushels 1949...	356	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	940
1944...	353	1944...	5,170
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	342
acres 1949...	6	1945...	405
gallons 1949...	283	trees of all ages..number 1950...	996
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	1,976
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	291
lb. of brush 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	705
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,335
acres 1949...	11	1944...	6,660
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	144	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	262
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,177	1945...	317
1944...	1,615	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,125
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	1,971
1944...	49	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	332
acres 1949...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	793
1944...	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	368
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944...	237
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	213
acres 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	585
1944...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	212
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	373
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	287
1944...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	417
acres 1949...	1	1945...	450
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,814
acres 1949...	1	1945...	3,928
acres 1949...	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	244
1944...	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,370
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	28,073
1944...	1	1944...	20,186
acres 1949...	1	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	111
1944...	1	1945...	255
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	993
1944...	1	1945...	4,962
Santaloupes and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	208
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	785
.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,944
.....	.....	1944...	2,488

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
<sup>\*</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,886	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	123
.....1945...	1,936	.....1945...	113
.....1945...	1,936	.....1950...	20
.....1945...	1,936	.....1945...	2
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	324,480	.....1950...	103
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.5	.....1945...	111
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	138,962	.....1950...	178
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	183,979	.....1945...	173
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,156	.....1950...	151
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	27,281	.....1945...	152
.....1950...	27,281	.....1950...	99
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	296,816	.....1945...	109
.....1945...	310,101	.....1950...	183
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	157.4	.....1945...	180
.....1945...	160.2	.....1950...	233
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	37,855	.....1945...	252
.....1945...	23,633	.....1950...	233
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	219.57	.....1945...	263
.....1945...	147.54	.....1950...	197
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	204
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,649	.....1950...	148
.....1944...	1,708	.....1945...	150
.....acres 1949...	216,351	.....1950...	304
.....1944...	223,436	.....1945...	322
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	.....1950...	36
.....1944...	106	.....1945...	36
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	.....1950...	1
.....1944...	87	.....1945...	2
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	71		
.....1944...	89	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	121	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	149	White operators.....number 1950...	1,886
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	352	.....1945...	1,931
.....1944...	362	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	5
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	538	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	562	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	349	Full owners.....number 1950...	766
.....1944...	353	.....1945...	774
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,056	Part owners.....number 1950...	466
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	781	.....1945...	405
.....acres 1949...	25,769	Managers.....number 1950...	4
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	23,787	.....1945...	11
Cropland not harvested and not		All tenants.....number 1950...	650
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	226	.....1945...	746
.....acres 1949...	5,000	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	34.5
.....1944...	2,128	.....1945...	38.5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	533	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	47
.....1944...	328	.....1945...	59
.....acres 1949...	17,614	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	370
.....1944...	11,323	.....1945...	104
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	293	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	179
.....1944...	196	.....1945...	556
.....acres 1949...	7,902	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	130
.....1944...	5,933	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	49
Other pasture (not cropland and		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	54
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	467	.....1945...	27
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	940	Other tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....acres 1949...	10,862	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	45
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	29,279		
Other land (house lots, roads,		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>A</sup></b>	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,791	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,300
.....1944...	1,912	.....1945...	1,288
.....acres 1949...	13,318	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,500
.....1944...	14,215	.....1945...	1,026
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1950...	1,490
.....1944...	3	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	7.98
.....acres 1949...	3	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	784
.....1944...	3	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	383
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	397
.....acres 1949...	3	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,339
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	472
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	205
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	613
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	655
		.....number 1950...	755
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	788
		.....number 1950...	51
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	51
		.....number 1950...	61
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		.....number 1950...	10
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		.....number 1950...	20
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,713		
.....1945...	1,817		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	128		
.....1945...	117		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	235		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	585		
.....1944...	491		
.....1944...	300		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	252		
.....1944...	252		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	835	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	472
.....1945.....	599	General farms.....number 1950...	171
.....1945.....	892	.....1945.....	17
.....1945.....	639	.....1945.....	44
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,323	.....1945.....	110
.....1945.....	1,347	.....1945.....	277
.....1945.....	2,199		
.....1945.....	1,808		
.....1945.....	1,195		
.....1945.....	1,976		
.....1945.....	198		
.....1945.....	208		
.....1945.....	15		
.....1945.....	15		
.....1945.....	1,379		
.....1945.....	1,686		
.....1945.....	1,550		
.....1945.....	1,874		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	417		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	27		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	119		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	436		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	887		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,609
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	77
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	583	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	371
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	716	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	592
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	330	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	210
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	210
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	249
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	767	Other farms.....number 1950...	277
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	138
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	322	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	134
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	140	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	5
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	716	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	13,635,660
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	262	.....1944.....	10,549,541
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	367	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	8,108,898
		.....1944.....	5,877,026
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	7,999,821
		.....1944.....	5,842,709
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	30,108
		.....1944.....	20,610
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	11,997
		.....1944.....	10,245
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	66,972
		.....1944.....	3,462
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,523,765
		.....1944.....	4,657,652
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	457,140
		.....1944.....	543,363
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	430,473
		.....1944.....	420,092
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,636,152
		.....1944.....	3,693,597
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,997
		.....1944.....	14,863
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	568
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	547
		.....1945.....	1,169
		.....1945.....	1,362
		.....1945.....	3,044
		.....1945.....	36
		.....1945.....	159
		.....1945.....	61
		.....1945.....	325
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,547
		.....1945.....	1,738
		.....1950.....	19,536
		.....1945.....	22,832
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,494
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,697
		.....1950.....	7,739
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	9,633
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,373
		.....1950.....	5,533
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	962
		.....1950.....	4,214
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	735
		.....1950.....	4,914
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	846
		.....1950.....	2,669
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	442
		.....1944.....	620
		.....1949.....	11,351,587
		.....1944.....	16,078,148
		.....1949.....	345,130
		.....1949.....	434
		.....1944.....	691
		.....1949.....	203,115
		.....1944.....	277,829
		.....1949.....	111,259
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		.....dollars 1949...	751
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,252
		.....1945.....	1,408
		.....1950.....	53,229
		.....1945.....	46,727
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,192
		.....1950.....	25,501
		.....1950.....	865
		.....1950.....	27,728
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,040
		.....1945.....	1,092
		.....1950.....	7,154
		.....1945.....	6,611

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



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	170	Sorghums:	
.....1945.....	206	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....number 1950.....	3,687	.....1944.....	8
.....1945.....	4,006	.....acres 1949.....	46
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	31
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	167	.....1944.....	
.....number 1950.....	2,197	.....acres 1949.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	164	.....1944.....	
.....1945.....	182	.....bushels 1949.....	50
.....number 1950.....	1,926	.....1944.....	
.....1945.....	2,937	.....acres 1949.....	2
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	107	.....tons..green weight 1949...	430
.....number 1950.....	271	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	132	.....acres 1949.....	33
.....number 1950.....	1,490	.....1944.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	158	.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944.....	166	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
.....number shorn 1949.....	2,279	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	18,029	.....acres 1949.....	11
.....1944.....	23,885	.....tons cut 1949...	2
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,507	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1945.....	1,765	.....acres 1949.....	89
.....number 1950.....	138,398	.....bushels 1949.....	1,290
.....1945.....	176,519	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	584
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,072	.....1944.....	149
.....number 1949.....	143,444	.....acres 1949.....	17,666
.....dollars 1949.....	163,109	.....1944.....	3,988
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120	.....bushels 1949.....	458,066
.....dozens 1949.....	708,069	.....1944.....	87,648
.....dollars 1949.....	258,781	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	12	.....1944.....	2
.....number 1950.....	53	.....acres 1949.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	24	.....1944.....	26
.....1944.....	19	.....bushels 1949.....	
.....number 1949.....	1,125	.....1944.....	120
.....1944.....	806	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,031
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		.....1944.....	816
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		.....acres 1949.....	28,099
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,529	.....1944.....	20,610
.....dollars 1949.....	4,621,162	.....bushels 1949.....	1,017,106
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,213	.....1944.....	673,432
.....1944.....	1,430	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	31
.....number 1949.....	11,897	.....1944.....	99
.....1944.....	13,646	.....acres 1949.....	313
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	812	.....1944.....	1,071
.....number 1949.....	8,366	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949.....	1,674,555	.....1944.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	815	.....acres 1949.....	
.....number 1949.....	3,531	.....1944.....	
.....dollars 1949.....	268,072	.....bushels 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	1,474	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	34
.....number 1949.....	63,895	.....1944.....	49
.....1944.....	84,175	.....acres 1949.....	415
.....dollars 1949.....	2,596,327	.....1944.....	734
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	134	.....bushels 1949.....	5,863
.....1944.....	106	.....1944.....	7,333
.....number 1949.....	3,462	Annual legumes:	
.....1944.....	2,768	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,140
.....dollars 1949.....	64,270	.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,340
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....acres 1949.....	55,782
.....number 1949.....	316	.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	69,278
.....dollars 1949.....	17,938	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,116
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		.....1944.....	1,204
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,135	.....acres 1949.....	55,229
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	461	.....1944.....	66,412
.....number 1949.....	566	.....bushels 1949.....	1,392,219
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	127	.....1944.....	1,479,071
.....1944.....	294	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	73
.....number 1949.....	206	.....acres 1949.....	418
.....1944.....	328	.....tons 1949...	736
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	338	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....1944.....	330	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....number 1949.....	360	.....acres 1949...	15
.....1944.....	351	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,027	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....1944.....	1,430	.....acres 1949...	120
.....number 1949.....	2,027	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944.....	3,489	.....1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		.....acres 1949.....	4
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	191	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949.....	5,487	.....1944.....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		.....acres 1949.....	
Corn:		.....bushels 1949.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,561	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	1,628	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949.....	100,751	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944.....	103,516	.....tons 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,554	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....1944.....	1,625	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949.....	99,621	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944.....	102,971	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
.....bushels 1949.....	5,202,749	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944.....	4,660,824	.....acres 1949...	4
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19		
.....acres 1949.....	202		
.....1944.....	1,840		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	105		
.....acres 1949.....	928		

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.



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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,236	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	829
1945...	3,535	1945...	782
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	610,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	283
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	33.2	1945...	250
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	108,046	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	546
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	91,268	1945...	532
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,279	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	706
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,149	1945...	800
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	202,444	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	421
1945...	238,165	1945...	475
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	62.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	222
1945...	67.4	1945...	241
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	27,509	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	327
1945...	19,984	1945...	408
average per acre, dollars 1950*	428.09	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	272
1945...	296.61	1945...	340
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	228
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,829	1945...	229
1944...	3,131	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	95
acres 1949...	153,791	1945...	105
1944...	182,352	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	52
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	741	1945...	63
1944...	678	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	70
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	378	1945...	77
1944...	416	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	13
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	246	1945...	14
1944...	308	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	355	1945...	1
1944...	439	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	577	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	716	White operators.....number 1950...	3,230
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	443	1945...	3,533
1944...	471	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	89	1945...	2
1944...	103	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	905	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,799
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	623	1945...	1,720
acres 1949...	13,323	Part owners.....number 1950...	600
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	10,727	1945...	648
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	96
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	470	1945...	141
acres 1949...	5,591	All tenants.....number 1950...	741
1944...	4,871	1945...	1,026
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	185	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	22.9
1944...	215	1945...	29.0
acres 1949...	3,982	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	541
1944...	5,670	1945...	817
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	126	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	51
1944...	69	1945...	25
acres 1949...	1,888	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	59
1944...	1,474	1945...	62
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	33
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	379	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	90
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	793	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	122
acres 1949...	6,088	1945...	24
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	13,867	Other tenants.....number 1950...	66
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,755	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	3,407	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,485
acres 1949...	17,781	1945...	2,445
1944...	19,204	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,962
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1945...	3,199
1944...	11	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,997
acres 1949...	532	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	11.61
1944...	82	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,460
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	986
acres 1949...	479	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,290
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,577
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	968
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	74
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	526
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	517
		number 1950...	518
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	526
		number 1950...	528
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	271
		number 1950...	277
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	675
		number 1950...	785
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,891		
1945...	3,240		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	230		
1945...	250		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	885		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,257		
1944...	851		
1944...	988		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	693		
1944...			

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b> —Continued Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950... 1,782 1945... 2,073 number 1950... 2,219 1945... 2,520 Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 2,349 1945... 2,357 number 1950... 4,100 1945... 3,271 1945... 2,138 number 1950... 3,324 Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... 605 number 1950... 732 Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 34 number 1950... 44 Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 2,665 number 1950... 3,163 Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... 4,272 1945... 4,006 Farms by class of work power: No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950... 777 No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950... 21 No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... 132 Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... 697 Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950... 1,609  <b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b> Distance to trading center visited most frequently: Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950... 255 1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1,733 5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 707 10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... 340 Average distance reported.....miles 1950... 5 Distance over dirt or unimproved roads: 0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 2,195 0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 136 1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 157 5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... 20 Average distance reported.....miles 1950... 0.2 Kind of road on which farm is located: Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950... 2,410 Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950... 535 Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950... 41  <b>FARM LABOR*</b> Week preceding enumeration: Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... 2,538 persons 1950... 5,905 Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950... 2,413 persons 1950... 2,308 Operators.....farms reporting 1950... 984 Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950... 1,415 persons 1950... 658 Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... 2,182 persons 1950... 2,182  <b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b> Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949... 2,952 Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... 2,372 Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949... 1,729 dollars 1949... 371,531 1949... 1,807 dollars 1949... 4,908,316 Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949... 2,104 dollars 1949... 1,679,097 Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949... 1,713 dollars 1949... 1,794,730 Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949... 2,478 dollars 1949... 1,651,780 Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949... 2,509 dollars 1949... 1,008,369 Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949... 1,915 dollars 1949... 356,654 Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949... 1,543 dollars 1949... 322,919  <b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b> No sales.....number 1950... 232 \$1 to \$249.....number 1950... 267 \$250 to \$399.....number 1950... 152 \$400 to \$599.....number 1950... 113 \$600 to \$999.....number 1950... 147 \$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950... 196 \$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950... 259 \$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950... 398 \$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950... 399 \$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950... 531 \$10,000 and over.....number 1950... 582  <b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b> Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950... 332 Cash-grain.....number 1950... 318 Cotton.....number 1950... 14 Other field-crop.....number 1950... 534 Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950... 5 Dairy farms.....number 1950... 548 Poultry farms.....number 1950... 119  <b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b> Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950... 284 General farms.....number 1950... 166 Primarily crop.....number 1950... 46 Primarily livestock.....number 1950... 37 Crop and livestock.....number 1950... 83 Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950... 1,248  <b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b> Commercial farms.....number 1950... 2,330 Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950... 146 Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950... 411 Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950... 689 Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950... 293 Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950... 340 Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950... 151 Other farms.....number 1950... 906 Part-time.....number 1950... 176 Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950... 493 Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950... 37  <b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b> All farm products sold.....dollars 1949... 24,474,741 1944... 22,931,419 All crops sold.....dollars 1949... 16,752,192 1944... 15,953,613 Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 2,594,524 1944... 1,293,467 Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949... 3,559,685 1944... 5,755,404 Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 16,014 1944... 26,548 Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949... 10,581,759 1944... 8,878,394 All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949... 7,721,957 1944... 6,975,331 Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949... 2,792,553 1944... 3,217,805 Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949... 1,101,442 1944... 1,340,927 Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949... 3,827,962 1944... 2,416,599 Forest products sold.....dollars 1949... 352 1944... 2,275  <b>HORSES AND MULES</b> Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... 838 Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950... 829 1945... 1,691 number 1950... 2,510 1945... 4,572 Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950... 20 1945... 25 number 1950... 44 1945... 44  <b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b> Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950... 1,253 1945... 1,840 number 1950... 20,785 1945... 28,411 Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950... 1,170 1945 <sup>3</sup> ... 1,750 number 1950... 12,767 1945 <sup>3</sup> ... 19,837 Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950... 1,124 number 1950... 12,143 Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... 671 number 1950... 3,045 Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... 655 number 1950... 2,666 Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... 517 number 1950... 1,515 Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949... 594 1944... 889 pounds 1949... 77,800,545 1944... 99,128,192 Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949... 2,765,073 1944... 75 pounds of butterfat 1949... 81 1944... 40,483 1944... 55,693 dollars 1949... 23,203 Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949... 26 dollars 1949... 4,277  <b>HOGS</b> Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950... 881 1945... 1,239 number 1950... 32,551 1945... 38,242 4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950... 809 number 1950... 19,957 Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950... 420 number 1950... 12,594 Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950... 594 1945... 628 number 1950... 3,711 1945... 4,186 			

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	111	Sorghums:	
1945.....	94	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1950.....	1,622	1944.....	11
1945.....	1,051	acres 1949.....	29
1944.....		1944.....	43
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	102	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	961	acres 1949.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	101	1944.....	2
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	69	bushels 1949.....	40
number 1950.....	836	1944.....	4
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	596	acres 1949.....	6
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	57	1944.....	42
number 1950.....	125	tons..green weight 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	83	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950.....	661	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1945.....	71	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	53	1944.....	46
number shorn 1949.....	757	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	6,099	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1944.....	4,016	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	271
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		bushels 1949.....	9,370
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,873	1944.....	209
1945.....	2,529	acres 1949.....	139
number 1950.....	187,672	1944.....	3,457
1945.....	286,679	acres 1949.....	1,512
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	826	bushels 1949.....	94,002
number 1949.....	339,343	1944.....	38,974
dollars 1949.....	374,226	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	105
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,148	1944.....	184
dozens 1949.....	1,121,855	acres 1949.....	826
dollars 1949.....	525,410	1944.....	801
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	31	bushels 1949.....	18,935
number 1950.....	178	1944.....	17,128
1944.....	79	acres 1949.....	1,450
number 1949.....	25,361	1944.....	1,586
1944.....	14,359	bushels 1949.....	36,194
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	36,529
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949.....	1,627,862
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,251	1944.....	1,389,307
dollars 1949.....	3,597,806	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1944.....	931	1944.....	20
number 1949.....	1,121	acres 1949.....	276
1944.....	13,675	1944.....	147
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	14,608	farms reporting 1949.....	73
number 1949.....	689	1944.....	105
dollars 1949.....	6,766	acres 1949.....	1,216
1944.....	1,390,615	1944.....	887
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	724	bushels 1949.....	37,921
number 1949.....	6,909	1944.....	25,331
dollars 1949.....	179,141	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	32
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	836	1944.....	35
1944.....	1,046	acres 1949.....	216
number 1949.....	46,819	1944.....	966
1944.....	57,479	bushels 1949.....	4,447
dollars 1949.....	1,971,962	1944.....	18,643
1944.....	48	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	35	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	500
1944.....	597	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	724
dollars 1949.....	508	acres 1949.....	8,640
1944.....	10,530	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	11,399
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	90	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	458
number 1949.....	266	1944.....	538
dollars 1949.....	45,558	acres 1949.....	8,274
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	9,615
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	848	bushels 1949.....	183,484
1944.....	390	1944.....	177,393
number 1949.....	608	farms reporting 1949...	51
1944.....	241	acres 1949.....	314
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	360	1944.....	419
number 1949.....	287	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	515	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	191	1944.....	
number 1949.....	296	bushels 1949...	
1944.....	341	1944.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	810	acres 1949...	
1944.....	739	1944.....	
number 1949.....	1,176	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	1,746	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	3,829	acres 1949...	32
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Soybeans plowed under for green	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	111	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949.....	8,941	acres 1949...	20
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Corn:		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,918	acres 1949...	8
1944.....	2,403	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
acres 1949.....	53,428	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	67,359	1944.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,868	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	2,346	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	45,338	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	56,590	acres 1949...	7
bushels 1949.....	2,092,991	1944.....	6
1944.....	2,340,254	tons 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	498	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949.....	6,551	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	50,699	acres 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	209	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1,539	acres 1949...	1

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	480
.....acres 1949.....	25,482	.....acres 1949.....	1,680
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	865	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	528
.....1944.....	687	.....acres 1944.....	814
.....acres 1949.....	15,105	.....acres 1949.....	3,195
.....1944.....	9,871	.....acres 1944.....	4,933
.....tons 1949.....	31,580	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	252
.....1944.....	19,739	.....acres 1949.....	350
.....acres 1949.....	650	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	75
.....1944.....	1,007	.....acres 1949.....	232
.....acres 1949.....	8,767	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	464
.....1944.....	17,019	.....acres 1949.....	2,547
.....tons 1949.....	13,018	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	27
.....1944.....	25,221	.....acres 1944.....	38
.....acres 1949.....	3	.....acres 1949.....	15
.....1944.....	1	.....acres 1944.....	226
.....acres 1949.....	30	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	191
.....1944.....	2	.....acres 1949.....	204
.....tons 1949.....	42	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	129
.....1944.....	3	.....acres 1949.....	382
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	600
.....1944.....	9	.....acres 1944.....	896
.....acres 1949.....	130	.....acres 1949.....	3,555
.....1944.....	73	.....acres 1944.....	3,509
.....tons 1949.....	183	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	13
.....1944.....	97	.....acres 1949.....	15
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	152	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	2,219
.....acres 1949.....	1,862	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944.....	5,683	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	17
.....tons 1949.....	2,417	.....acres 1949.....	6
.....1944.....	6,671	.....quarts 1949.....	2,984
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	17
.....acres 1949.....	334	.....acres 1949.....	5
.....tons..green weight 1949.....	1,499	.....quarts 1949.....	3,107
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,245
.....1944.....	29	.....1945.....	560
.....acres 1949.....	150	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	547
.....1944.....	302	.....acres 1945.....	688
.....bushels 1949.....	148	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,132
.....1944.....	338	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	1,238
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	18,029
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	18,095
.....pounds 1949.....	7	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,325
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	10,704
.....acres 1949.....	58	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	14,515
.....bushels 1949.....	192	.....1944.....	9,187
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	549
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	385
.....pounds 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,047
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	2,342
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,427
.....bushels 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,620
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	118	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,116
.....1944.....	131	.....1944.....	576
.....acres 1949.....	70	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	782
.....1944.....	481	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	864
.....bushels 1949.....	5,938	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,437
.....1944.....	11,017	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	3,377
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	953
.....1944.....	4	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,524
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,806
.....1944.....	3	.....1944.....	3,874
.....bushels 1949.....	39	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	695
.....1944.....	55	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	797
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,800
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	3,677
.....gallons 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	880
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,920
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	18,975
.....lb. of brush 1949.....		.....1944.....	31,693
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	337
.....acres 1949.....	6	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	201
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	45	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,623
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,864	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	1,906
.....1944.....	2,810	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	686
.....acres 1949.....	926	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	937
.....1944.....	1,364	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	250
.....acres 1949.....	17,842	.....1944.....	74
.....1944.....	26,662	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	113
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	3,559,885	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	529
.....1944.....	5,755,404	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	230
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	178	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	299
.....acres 1949.....	590	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	69
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	161	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	509
.....1944.....	259	.....acres 1945.....	535
.....acres 1949.....	350	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	16,427
.....1944.....	615	.....vines of all ages..number 1945.....	20,414
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,046
.....acres 1949.....	6	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	14,381
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	220	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	77,719
.....acres 1949.....	587	.....1944.....	115,288
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	303	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
.....1944.....	663	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....	1,489	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	250
.....1944.....	2,758	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	39
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	263	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	211
.....acres 1949.....	425	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	312
		.....1944.....	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
<sup>3</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 1,817 1945... 1,920	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 139 1945... 138
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 282,880	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 20 1945... 15
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 84.9	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 119 1945... 123
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 155,159	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 272 1945... 295
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 109,213	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 226 1945... 243
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 2,547	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 152 1945... 166
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 26,663	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 185 1945... 205
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 240,256 1945... 244,728	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 223 1945... 240
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 132.2 1945... 127.5	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 155 1945... 185
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*.. 12,632 1945... 6,832	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 118 1945... 115
.....average per acre, dollars	1950*.. 90.65 1945... 53.60	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 90 1945... 98
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 193 1945... 194
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,426 1944... 1,380	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 50 1945... 6
.....acres	1949... 126,713 1944... 116,645	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 5 1945... 6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 161 1944... 160	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 180 1944... 150	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 134 1944... 111	White operators.....number	1950... 1,817 1945... 1,920
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 179 1944... 201	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 305 1944... 321	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 305 1944... 327	Full owners.....number	1950... 997 1945... 973
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 162 1944... 110	Part owners.....number	1950... 521 1945... 492
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 920 1944... 656	Managers.....number	1950... 5 1945... 6
.....acres	1949... 32,311 1944... 20,530	All tenants.....number	1950... 294 1945... 449
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 659 1944... 20,459	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 16.2 1945... 23.4
.....acres	1949... 23,600 1944... 4,59	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... 59
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 401 1944... 8,281	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 67 1945... 23
.....acres	1949... 7,467 1944... 587	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 131 1945... 234
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 461 1944... 13,016	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 91 1945... 40
.....acres	1949... 13,016 1944... 9,640	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 40 1945... 54
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 747 1944... 1,347	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 133 1945... 11
.....acres	1949... 19,716 1944... 49,210	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 43 1945... ..
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 1,744 1944... 1,824	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....acres	1949... 19,760 1944... 17,656	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 1,338 1945... 1,307
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 861 1945... 499
.....acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 830 1945... 677
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 6.77 1945... 4.31
.....acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 164 1945... 133
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 174 1945... 761
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,663 1945... 1,716	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 116
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 89 1945... 176	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 400 1945... 418
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 626 1944... 819	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 395 1945... 405
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 679 1944... 571	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 97 1945... 97
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 571 1944... 439	Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 140 1945... 164
		Grain combines.....number	1950... 15 1945... 15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 140 1945... 164
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 15
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 15
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 15

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950... 1945..... number 1950..... 1945.....	464 230 533 252	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950... General farms.....number 1950...	401 266
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945..... number 1950... 1945.....	1,055 816 1,560 968	Primarily crop.....number 1950... Primarily livestock.....number 1950... Crop and livestock.....number 1950... Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	5 92 169 627
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	1,025 1,379 149 30 32 1,444 1,516 1,728 1,671	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Farms by class of work power: No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 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... Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	510 69 183 558 497	Commercial farms.....number 1950... Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950... Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950... Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950... Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950... Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950... Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950... Other farms.....number 1950... Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950... Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950... Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	1,195 27 125 275 331 239 198 622 328 294
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently: Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950... 1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950... Distance over dirt or unimproved roads: 0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950... Kind of road on which farm is located: Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950... Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950... Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... All crops sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Forest products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944...	6,496,021 3,650,142 2,310,463 811,881 2,260,119 753,275 6,132 3,732 31,936 50,159 12,316 4,655 4,174,382 2,829,401 416,947 337,145 404,735 415,316 3,352,730 2,076,949 11,186 8,860	
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration: Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950... Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950... Operators.....persons 1950... Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950... Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950...	1,505 2,368 1,489 1,414 537 762 138 192	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	783 760 1,044 1,641 2,650 31 80 66 189
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire.....dollars 1949... Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... pounds 1949... 1944... Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... pounds of butterfat 1949... 1944... Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	1,705 1,154 936 166,783 854 303,825 1,515 888,244 1,294 661,969 1,330 152,268 1,175 450,469 879 165,397 798 129,505 57 237 142 103 201 177 142 197 227 182 152 1,471 1,572 17,150 18,097 1,428 1,478 7,479 8,615 1,297 4,837 831 3,541 604 3,792 791 2,338 552 346 10,807,140 7,726,181 373,964 329 838 78,943 238,616 42,321 5 632	
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
No sales.....number 1950... \$1 to \$249.....number 1950... \$250 to \$399.....number 1950... \$400 to \$599.....number 1950... \$600 to \$999.....number 1950... \$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950... \$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950... \$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950... \$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950... \$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950... \$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	57 237 142 103 201 177 142 197 227 182 152	Hoga and pigs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... 4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	1,104 1,172 35,660 32,734 1,061 16,439 737 19,221 916 964 4,706 4,463
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950... Cash-grain.....number 1950... Cotton.....number 1950... Other field-crop.....number 1950... Vegetable farms.....number 1950... Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950... Dairy farms.....number 1950... Poultry farms.....number 1950...	375 375 5 107 36		

<sup>1</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.  
<sup>3</sup>Cows 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:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	770	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	14,536	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	185	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	7
.....1944.....	174	.....1944.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	2,695	.....acres 1949.....	5
.....1944.....	2,299	.....1944.....	21
.....tons 1949.....	5,993	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	5,140	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	283	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	354	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	4,440	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	5,436	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	5,662	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	5,957	.....1944.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	335	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	89	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	4,171	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	785	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	5,202	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	783	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	35	.....acres 1949.....	9
.....1944.....	15	.....acres 1949.....	61
.....acres 1949.....	443	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	17
.....1944.....	208	.....acres 1949.....	7
.....tons 1949.....	325	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	36
.....1944.....	148		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	166	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	2,858	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	21
.....1944.....	7,292	.....acres 1949.....	5
.....tons 1949.....	2,836	.....quarters 1949.....	7,126
.....1944.....	5,423	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	8
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quarters 1949.....	623
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	.....		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	95	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	619
.....1944.....	67	.....1945.....	72
.....acres 1949.....	1,334	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	264
.....1944.....	736	.....1945.....	271
.....bushels 1949.....	1,170	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	341
.....1944.....	622	.....1945.....	510
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	87	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7,802
.....acres 1949.....	1,872	.....1945.....	10,709
.....pounds 1949.....	537,583	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,009
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	46	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,793
.....acres 1949.....	528	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	19,864
.....bushels 1949.....	986	.....1944.....	17,730
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	163	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	394
.....acres 1949.....	2,604	.....1945.....	832
.....pounds 1949.....	143,146	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7,582
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	10,428
.....acres 1949.....	42	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,773
.....bushels 1949.....	34	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,809
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	542	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3,011
.....1944.....	182	.....1944.....	18,809
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	24	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	209
.....1944.....	22	.....1945.....	349
.....bushels 1949.....	5,694	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	439
.....1944.....	1,706	.....1945.....	776
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	220	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	170
.....1944.....	51	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	269
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	6	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	696
.....1944.....	6	.....1944.....	2,098
.....bushels 1949.....	1,069	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	226
.....1944.....	281	.....1945.....	611
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1945.....	718
.....acres 1949.....	3	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,504
.....gallons 1949.....	242	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	342
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	376
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	4,064
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	30,532
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	50	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	158
.....acres 1949.....	220	.....1945.....	385
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	3,859	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	564
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,438	.....1945.....	1,760
.....1944.....	1,562	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	192
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	22	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	372
.....1944.....	33	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	149
.....acres 1949.....	107	.....1944.....	669
.....1944.....	81	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	43
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	6,122	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	74
.....1944.....	3,782	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	50
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	24
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	12
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	368
.....1944.....	10	.....1945.....	770
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,407
.....1944.....	2	.....1945.....	2,325
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	214
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,193
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	16,718
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	40,661
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	40
.....1944.....	2	.....1945.....	4
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	303
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	55
.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	166
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	117
.....1944.....	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,234
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1944.....	120

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,602	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	126
.....1945...	1,673	.....1945...	103
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	222,080	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.8	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	128,298	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	114
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	96,367	.....1945...	102
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	213
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,304	.....1945...	219
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	199,361	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	166
.....1945...	203,930	.....1945...	174
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	124.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	91
.....1945...	121.9	.....1945...	124
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	12,908	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	180
.....1945...	7,799	.....1945...	207
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A..	101.25	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	215
.....1945...	63.98	.....1945...	232
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	203
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,273	.....1945...	209
.....1944...	1,348	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	145
.....acres 1949...	122,354	.....1945...	169
.....1944...	119,665	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	98
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	119	.....1945...	77
.....1944...	75	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	148
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	91	.....1945...	143
.....1944...	116	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	16
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	77	.....1945...	15
.....1944...	107	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	128	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	192	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	347	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	370	White operators.....number 1950...	1,601
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	397	.....1945...	1,672
.....1944...	385	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	114	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	103	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	955	Full owners.....number 1950...	808
.....1944...	941	.....1945...	833
.....acres 1949...	22,086	Part owners.....number 1950...	486
.....1944...	29,560	.....1945...	486
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	262	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	5,480	.....1945...	308
.....1944...	5,496	All tenants.....number 1950...	353
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	549	.....1945...	19.2
.....1944...	410	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.1
.....acres 1949...	14,379	.....1945...	33
.....1944...	11,129	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	50
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	395	.....1945...	136
.....1944...	361	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	54
.....acres 1949...	7,859	.....1945...	101
.....1944...	8,355	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	223
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	655	.....1945...	90
.....1944...	713	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	11
.....acres 1949...	13,173	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	38
.....1944...	20,140	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,556	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	1,617	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	31
.....acres 1949...	14,030	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	9,585	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	736
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	707
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	951
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	391
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	941
.....acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.28
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	390
FARM OPERATORS		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	200
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,543	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	241
.....1945...	1,569	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	861
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	40	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	180
.....1945...	89	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	366	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	100
.....1944...	639	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	501
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	485	.....number 1950...	518
.....1944...	485	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	376
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	315	.....number 1950...	382
.....1944...	280	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	101
		.....number 1950...	101
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	120
		.....number 1950...	130
		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
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	70	Sorghums:	
1945...	104	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1950...	1,527	1944...	12
1945...	1,715	acres 1949...	64
1945...	1,715	1944...	62
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	67	1944...	2
number 1950...	900	acres 1949...	12
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	66	1944...	12
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	91	bushels 1949...	150
number 1950...	803	1944...	2
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,400	acres 1949...	28
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	49	1944...	280
number 1950...	97	tons..green weight 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	63	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	627	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	92	acres 1949...	36
number shorn 1949...	1,077	tons cut 1949...	41
1944...	8,408		
1944...	10,545		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,461	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1945...	1,484	acres 1949...	90
number 1950...	170,369	bushels 1949...	1,090
1945...	205,223	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	467
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,013	1944...	127
number 1949...	100,843	acres 1949...	10,426
dollars 1949...	105,004	1944...	1,991
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,187	bushels 1945...	198,971
dozens 1949...	1,024,229	1944...	36,331
dollars 1949...	359,404		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	21	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1950...	118	1944...	163
1944...	26	acres 1949...	163
1944...	34	1944...	3,934
number 1949...	2,048	bushels 1949...	3,934
1944...	1,569	1944...	607
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	437
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	10,625
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,340	1944...	8,134
dollars 1949...	1,880,018	bushels 1949...	222,277
1944...	1,125	1944...	175,052
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,202		
number 1949...	6,428	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	63
1944...	8,438	1944...	132
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	656	acres 1949...	595
number 1949...	3,480	1944...	1,533
dollars 1949...	533,819	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	877	1944...	31
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,948	acres 1949...	225
dollars 1949...	177,817	bushels 1949...	22
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,079	1944...	41
1944...	1,152	acres 1949...	222
number 1949...	31,371	1944...	426
1944...	36,071	bushels 1949...	2,509
dollars 1949...	1,143,890	1944...	3,208
1944...	63		
number 1949...	60	Annual legumes:	
1944...	802	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,019
dollars 1949...	14,147	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,090
1944...	118	acres 1949...	43,305
number 1949...	225	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	40,904
dollars 1949...	10,345		
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	936
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,118	1944...	830
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	355	acres 1949...	40,230
number 1949...	377	1944...	30,263
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	84	bushels 1949...	749,331
1944...	97	1944...	510,450
number 1949...	87	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	351
1944...	100	acres 1949...	2,789
1944...	276	tons 1949...	3,552
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	287	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	290	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	295	acres 1949...	27
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,056	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944...	1,248	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1949...	2,177	acres 1949...	259
1944...	2,900		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	23
dollars 1949...	6,273	acres 1949...	40,230
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	30,263
Corn:		bushels 1949...	749,331
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,157	1944...	510,450
1944...	1,256	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	351
acres 1949...	47,135	acres 1949...	2,789
1944...	52,313	tons 1949...	3,552
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,148	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	1,254	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	46,130	acres 1949...	27
1944...	52,104	Soybeans plowed under for green	
bushels 1949...	1,873,880	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944...	1,768,581	acres 1949...	259
1944...	73	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	584	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	23
acres 1949...	5,038	acres 1949...	40,230
tons..green weight 1949...		1944...	30,263
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		bushels 1949...	749,331
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	60	1944...	510,450
acres 1949...	421	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	351
		acres 1949...	2,789
		tons 1949...	3,552
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres 1949...	27
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		acres 1949...	259
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	23
		acres 1949...	40,230
		1944...	30,263
		bushels 1949...	749,331
		1944...	510,450
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	351
		acres 1949...	2,789
		tons 1949...	3,552
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres 1949...	27
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		acres 1949...	259
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	23
		acres 1949...	40,230
		1944...	30,263
		bushels 1949...	749,331
		1944...	510,450
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	351
		acres 1949...	2,789
		tons 1949...	3,552
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres 1949...	27
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		acres 1949...	259

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	593	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	8,320	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	116	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
.....1944.....	48	.....1944.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	1,050	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	377	.....1944.....	(*)
.....tons 1949.....	2,158	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	770	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	411	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	517	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	5,375	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	8,421	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....tons 1949.....	6,552	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	9,054	.....acres 1949.....	1
Lepedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	127	.....1944.....	(*)
.....1944.....	18	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	1,277	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	243	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	1,523	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	243	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	.....acres 1949.....	7
.....1944.....	3	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	306	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
.....1944.....	41	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....tons 1949.....	210	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
.....1944.....	33	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	45	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	.....
.....acres 1949.....	429	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
.....1944.....	1,122	.....acres 1949.....	6
.....tons 1949.....	407	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	13,262
.....1944.....	1,156	.....acres 1949.....	5
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quarts 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quarts 1949.....	974
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	.....
Field crops (other):	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	543
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	84	.....1945.....	12
.....1944.....	67	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	277
.....acres 1949.....	1,011	.....1945.....	120
.....1944.....	822	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	358
.....bushels 1949.....	919	.....1945.....	68
.....1944.....	1,345	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,976
Lepedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	32	.....1945.....	2,659
.....acres 1949.....	95	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	931
.....pounds 1949.....	18,180	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,045
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	37	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	13,087
.....acres 1949.....	328	.....1944.....	849
.....bushels 1949.....	912	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	332
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	.....1945.....	79
.....acres 1949.....	426	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7,917
.....pounds 1949.....	25,216	.....1945.....	4,256
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,529
.....acres 1949.....	32	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,388
.....bushels 1949.....	33	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3,719
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	471	.....1944.....	2,255
.....1944.....	25	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	163
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	13	.....1945.....	26
.....1944.....	4	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	538
.....bushels 1949.....	4,228	.....1945.....	62
.....1944.....	206	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	113
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	143	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	425
.....1944.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	788
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	.....1944.....	66
.....1944.....	.....	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	207
.....bushels 1949.....	305	.....1945.....	53
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	662
.....acres 1949.....	3	.....1945.....	216
.....gallons 1949.....	289	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	290
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	41	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	372
.....acres 1949.....	727	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	5,169
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	254,960	.....1944.....	4,199
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	35	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	112
.....acres 1949.....	10	.....1945.....	21
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	121	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	521
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,259	.....1945.....	194
.....1944.....	1,500	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	166
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	355
.....1944.....	18	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	99
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....1944.....	17
.....1944.....	21	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	37
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	271	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	76
.....1944.....	1,823	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	52
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	24
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	5
Green beans (snap; string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	231
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	53
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,813
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	813
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	938
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	875
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	10,831
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	8,844
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
.....1944.....	5	.....1945.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	20
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	1
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	14
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	135
		.....1944.....	15

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/2 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,131	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	88
.....1945...	2,224	.....1945...	87
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	407,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	25
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	96.2	.....1945...	31
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	140,476	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	63
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	253,244	.....1945...	56
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,050	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	46
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	19,383	.....1945...	45
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	391,387	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....1945...	384,300	.....1945...	37
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	183.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	34
.....1945...	172.8	.....1945...	38
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	43,953	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	215
.....1945...	29,288	.....1945...	279
average per acre, dollars 1950*	235.46	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	310
.....1945...	169.50	.....1945...	564
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	588
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,065	.....1945...	285
.....1944...	2,181	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	261
acres 1949...	318,957	.....1945...	244
.....1944...	310,662	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	264
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	62	.....1945...	289
.....1944...	74	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	278
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	24	.....1945...	31
.....1944...	26	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	25
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	26	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	4
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53		
.....1944...	72	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	393	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	481	White operators.....number 1950...	2,130
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,081	.....1945...	2,224
.....1944...	1,087	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	430	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	415	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,565	Full owners.....number 1950...	743
.....1944...	1,651	.....1945...	758
acres 1949...	32,462	Part owners.....number 1950...	234
.....1944...	34,827	.....1945...	153
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	12
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	176	.....1945...	39
acres 1949...	5,182	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,142
.....1944...	685	.....1945...	1,274
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	299	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	53.6
.....1944...	270	.....1945...	57.3
acres 1949...	8,679	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	129
.....1944...	8,686	.....1945...	270
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	119
.....1944...	36	.....1945...	56
acres 1949...	1,795	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	845
.....1944...	792	.....1945...	874
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	47
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	322	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	798
.....1944...	476	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
acres 1949...	6,374	.....1945...	74
.....1944...	10,748	Other tenants.....number 1950...	13
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	36
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,104		
.....1944...	2,192	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949...	17,938	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,670
.....1944...	17,900	.....1945...	1,756
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,878
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	1,979
acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,878
.....1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	13.16
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,690
.....1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,138
acres 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	772
.....1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,792
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,012
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	544
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	878
		.....number 1950...	916
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,977	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,251
.....1945...	2,095	.....number 1950...	1,305
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	78	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	346
.....1945...	126	.....number 1950...	357
With other income of family exceeding value		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	993
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	119	.....number 1950...	1,200
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	442	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	296	.....number 1950...	5
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	144		
.....1944...	126		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>-Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1949...	355	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,146
.....farms reporting 1945.....	569	General farms.....number 1950.....	315
.....number 1950.....	943	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	652	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	65
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,356	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	147
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,929	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	114
.....number 1950.....	2,350		
.....number 1945.....	2,801		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,791		
.....number 1950.....	2,165		
.....number 1945.....	172		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	172		
.....number 1950.....	172		
.....number 1945.....	13		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	13		
.....number 1950.....	13		
.....number 1945.....	19		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,005		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,123		
.....number 1950.....	2,417		
.....number 1945.....	2,857		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horse, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	272		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	21		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	61		
Tractor and horse and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	276		
Tractor and no horse or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,198		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,033
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	59	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	369
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	952	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	749
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	653	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	564
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	237	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	285
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	52
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>b</sup> .....number 1950.....	74
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	795	Other farms.....number 1950.....	93
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	110	Part-time.....number 1950.....	67
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	449	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	31
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	Abnormal <sup>c</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.1		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	525		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,140		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	212		
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	35,882,680
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,737	.....dollars 1944.....	22,393,256
.....persons 1950.....	3,052	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,397,535
.....persons 1945.....	1,693	.....dollars 1944.....	5,076,109
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,650	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,213,770
.....persons 1950.....	462	.....dollars 1944.....	4,711,670
Operators.....persons 1950.....	503	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,045,026
.....persons 1945.....	605	.....dollars 1944.....	288,663
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	462	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,776
.....persons 1950.....	503	.....dollars 1944.....	4,224
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	605	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	134,993
.....persons 1950.....	440	.....dollars 1944.....	71,552
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,482,435
		.....dollars 1944.....	17,315,939
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,619,212
		.....dollars 1944.....	2,358,489
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,263,029
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,156,297
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,600,214
		.....dollars 1944.....	13,800,123
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,840
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,233
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	648
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	641
		.....number 1950.....	1,638
		.....number 1945.....	1,506
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,525
		.....number 1950.....	12
		.....number 1945.....	50
		.....number 1950.....	39
		.....number 1945.....	93
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,410
		.....number 1950.....	2,047
		.....number 1945.....	67,210
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	76,625
		.....number 1950.....	1,617
		.....number 1945.....	1,971
		.....number 1950.....	14,926
		.....number 1945.....	20,998
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,505
		.....number 1950.....	12,843
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,133
		.....number 1950.....	11,546
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,396
		.....number 1950.....	37,011
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	862
		.....number 1950.....	3,727
		.....number 1949.....	798
		.....pounds 1949.....	82,574,631
		.....pounds 1944.....	79,174,920
		Cream sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,543,087
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	216
		.....dollars 1944.....	348
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	130,394
		.....pounds 1944.....	186,633
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949.....	74,230
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	12
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,895
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,668
		.....number 1950.....	1,720
		.....number 1945.....	135,319
		.....number 1950.....	103,827
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,645
		.....number 1950.....	63,168
		.....number 1945.....	852
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	72,151
		.....number 1950.....	1,528
		.....number 1945.....	1,400
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	30,440
		.....number 1950.....	21,560
		.....number 1945.....	.....

<sup>a</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>b</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.  
<sup>c</sup>Cows 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:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,763	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	39,430	.....acres 1949...	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	819	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	86
.....1944...	352	.....1944...	264
.....acres 1949...	15,054	.....acres 1949...	7,809
.....1944...	4,889	.....1944...	2,296
.....tons 1949...	36,846	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	11,234	.....acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,102	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	1,633	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	22,000	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	32,103	.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	34,764	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	31
.....1944...	53,337	.....1944...	62
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		.....acres 1949...	3,632
.....1944...		.....1944...	2,175
.....acres 1949...		Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...		.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...		.....acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944...	3	.....1944...	8
.....acres 1949...	100	.....acres 1949...	14
.....1944...	17	.....1944...	11
.....tons 1949...	86	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	26	.....acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	46	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	852	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	894	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	25
.....tons 1949...	1,340	.....acres 1949...	4
.....1944...	1,541	.....quarts 1949...	5,513
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	1,595	.....acres 1949...	1
.....tons..green weight 1949...	7,372	.....quarts 1949...	480
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	979
.....1944...	51	.....1945...	13
.....acres 1949...	201	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	132
.....1944...	763	.....1945...	14
.....bushels 1949...	84	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	874
.....1944...	320	.....1945...	577
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,642
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	5,874
.....pounds 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,115
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,527
.....acres 1949...	60	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9,911
.....bushels 1949...	121	.....1944...	2,539
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	242
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	65
.....pounds 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,002
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	160
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	448
.....bushels 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	554
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	251	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	400
.....1944...	94	.....1944...	39
.....acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	28	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	380
.....1944...	40	.....1945...	243
.....bushels 1949...	5,649	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	896
.....1944...	1,516	.....1945...	581
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	292
.....1944...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	604
.....acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	(*)	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,321
.....1944...		.....1944...	671
.....bushels 1949...	20	.....1950...	443
.....1944...		.....1945...	256
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,324
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	880
.....gallons 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	447
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	887
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,985
.....lb. of brush 1949...		.....1944...	3,161
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	180
.....acres 1949...	14	.....1945...	68
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	86	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	772
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,179	.....1945...	274
.....1944...	1,909	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	312
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	106	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	460
.....1944...	253	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	142
.....acres 1949...	13,238	.....1944...	5
.....1944...	5,076	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	57
.....sold..dollars 1949...	1,045,026	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	127
.....1944...	288,663	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	64
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	63
.....acres 1949...	26	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	22
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	359
.....1944...	1	.....1945...	323
.....acres 1949...	1	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,582
.....1944...	2	.....1945...	2,390
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	477
.....acres 1949...	1,752	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,105
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,161
.....acres 1949...	1	.....1944...	28,232
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....1944...	3	.....1945...	
.....acres 1949...	1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	63
.....1944...	3	.....1945...	
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	24
.....acres 1949...	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	39
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,002
		.....1944...	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
<sup>3</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,356	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	110
1945...	1,343	1945...	79
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	255,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	94.8	1945...	7
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	73,032	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	103
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	185,183	1945...	72
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	30	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	74
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	16,122	1945...	89
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	242,123	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	65
1945...	238,944	1945...	53
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	178.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	37
1945...	177.9	1945...	37
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	50,517	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	97
1945...	33,375	1945...	102
average per acre, dollars 1950*	277.80	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	140
1945...	187.99	1945...	158
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	247
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,233	1945...	252
1944...	1,238	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	153
acres 1949...	188,340	1945...	152
1944...	184,705	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	141
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	75	1945...	141
1944...	36	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	263
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1945...	246
1944...	29	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	29
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1945...	34
1944...	51	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1945...	
1944...	185	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	211	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	519	White operators.....number 1950...	1,356
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	521	1945...	1,343
1944...	338	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	317	1945...	
1944...	613	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	162	Full owners.....number 1950...	406
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	12,334	1945...	438
acres 1949...	3,728	Part owners.....number 1950...	251
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...		1945...	169
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	1
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	92	1945...	14
acres 1949...	2,181	All tenants.....number 1950...	698
1944...	1,551	1945...	722
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	262	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	51.5
1944...	353	1945...	53.8
acres 1949...	14,771	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	41
1944...	21,068	1945...	29
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	465
1944...	45	1945...	380
acres 1949...	1,330	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	171
1944...	2,033	1945...	267
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	85
not cropland).....farms reporting 1949...	531	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
1944...	873	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	46
acres 1949...	15,642	1945...	8
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	20,031	Other tenants.....number 1950...	
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	13
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,286	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	1,295	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	655
acres 1949...	7,525	1945...	511
1944...	5,828	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,346
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	908
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,346
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.40
1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	956
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	370
acres 1949...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	365
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,196
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	731
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	145
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	596
		number 1950...	618
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	791
		number 1950...	797
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	80
		number 1950...	80
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		number 1950...	70
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
			5
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,266		
1945...	1,251		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	83		
1945...	87		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	175		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	415		
1944...	256		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	182		
1944...	103		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	800	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	227
1945.....	458	General farms.....number 1950.....	118
number 1950.....	875	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	45
1945.....	474	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	73
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,126	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	170
1945.....	1,079	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	170
number 1950.....	2,140		
1945.....	1,554		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,106		
number 1950.....	1,915		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	215		
number 1950.....	215		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
number 1950.....	10		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,261		
1945.....	1,223		
number 1950.....	1,501		
1945.....	1,431		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	186		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	38		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	57		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	234		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	841		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,200
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	60
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	545	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	441
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	525	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	404
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	281	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.....	85
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	35
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	916	Other farms.....number 1950.....	156
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	55	Part-time.....number 1950.....	81
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	240	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	75
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.6		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	210	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,484,808
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,156	1944.....	8,680,640
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,967,961
		1944.....	5,110,638
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,952,060
		1944.....	5,072,749
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,206
		1944.....	9,420
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,278
		1944.....	9,331
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,417
		1944.....	19,128
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,514,377
		1944.....	3,567,098
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	519,077
		1944.....	426,458
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	314,558
		1944.....	345,837
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,680,742
		1944.....	2,794,753
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,470
		1944.....	2,924
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	317
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	315
		1945.....	831
		number 1950.....	777
		1945.....	2,246
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
		1945.....	66
		number 1950.....	27
		1945.....	127
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,178
		1945.....	1,235
		number 1950.....	20,177
		1945.....	21,056
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,145
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,205
		number 1950.....	8,480
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	9,790
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,050
		number 1950.....	4,604
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	829
		number 1950.....	4,142
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	710
		number 1950.....	5,007
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	744
		number 1950.....	2,548
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	472
		1944.....	407
		pounds 1949.....	10,123,667
		1944.....	10,437,932
		dollars 1949.....	419,425
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	361
		1944.....	628
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	180,835
		1944.....	352,071
		dollars 1945.....	99,652
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
		1949.....	.....
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,026
		1945.....	1,079
		number 1950.....	41,629
		1945.....	35,170
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	992
		number 1950.....	21,177
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	672
		number 1950.....	20,452
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	887
		1945.....	859
		number 1950.....	7,444
		1945.....	5,984

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	202	Sorghums:	
1945.....	246	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	5,102	1944.....	.....
1945.....	5,106	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	5,106	1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	198	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1950.....	2,892	1944.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	198	acres 1949.....	.....
1945.....	233	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	2,649	bushels 1949.....	.....
1945.....	3,468	1944.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	128	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1950.....	243	acres 1949.....	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	175	1944.....	.....
1950.....	2,210	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....	191	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	207	acres 1949.....	.....
number shorn 1949.....	3,282	1944.....	.....
1949.....	23,471	tons cut 1949.....	.....
1944.....	27,395		
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,164	acres 1949...	114
1945.....	1,244	bushels 1949...	4,335
number 1950.....	100,666	1944.....	273
1945.....	129,382	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	273
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	873	1944.....	34
number 1949.....	93,512	acres 1949...	7,865
dollars 1949.....	102,177	1944.....	845
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	931	bushels 1949...	248,554
dozens 1949.....	583,308	1944.....	13,854
dollars 1949.....	209,889		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	17	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1950.....	121	1944.....	.....
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	20	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	9	1944.....	.....
number 1949.....	361	bushels 1949...	.....
1944.....	157	1944.....	.....
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	993
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,178	1944.....	739
1949.....	3,663,400	acres 1949...	32,286
dollars 1949.....	969	1944.....	17,840
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078	bushels 1949...	1,393,465
1944.....	10,365	1944.....	417,647
number 1949.....	12,223	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	23
1944.....	12,223	1944.....	43
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	698	acres 1949...	190
1944.....	7,495	1944.....	452
number 1949.....	1,363,480	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949.....	680	1944.....	.....
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,870	acres 1949...	5
1944.....	240,454	1944.....	.....
number 1949.....	1,050	bushels 1949...	104
dollars 1949.....	1,092	1944.....	.....
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	50,955	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	56,275	1944.....	8
dollars 1949.....	1,989,408	acres 1949...	39
1944.....	159	1944.....	65
number 1949.....	3,300	bushels 1949...	550
1944.....	3,082	1944.....	930
dollars 1949.....	62,792	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	51	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	920
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	176	1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,078
1949.....	5,266	acres 1949...	43,452
dollars 1949.....	5,266	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	64,316
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	910
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	984	1944.....	1,044
1949.....	538	acres 1949...	43,203
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	631	1944.....	63,215
1944.....	160	bushels 1949...	1,220,315
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	351	1944.....	1,536,287
1944.....	184	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949.....	388	acres 1949...	191
1944.....	390	tons 1949...	452
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	256	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	447	acres 1949...	6
number 1949.....	297	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	903	acres 1949...	52
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,095	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	2,096	1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	2
number 1949.....	3,015	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	220	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	20
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7,093	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949.....	7,093	1944.....	2
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres 1949...	.....
Corn:		bushels 1949...	.....
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,193	1944.....	42
1944.....	1,199	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	94,263	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	87,964	tons 1949...	5
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,188	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	1,198	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	92,296	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	87,598	acres 1949...	4
bushels 1949...	5,336,994		
1944.....	3,630,093		
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	28		
1949.....	227		
tons..green weight 1949...	2,371		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	103		
acres 1949...	740		

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	594	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	9,428	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	393	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
.....acres 1949.....	322	.....acres 1949.....	17
.....acres 1949.....	4,716	.....acres 1949.....	99
.....acres 1949.....	2,975	.....acres 1949.....	134
.....tons 1949.....	12,029	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	6,297	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	254	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	535	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	4,276	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	3,833	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	5,262	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	13,214	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	8	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*) 1
.....acres 1949.....	68	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	11	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*) .....
.....tons 1949.....	123	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	8	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	.....acres 1949.....	7
.....acres 1949.....	3	.....acres 1949.....	19
.....acres 1949.....	185	.....acres 1949.....	20
.....acres 1949.....	14	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	227	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	11	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	21	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	225	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	169	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	13
.....tons 1949.....	250	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	134	.....quarts 1949.....	1,561
.....acres 1949.....	1	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	4
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	10	.....quarts 1949.....	816
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	28	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	747
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	40	.....1945.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	184	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	75
.....acres 1949.....	684	.....1945.....	13
.....acres 1949.....	3,099	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	539
.....bushels 1949.....	295	.....1945.....	562
.....bushels 1949.....	1,733	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,440
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	3,629
.....acres 1949.....	4	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	972
.....pounds 1949.....	400	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,468
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	4,218
.....acres 1949.....	34	.....1944.....	1,328
.....bushels 1949.....	37	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	603
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	674
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,367
.....pounds 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	5,286
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,109
.....acres 1949.....	25	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,258
.....bushels 1949.....	19	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,775
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	178	.....1944.....	2,172
.....1944.....	174	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	275
.....acres 1949.....	9	.....1945.....	264
.....acres 1949.....	23	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	690
.....bushels 1949.....	1,839	.....1945.....	610
.....bushels 1949.....	1,462	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	209
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	481
.....1944.....	37	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	837
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 6	.....1944.....	847
.....bushels 1949.....	75	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	432
.....bushels 1949.....	123	.....1945.....	483
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,302
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,701
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	360
.....gallons 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	942
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	13,675
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	20,056
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	193
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	.....1945.....	198
.....acres 1949.....	98	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	587
.....acres 1949.....	1,859	.....1945.....	701
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	943	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	159
.....1944.....	1,207	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	408
.....acres 1949.....	19	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	200
.....acres 1949.....	22	.....1944.....	27
.....acres 1949.....	122	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	205
.....acres 1949.....	163	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	508
.....acres 1949.....	11,206	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	229
.....acres 1949.....	9,410	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	279
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*) 1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	134
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....1950.....	421
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....farms reporting 1945.....	524
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,813
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....1945.....	3,119
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	323
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,488
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	25,837
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....1944.....	53,221
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	12
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 2	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	27
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	16
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 2	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	13
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 4	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	60
.....acres 1949.....	(*) 4	.....1944.....	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,358	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	118
1945...	1,283	1945...	53
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	268,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.5	1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	84,217	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	94
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	186,127	1945...	48
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,043	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	54
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,789	1945...	65
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	248,598	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	46
1945...	251,904	1945...	31
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	183.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	38
1945...	196.3	1945...	38
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	52,815	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	158
1945...	41,456	1945...	148
average per acre, dollars 1950*	302.04	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	156
1945...	211.15	1945...	138
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	198
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,218	1945...	205
1944...	1,217	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	125
acres 1949...	213,815	1945...	138
1944...	211,941	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	157
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1945...	144
1944...	41	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	266
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945...	274
1944...	22	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	40
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1945...	49
1944...	20	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1945...	
1944...	48		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	245	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	220	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	417	White operators.....number 1950...	1,358
1944...	446	1945...	1,280
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	431	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	3
1944...	420	1945...	3
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	726	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	585	Full owners.....number 1950...	374
acres 1949...	11,603	1945...	306
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	10,761	Part owners.....number 1950...	348
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	307
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1944...	1,672	1945...	6
1945...	1,399	All tenants.....number 1950...	633
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	213	1945...	664
1944...	191	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	46.6
acres 1949...	5,952	1945...	51.8
1944...	5,489	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	37
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	78	1945...	29
1944...	67	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	398
acres 1949...	1,405	1945...	474
1944...	1,338	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	174
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	147
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	346	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	125
1944...	561	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	49
acres 1949...	5,646	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
1944...	10,190	1945...	14
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,276	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944...	1,268		
acres 1949...	8,505	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>2</sup></b>	
1944...	10,786	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	898
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	768
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,189
acres 1949...		1945...	584
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,189
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.27
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	699
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	338
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	377
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	451
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	95
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	635
		number 1950...	659
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	710
		number 1950...	725
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		number 1950...	60
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	51
		number 1950...	56
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
			5
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,246		
1945...	1,179		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	102		
1945...	96		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	147		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	395		
1944...	306		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	127		
1944...	71		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>--Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued</b>	
Mototrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	536	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	126
1945.....	448	General farms.....number 1950...	106
number 1950.....	575	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	474	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	48
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,625	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	53
1945.....	1,044	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	100
number 1950.....	2,143		
1945.....	1,662		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,060	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
number 1950.....	1,916	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,258
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	217	Class I (Value of products sold \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	39
number 1950.....	217	Class II (Value of products sold \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	440
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class III (Value of products sold \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	421
number 1950.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	203
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,155	Class V (Value of products sold \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	87
1945.....	1,074	Class VI (Value of products sold \$250-\$1,199) <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	68
number 1950.....	1,421	Other farms.....number 1950...	100
1945.....	1,352	Part-time <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	43
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	57
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	208	Abnormal <sup>4</sup> .....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	14		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	87	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	178	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	13,345,178
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	871	1944.....	10,405,281
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	10,048,869
		1944.....	7,379,961
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	10,026,698
		1944.....	7,364,279
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,126
		1944.....	11,168
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,795
		1944.....	1,476
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	12,250
		1944.....	1,038
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,293,965
		1944.....	3,082,292
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	420,814
		1944.....	389,163
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	454,702
		1944.....	410,374
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,418,449
		1944.....	2,232,755
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,344
		1944.....	3,028
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	324
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	315
		1945.....	763
		number 1950.....	1,357
		1945.....	2,618
		number 1950.....	12
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		1945.....	22
		number 1950.....	88
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,136
		1945.....	1,189
		number 1950.....	12,584
		1945.....	15,627
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,116
		1945.....	1,174
		number 1950.....	5,603
		1945.....	7,452
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
		number 1950.....	3,959
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	727
		number 1950.....	3,017
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	567
		number 1950.....	2,157
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	673
		number 1950.....	1,807
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	329
		1944.....	273
		number 1949.....	8,128,138
		1944.....	8,204,271
		Cream sold.....dollars 1949...	294,755
		1944.....	473
		farms reporting 1949.....	649
		1944.....	231,426
		number 1949.....	349,221
		1944.....	125,936
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	153
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	933
		1945.....	1,031
		number 1950.....	28,437
		1945.....	29,526
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	889
		number 1950.....	12,986
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	651
		number 1950.....	15,431
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	813
		1945.....	842
		number 1950.....	4,701
		1945.....	4,495

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



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	148	Sorghums:	
1945.....	168	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	2,937	1944.....	1
1945.....	3,089	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....		1944.....	2
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	147	1944.....	
number 1950...	1,727	acres 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	144	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	153	bushels 1949.....	
number 1950...	1,568	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,646	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	83	1944.....	
number 1950...	159	acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	132	1944.....	
number 1950...	1,210	tons, green weight 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	138	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	147	cut for dry fodder or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949...	1,720	1944.....	1
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	14,121	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	14,117	tons cut 1949.....	3
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,125	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1945.....	1,172	acres 1949...	190
number 1950...	110,265	bushels 1949...	7,680
1945.....	138,698	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	385
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	905	1944.....	87
number 1949...	148,555	acres 1949...	13,527
dollars 1949...	158,360	1944.....	7,354
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	978	bushels 1949...	415,406
dozens 1949...	837,234	1944.....	51,527
dollars 1949...	291,289	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	8	1944.....	
number 1950...	33	acres 1949.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1944.....	
1944.....	12	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949...	697	1944.....	
1944.....	798	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	979
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	874
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	33,733
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,156	1944.....	23,822
dollars 1949...	2,397,022	bushels 1949...	1,439,226
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	949	1944.....	829,827
1944.....	1,009	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	26
number 1949...	6,795	1944.....	28
1944.....	8,992	acres 1949...	351
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	668	1944.....	294
number 1949...	4,577	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	781,068	1944.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	662	acres 1949...	15
number 1949...	2,238	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	146,137	bushels 1949...	250
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	971	1944.....	
1944.....	1,055	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1949...	35,737	1944.....	6
1944.....	51,972	acres 1949...	123
dollars 1949...	1,425,158	1944.....	55
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	137	bushels 1949...	1,973
1944.....	106	1944.....	1,160
number 1949...	1,913	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,397	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,017
dollars 1949...	36,361	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,063
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	77	acres 1949...	62,206
number 1949...	157	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	82,373
dollars 1949...	8,298	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	998
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	1,039
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	949	acres 1949...	61,664
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	521	1944.....	81,614
number 1949...	647	bushels 1949...	1,654,790
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	204	1944.....	1,976,312
1944.....	313	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	72
number 1949...	281	acres 1949...	376
1944.....	413	1944.....	620
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	330	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	362	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	431	acres 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	854	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	979	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949...	1,799	acres 1949...	166
1944.....	2,577	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	3
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	259	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	14,258	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
Corn:		1944.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,201	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,185	1944.....	
acres 1949...	97,667	bushels 1949...	
1944.....	90,832	1944.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,198	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1,185	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	97,110	1944.....	
1944.....	90,499	tons 1949...	6
bushels 1949...	5,473,216	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	4,717,594	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	27	acres 1949...	
1944.....	146	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	1,421	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons, green weight 1949...		acres 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green		acres 1949...	
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	51		
acres 1949...	411		

<sup>1</sup>Wethers and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	411	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	5,602	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	233	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	221	acres 1949.....	21
acres 1949.....	2,042	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	1,737	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	172
tons 1949.....	5,166	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	3,946	Horse radish.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	191	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	433	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	2,587	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	8,020	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	2,867	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	9,726	acres 1949.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	3	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	75	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	19	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	109	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	19	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	14	acres 1949.....	21
acres 1949.....	155	acres 1949.....	73
1944.....	148	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	225	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	111	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	161	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	231	acres 1949.....	7
tons 1949.....	145	quarts 1949.....	8,634
1944.....	234	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	16
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....		quarts 1949.....	1,371
tons, green weight 1949.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	661
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1945.....	19
1944.....	89	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	90
acres 1949.....	269	1945.....	34
1944.....	1,707	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	507
bushels 1949.....	115	1945.....	122
1944.....	808	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,775
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	1,917
acres 1949.....	27	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,015
pounds 1949.....	3,350	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,760
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	5,883
acres 1949.....	136	1944.....	434
bushels 1949.....	360	farms reporting 1950.....	490
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	125
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,811
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	1,724
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,052
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,759
bushels 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,053
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	369	1944.....	727
1944.....	148	farms reporting 1950.....	257
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	6	1945.....	58
1944.....	18	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	553
bushels 1949.....	2,996	1945.....	128
1944.....	974	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	181
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	84	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	372
1944.....	77	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	575
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	1944.....	68
1944.....	8	farms reporting 1950.....	381
bushels 1949.....	181	1945.....	105
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	265	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,248
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	425
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	372
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	92	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	876
acres 1949.....	30	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	16,225
1944.....	821	1944.....	4,769
Popcorn harvested.....lb. of brush 1949.....	504,884	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	178
farms reporting 1949.....	57	1945.....	36
acres 1949.....	52	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	537
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	601	1945.....	155
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,002	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	158
1944.....	1,202	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	379
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	21	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	261
1944.....	58	1944.....	53
acres 1949.....	35	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	157
1944.....	252	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	407
sold..dollars 1949.....	3,126	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	149
1944.....	13,168	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	258
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	239
acres 1949.....	(*)	farms reporting 1950.....	392
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	199
1944.....	3	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	2,271
acres 1949.....	11	1945.....	1,568
1944.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	346
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,925
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	24,884
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	19,472
acres 1949.....	(*)	Improved and seedling peacans.....farms reporting 1950...	16
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	2
1944.....	3	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	107
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	5
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	30
farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	77
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	450
1944.....		1944.....	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/2 acre.   
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,428	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	347
1945...	1,503	1945...	353
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	211,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	68
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	60.7	1945...	47
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	63,003	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	279
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	62,692	1945...	306
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,419	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	251
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,596	1945...	196
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	128,518	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	83
1945...	143,454	1945...	93
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	90.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	56
1945...	95.4	1945...	62
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	30,484	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	150
1945...	20,180	1945...	165
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	336.65	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	166
1945...	211.43	1945...	229
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	155
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,248	1945...	161
1944...	1,378	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	90
acres 1949...	95,667	1945...	116
1944...	109,564	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	48
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	333	1945...	57
1944...	356	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	68
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	116	1945...	52
1944...	81	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	14
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	46	1945...	18
1944...	56	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	76	1945...	1
1944...	91		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	270	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	328	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	318	White operators.....number 1950...	1,428
1944...	373	1945...	1,503
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	89	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	93	1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	492	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	355	Full owners.....number 1950...	868
acres 1949...	10,242	1945...	805
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	5,677	Part owners.....number 1950...	198
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	177
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	149	Managers.....number 1950...	24
acres 1949...	2,424	1945...	52
1944...	1,076	All tenants.....number 1950...	338
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	190	1945...	469
acres 1949...	258	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	23.7
1944...	5,317	1945...	31.2
1944...	7,460	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	180
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	76	1945...	272
acres 1949...	1,434	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	27
1944...	1,186	1945...	15
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	72
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	259	1945...	64
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	461	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	14
acres 1949...	4,635	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	8,301	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	1
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,336	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944...	1,475		
acres 1949...	8,799	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	10,190	Telephone.....farms reporting 1949...	1,180
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944...	1,082
1944...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1949...	1,415
acres 1949...	63	1944...	1,391
1944...	10	From a power line.....farms reporting 1949...	1,410
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1949...	13.73
acres 1949...	63	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,249
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	592
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	650
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,181
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	618
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	91
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	322
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	358
		number 1950...	363
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	393
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,260	number 1950...	408
1945...	1,450	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	192
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	57	number 1950...	197
1945...	44	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	553
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	722
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	380	Fit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	552	number 1950...	10
1944...	489		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	434		
1944...	438		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	574	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	228
1945.....	514	General farms.....number 1950...	120
number 1950.....	717	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	—
1945.....	613	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	28
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,034	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	88
1945.....	984	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	499
number 1950.....	1,749		
1945.....	1,350		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	934	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
number 1950.....	1,529	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	986
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	185	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	85
number 1950.....	204	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	202
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	232
number 1950.....	16	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	222
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,210	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	130
1945.....	1,329	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	54
number 1950.....	1,870	Other farms.....number 1950...	442
1945.....	1,742	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	142
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	291
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	380	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	5
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	34	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	270	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,991,725
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	734	1944.....	6,681,386
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,876,411
		1944.....	2,316,950
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,608,412
		1944.....	1,259,704
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	163,796
		1944.....	229,681
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	12,630
		1944.....	4,245
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollar 1949...	2,093,627
		1944.....	823,319
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,112,977
		1944.....	4,368,711
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,055,192
		1944.....	2,075,257
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	847,662
		1944.....	475,267
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,210,115
		1944.....	1,812,235
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	247
		1944.....	1,725
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	384
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	275
		1945.....	754
		number 1950.....	1,034
		1945.....	1,941
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		1945.....	22
		number 1950.....	17
		1945.....	45
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	771
		1945.....	925
		number 1950.....	17,663
		1945.....	22,717
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	655
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	870
		number 1950.....	9,200
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	13,182
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	680
		number 1950.....	8,780
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	468
		number 1950.....	3,330
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	462
		number 1950.....	3,962
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	345
		number 1950.....	1,121
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	399
		1944.....	522
		pounds 1949.....	55,743,627
		dollars 1949.....	66,921,278
		1945.....	2,016,365
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	38
		1944.....	27
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	63,357
		number 1950.....	47,573
		dollars 1949.....	37,226
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		dollars 1949.....	1,605
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	556
		1945.....	711
		number 1950.....	23,585
		1945.....	22,496
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	527
		number 1950.....	11,433
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	282
		number 1950.....	12,152
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	421
		1945.....	521
		number 1950.....	4,126
		1945.....	4,113

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	64	Sorghums:	
1945.....	69	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950...	1,101	1944.....	10
1945.....	1,586	acres 1949...	21
1944.....		1944.....	81
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	63	1944.....	
number 1950...	655	acres 1949...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	59	1944.....	
number 1950...	43	bushels 1949...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	542	1944.....	
number 1950...	811	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	40	acres 1949...	9
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	113	1944.....	
number 1950...	48	tons, green weight 1949...	125
1945.....	446	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	47	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	36	acres 1949...	12
number shorn 1949.....	623	1944.....	2
pounds 1949.....	3,943	Small grains:	
1944.....	6,460	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		acres 1949...	263
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,015	bushels 1949...	9,410
1945.....	1,199	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	166
number 1950...	138,204	1944.....	105
1945.....	148,013	acres 1949...	2,869
1944.....		1944.....	1,162
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	536	bushels 1949...	75,740
number 1949...	241,253	1944.....	31,319
dollars 1949...	270,665	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	39
1944.....		1944.....	73
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	721	acres 1949...	377
dozens 1949...	1,028,136	1944.....	303
dollars 1949...	472,253	bushels 1949...	7,386
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	21	1944.....	7,165
number 1950...	1,769	1944.....	870
1949.....	60	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	840
1944.....	51	acres 1949...	27,083
number 1949...	10,393	1944.....	27,127
1944.....	8,297	bushels 1949...	1,327,999
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	1,190,913
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	16
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	760	1944.....	13
dollars 1949...	3,079,482	acres 1949...	103
1944.....		1944.....	147
number 1949...	12,408	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	12,420	1944.....	34
number 1949...	470	acres 1949...	425
1944.....	7,500	1944.....	401
dollars 1949...	1,648,712	bushels 1949...	12,847
1944.....		1944.....	9,845
number 1949...	462	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	4,908	1944.....	19
dollars 1949...	138,423	acres 1949...	197
1944.....		1944.....	182
number 1949...	544	bushels 1949...	4,457
1944.....	652	1944.....	4,234
number 1949...	28,711	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	30,250	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	399
dollars 1949...	1,260,175	1944.....	582
1944.....		acres 1949...	8,403
number 1949...	48	1944.....	10,513
1944.....	33	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	378
dollars 1949...	22,668	1944.....	464
number 1949...	141	acres 1949...	7,944
1944.....	9,510	1944.....	8,850
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949...	187,340
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	473	1944.....	173,394
1944.....	245	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	39
number 1949...	420	acres 1949...	376
1944.....		1944.....	440
number 1949...	168	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	210	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	218	acres 1949...	23
1944.....	288	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	99	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	110	acres 1949...	60
number 1949...	202	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	222	1944.....	
number 1949...	392	acres 1949...	7
1944.....	600	1944.....	
number 1949...	958	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1,624	1944.....	
number 1949...		acres 1949...	5
1944.....		bushels 1949...	100
number 1949...		1944.....	
1944.....		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	2
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	5,985	tons 1949...	4
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Corn:		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	981	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,166	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	39,731	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	49,320	acres 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	960	1944.....	
1944.....	1,148	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	33,684	1944.....	
1944.....	40,437	acres 1949...	7
bushels 1949...	1,688,424	1944.....	
1944.....	1,925,599	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	377	1944.....	
acres 1949...	5,110	acres 1949...	5
1944.....		bushels 1949...	100
tons, green weight 1949...	54,679	1944.....	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	122	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	937	1944.....	
		tons 1949...	4
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Key crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	704	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	23
acres 1949.....	14,425	acres 1949.....	44
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	463	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	53
1944.....	406	acres 1944.....	101
acres 1949.....	8,031	acres 1949.....	265
1944.....	6,252	acres 1944.....	471
tons 1949.....	19,230	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	23
1944.....	14,498	acres 1949.....	31
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	368	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	600	acres 1949.....	8
acres 1949.....	5,608	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	9,934	acres 1949.....	80
tons 1949.....	9,239	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	17,037	acres 1944.....	14
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1949.....	65
1944.....	43	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	15
acres 1949.....	30	acres 1949.....	11
1944.....	30	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	8
tons 1949.....	29	acres 1949.....	14
1944.....	44	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	54
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1944.....	96
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	155
acres 1949.....	37	acres 1944.....	260
1944.....	15	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	30	acres 1949.....	9
1944.....	29	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	131
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	44	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	642	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	1,527	acres 1949.....	4
tons 1949.....	682	quarts 1949.....	2,098
1944.....	2,120	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	16
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	12	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	216	quarts 1949.....	2,255
tons, green weight 1949.....	1,067	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	775
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945.....	231
1944.....	31	acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> .....	322
acres 1949.....	259	1945.....	242
1944.....	428	acres 1945.....	703
bushels 1949.....	240	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	755
1944.....	387	1945.....	12,425
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	11,318
acres 1949.....		1945.....	2,421
pounds 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	10,004
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	14,882
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,576
bushels 1949.....		1944.....	359
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	313
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,730
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	1,271
Alaska clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	893
acres 1949.....	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	837
bushels 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	674
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1944.....	147
1944.....	64	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	481
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	19	1945.....	552
1944.....	52	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,530
bushels 1949.....	1,527	1945.....	2,879
1944.....	1,622	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	618
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,232
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,496
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	1944.....	1,193
1944.....		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	457
bushels 1949.....	11	1945.....	563
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,696
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	2,609
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	533
gallons 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,157
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	10,401
acres 1949.....		1944.....	15,212
lb. of brush 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	223
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	203
acres 1949.....	73	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,007
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	647	1945.....	815
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	914	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	510
1944.....	1,318	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	497
acres 1949.....	83	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	211
1944.....	158	1944.....	65
acres 1949.....	916	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	63
1944.....	1,675	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	135
acres 1949.....	163,790	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	78
1944.....	229,681	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	57
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	12
acres 1949.....	60	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	270
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	18	1945.....	7,460
1944.....	30	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	7,340
acres 1949.....	15	1945.....	3,209
1944.....	43	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,051
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	28,693
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	16,213
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	15	1944.....	10
acres 1949.....	12	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945.....	67
1944.....	54	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	35
acres 1949.....	47	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	32
1944.....	151	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	380
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	28	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	33	1944.....	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.

<sup>2</sup>For 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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,886	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	93
.....1945...	2,121	.....1945...	148
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	401,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945...	411,500	.....1945...	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.5	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	75
.....1945...	91.5	.....1945...	142
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	160,255	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	132
.....1945...	245,233	.....1945...	209
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,490	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	97
.....1945...	39,240	.....1945...	139
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	367,838	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	98
.....1945...	380,728	.....1945...	98
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	195.0	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	184
.....1945...	179.5	.....1945...	155
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	45,464	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	224
.....1945...	28,625	.....1945...	243
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	219.41	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	216
.....1945...	159.80	.....1945...	264
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	190
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,671	.....1945...	206
.....acres 1949...	1,791	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	151
.....1944...	273,143	.....1945...	154
.....1944...	281,472	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	413
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	85	.....1945...	420
.....1944...	104	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	82
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	76	.....1945...	75
.....1944...	76	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	9
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	62	.....1945...	10
.....1944...	81		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	120	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	123	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	282	White operators.....number 1950...	1,886
.....1944...	326	.....1945...	2,121
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	517	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	561	.....1945...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	529	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	520	Full owners.....number 1950...	686
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	915	.....1945...	859
.....acres 1949...	549	Part owners.....number 1950...	451
.....1944...	23,894	.....1945...	343
.....1944...	16,113	Managers.....number 1950...	6
		.....1945...	15
Cropland not harvested and not		All tenants.....number 1950...	743
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	203	.....1945...	904
.....acres 1949...	5,256	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.4
.....1944...	1,383	.....1945...	42.6
.....1944...	560	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	43
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	307	.....1945...	85
.....acres 1949...	23,508	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	451
.....1944...	12,766	.....1945...	203
.....1944...	217	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	211
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	139	.....1945...	973
.....acres 1949...	6,669	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	148
.....1944...	3,519	.....1945...	63
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	38
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	43
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	718	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	1,362	.....1945...	31
.....1949...	20,382	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	52,597		
Other land (house lots, roads,		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,771	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,138
.....1944...	2,036	.....1945...	1,230
.....acres 1949...	14,986	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,520
.....1944...	12,878	.....1945...	1,302
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,500
.....1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	8.61
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	858
.....1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	401
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	487
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,387
		.....1945...	719
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	156
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	882
		.....1945...	941
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	977
		.....1945...	1,032
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		.....1945...	99
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	82
		.....1945...	102
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....1945...	11

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

FARM, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, AND FARM PRODUCTS

DEKALB COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b> -Continued		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b> -Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	978	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	518
.....1945...	914	General farms.....number 1950...	198
.....number 1950...	1,059	.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	946	.....number 1950...	56
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,369	.....number 1950...	137
.....1945...	1,436	.....number 1950...	172
.....number 1950...	2,813	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....1945...	2,218	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,714
.....number 1950...	1,344	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	130
.....number 1950...	2,523	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	582
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	229	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	390
.....number 1950...	229	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	293
.....number 1950...	56	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	187
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	61	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	132
.....number 1950...	61	Other farms.....number 1950...	172
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,424	.....number 1950...	80
.....1945...	1,825	Part-time.....number 1950...	92
.....number 1950...	1,702	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	92
.....number 1950...	2,113	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	.....
Farms by class of work power:		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	373	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	17,792,363
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	26	.....1944...	15,227,743
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	72	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	10,387,296
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	408	.....1944...	9,048,639
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,007	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	10,206,922
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944...	8,873,128
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	143,993
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	86	.....1944...	156,349
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	468	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	27,281
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	733	.....1944...	11,790
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	486	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	9,100
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944...	7,372
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,397,964
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	859	.....1944...	6,173,440
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	542,377
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	21	.....1944...	574,286
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	96	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	437,781
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0	.....1944...	519,114
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	6,417,806
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	611	.....1944...	5,082,040
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,103
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	50	.....1944...	2,664
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Weak preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	560
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,509	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	533
.....persons 1950...	2,669	.....1945...	1,196
.....1945...	1,476	.....number 1950...	1,304
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,476	.....1945...	3,242
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,451	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	48
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	396	.....1945...	133
Hired workers.....persons 1950...	497	.....number 1950...	126
.....1945...	489	.....1945...	306
.....persons 1950...	721	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,639
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,724	.....1945...	1,899
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,454	.....number 1950...	26,694
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,117	.....1945...	29,991
dollars 1949...	303,362	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,597
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,249	.....1944...	1,839
dollars 1949...	1,008,025	.....number 1950...	9,991
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,589	.....1945...	11,475
dollars 1949...	1,436,183	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,464
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,438	.....number 1950...	6,477
dollars 1949...	2,040,307	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,049
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,436	.....number 1950...	5,349
dollars 1949...	413,203	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,833
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,449	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	7,743
dollars 1949...	1,009,281	.....number 1950...	1,020
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,247	.....number 1950...	3,611
dollars 1949...	318,809	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3,405
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,159	.....1944...	446
dollars 1949...	370,182	.....pounds 1949...	12,533,849
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....dollars 1949...	12,780,434
to sales.....number 1950...	25	.....farms reporting 1949...	392,907
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	67	.....dollars 1949...	626
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	52	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	908
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	42	.....dollars 1949...	255,575
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	79	.....1944...	384,410
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	63	.....dollars 1949...	148,299
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	163	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	159	.....dollars 1949...	1,211
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	195	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	329	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,461
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	712	.....1945...	1,650
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950...	68,617
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	907	.....1945...	61,857
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	907	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,403
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	33,341
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,050
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	35,276
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,248
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	61	.....1945...	1,343
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	25	.....number 1950...	9,900
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	8,705

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

<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.

<sup>3</sup>Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	314	Sorghums:	
1945.....	286	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	7,034	1944.....	.....
1945.....	4,463	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	306	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	4,256	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	305	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	3,862	bushels 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	3,254	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	186	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	394	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	266	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	2,778	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	268	tons, green weight 1949.....	.....
1944.....	252	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number shorn 1949.....	3,920	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	31,339	1949.....	.....
1944.....	29,173	acres 1949.....	.....
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	tons cut 1949.....	.....
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Small grains:	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,551	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1945.....	1,874	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950.....	131,969	1949.....	133
1945.....	187,436	bushels 1949.....	3,520
1944.....	.....	1949.....	815
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,146	1944.....	448
number 1949.....	136,857	acres 1949.....	28,625
1944.....	155,498	1944.....	12,783
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,215	bushels 1949.....	763,351
dozens 1949.....	754,991	1944.....	271,096
1944.....	276,035	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	22	1944.....	1
1945.....	175	acres 1949.....	411
number 1950.....	175	1944.....	30
1944.....	34	bushels 1949.....	9,713
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	31	1944.....	400
number 1949.....	1,032	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,137
1944.....	1,589	1944.....	959
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres 1949.....	35,454
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	27,451
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,676	bushels 1949.....	1,344,730
1949.....	6,394,243	1944.....	945,151
dollars 1949.....	1,359	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944.....	1,516	1944.....	56
number 1949.....	16,217	acres 1949.....	649
1944.....	19,784	1941.....	729
number 1949.....	971	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	12,000	1944.....	1
dollars 1949.....	2,380,823	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	864	1944.....	8
number 1949.....	4,217	bushels 1949.....	675
1944.....	333,752	1944.....	240
dollars 1949.....	1,515	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944.....	1,564	1944.....	60
number 1949.....	88,326	acres 1949.....	198
1944.....	105,286	1944.....	826
dollars 1949.....	3,527,844	bushels 1949.....	2,725
1944.....	229	1944.....	10,105
number 1949.....	169	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	4,224	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,266
dollars 1949.....	3,434	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,492
1944.....	77,701	acres 1949.....	75,300
number 1949.....	96	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	102,510
1944.....	1,131	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,246
dollars 1949.....	74,123	1944.....	1,400
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		acres 1949.....	74,449
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,388	1944.....	99,779
1949.....	655	bushels 1949.....	1,960,264
number 1949.....	750	1944.....	2,463,689
1944.....	149	acres 1949.....	732
number 1949.....	120	1944.....	1,074
1944.....	174	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949.....	135	1949.....	.....
1944.....	518	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1949.....	503	1944.....	.....
1944.....	376	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949.....	537	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1,299	1949.....	4
number 1949.....	1,565	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	2,997	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949.....	4,360	1949.....	115
1944.....	.....	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	.....
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	151	acres 1949.....	25
1949.....	7,557	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	.....
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1944.....	.....
Corn:		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,577	1944.....	.....
1944.....	1,691	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	119,302	1944.....	.....
1944.....	116,147	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	bushels 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	1944.....	.....
number 1949.....	1,570	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1,688	1944.....	25
acres 1949.....	117,849	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	115,863	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
bushels 1949.....	6,802,637	1949.....	.....
1944.....	5,971,230	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1949.....	36	1944.....	20
1944.....	339	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949.....	3,448	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	.....	1949.....	.....
tons, green weight 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1949.....	107	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	1,114	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	593	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	10,616	acres 1949...	(*) 10
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	219	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	22
acres 1949...	2,518	acres 1949...	52
tons 1949...	1,951	acres 1944...	254
acres 1944...	6,003	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1944...	4,138	acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	398	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	716	acres 1949...	
acres 1944...	6,649	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1944...	16,542	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	8,390	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944...	23,346	acres 1944...	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	55	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	12	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944...	787	acres 1949...	
tons 1944...	115	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	920	acres 1949...	
acres 1944...	128	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	62
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	43	acres 1944...	120
acres 1949...	12	acres 1949...	1,221
acres 1944...	494	acres 1944...	1,040
tons 1944...	126	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949...	586	acres 1949...	2
acres 1944...	152	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	10		
acres 1949...	180	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1944...	97	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	38
tons 1949...	202	acres 1949...	71
acres 1944...	114	quarts 1949...	91,233
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...		acres 1944...	1
acres 1944...		quarts 1949...	503
tons, green weight 1949...			
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	601
acres 1949...	178	acres 1945...	49
acres 1944...	484	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	83
bushels 1949...	3,339	acres 1945...	50
acres 1944...	249	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	435
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,521	acres 1945...	76
acres 1949...	11	trees of all ages, number 1950...	3,295
pounds 1949...	106	acres 1945...	2,443
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12,400	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	750
acres 1949...	20	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	2,545
acres 1944...	278	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	4,325
bushels 1949...	553	acres 1944...	331
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	439
acres 1949...	9	acres 1945...	382
pounds 1949...	1,000	trees of all ages, number 1950...	3,222
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1945...	1,556
acres 1949...	101	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	859
bushels 1949...	112	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	3,324
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	377	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	1,249
acres 1944...	130	acres 1944...	1,322
acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> ...	24	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	241
acres 1944...	30	acres 1945...	190
bushels 1949...	5,178	trees of all ages, number 1950...	459
acres 1944...	1,469	acres 1945...	647
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	108	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	135
acres 1944...	22	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	324
acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> ...	(*) 4	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	404
bushels 1949...	254	acres 1944...	479
acres 1944...	160	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	510
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1945...	302
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages, number 1950...	87
gallons 1949...	54	acres 1945...	1,104
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	129
acres 1949...	57	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	867
lb. of brush 1949...	16,362	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	6,077
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1944...	8,869
acres 1949...	64	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	160
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	829	acres 1945...	71
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,082	trees of all ages, number 1950...	342
acres 1944...	1,729	acres 1945...	350
acres 1949...	142	acres 1950...	140
acres 1944...	1,288	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	462
acres 1949...	1,305	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	123
acres 1944...	143,993	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	12
acres 1949...	156,349	acres 1944...	14
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	16
acres 1949...	1	acres 1950...	169
acres 1944...	3	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	172
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	69
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	222
acres 1944...	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	341
acres 1949...	12	acres 1945...	1,287
acres 1944...	1	acres 1949...	34
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages, number 1950...	34
acres 1949...	(*) 1	vines not of bearing age, number 1950...	983
acres 1944...	(*) 1	vines of bearing age, number 1950...	11,444
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 1	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	12,449
acres 1949...	(*) 1	acres 1944...	6
acres 1944...	(*) 2	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 2	acres 1945...	
acres 1944...	(*) 1	trees of all ages, number 1950...	6
acres 1949...	(*) 1	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	4
acres 1944...	(*) 1	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	130
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 1	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	
acres 1949...	(*) 1	acres 1944...	

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
<sup>3</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 933 1945... 993	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 87 1945... 98
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 144,000 1945... 92,0	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 25 1945... 4
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 92.0 1945... 92.191	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 62 1945... 94
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 60,855 1945... 550	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 81 1945... 101
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 21,068 1945... 21,068	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 73 1945... 96
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 132,528 1945... 131,044	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 67 1945... 59
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 142.0 1945... 132.0	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 84 1945... 109
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 14,430 1945... 7,073	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 149 1945... 124
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 93.60 1945... 53.99	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 105 1945... 115
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950... 14,430 1945... 7,073	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 83 1945... 100
average per acre, dollars	1950... 93.60 1945... 53.99	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 82 1945... 67
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 104 1945... 111
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 777 1944... 741	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 17 1945... 12
acres	1949... 71,303 1944... 68,437	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 55 1944... 33	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 68 1944... 45	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 44 1944... 49	White operators.....number	1950... 933 1945... 993
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 107 1944... 110	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 218 1944... 221	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 218 1944... 230	Full owners.....number	1950... 459 1945... 475
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 67 1944... 53	Part owners.....number	1950... 328 1945... 282
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 592 1944 <sup>1</sup> ... 296	Managers.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
acres	1949... 19,206 1944 <sup>1</sup> ... 9,995	All tenants.....number	1950... 145 1945... 236
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 368 1944... 11,044	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 15.5 1945... 23.8
acres	1949... 8,255 1944... 250	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 11 1945... 33
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 250 1944... 213	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 32 1945... 10
acres	1949... 3,438 1944... 3,674	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 85 1945... 189
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 397 1944... 333	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 64 1945... 21
acres	1949... 7,701 1944... 6,103	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 17 1945... 4
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 313 1944 <sup>1</sup> ... 695	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 7 1945... 10
acres	1949... 8,314 1944 <sup>1</sup> ... 24,754	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 912 1944... 985	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 581 1945... 699
acres	1949... 11,522 1944... 9,826	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 776 1945... 473
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 761 1945... 6,82
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 236 1945... 131
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 180 1945... 686
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 866 1945... 967	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 191 1945... 5
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 48 1945... 25	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 35 1945... 296
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 216 1944... 343	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 270 1945... 280
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 267 1944... 167	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 30 1945... 35
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 167 1944... 158	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 91 1945... 106
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 91 1945... 106
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	321	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	307
.....1945.....	151	General farms.....number 1950.....	153
.....number 1950.....	333	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	159	.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	556	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	439	.....number 1950.....	117
.....number 1950.....	793	.....number 1950.....	194
.....1945.....	505	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	551		
.....1945.....	748		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	40	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	739
.....1945.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	16
.....number 1950.....	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	201
.....1945.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	609
.....number 1950.....	651	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	199
.....1945.....	782	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	132
.....number 1950.....	734	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	122
.....1945.....	823	Other farms.....number 1950.....	194
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time.....number 1950.....	121
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	183	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	71
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	152		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	330	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	252	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,718,864
		.....1944.....	2,212,267
		.....1949.....	1,266,143
		.....1944.....	515,510
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,258,798
		.....1944.....	506,884
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	52
		.....1944.....	385
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,943
		.....1944.....	8,091
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	350
		.....1944.....	150
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,435,281
		.....1944.....	1,695,345
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	160,820
		.....1944.....	116,294
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	399,346
		.....1944.....	349,501
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,875,115
		.....1944.....	1,229,450
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,440
		.....1944.....	1,392
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	534
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	513
		.....1945.....	650
		.....number 1950.....	1,167
		.....1945.....	1,798
		.....number 1950.....	45
		.....1945.....	145
		.....number 1950.....	78
		.....1945.....	370
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	786
		.....1945.....	884
		.....number 1950.....	9,443
		.....1945.....	10,529
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	765
		.....1945.....	861
		.....number 1950.....	4,216
		.....1945.....	5,277
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	682
		.....number 1950.....	2,399
		.....1945.....	481
		.....number 1950.....	1,860
		.....1945.....	400
		.....number 1950.....	1,877
		.....1945.....	473
		.....number 1950.....	1,530
		.....1944.....	118
		.....pounds 1949.....	45
		.....1944.....	3,379,118
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,374,151
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	116,507
		.....1944.....	343
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	409
		.....1944.....	79,340
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	157,159
		.....1944.....	43,386
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
		.....dollars 1949.....	927
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	709
		.....1945.....	678
		.....number 1950.....	24,259
		.....1945.....	15,331
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	688
		.....number 1950.....	10,411
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	537
		.....number 1950.....	13,848
		.....1945.....	625
		.....number 1950.....	547
		.....1945.....	3,105
		.....1945.....	2,001

<sup>1</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.  
<sup>2</sup>Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc., cows 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:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	506	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	7,845	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	68	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
.....1944.....	35	.....1944.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	525	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	165	.....1944.....	(*)
.....tons 1949.....	1,112	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
.....1944.....	334	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	197	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	166	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	2,429	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	1,965	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	3,312	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	2,598	.....1944.....	.....
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	295	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	96	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	3,524	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	932	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	4,495	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	859	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	.....1944.....	4
.....1944.....	3	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....acres 1949.....	62	.....1944.....	1
.....1944.....	22	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	47	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	11	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	100	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	1,247	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	5,711	.....quarts 1949.....	19
.....tons 1949.....	966	.....acres 1949.....	3
.....1944.....	4,128	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,072
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....acres 1949.....	4
.....acres 1949.....	30	.....quarts 1949.....	1
.....tons, green weight 1949.....	140	.....acres 1949.....	207
Field crops (other)		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	97	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	441
.....1944.....	86	.....1945.....	22
.....acres 1949.....	1,162	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	126
.....1944.....	1,387	.....1945.....	129
.....bushels 1949.....	787	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	274
.....1944.....	1,981	.....1945.....	349
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	119	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	2,697
.....acres 1949.....	1,904	.....1945.....	4,853
.....pounds 1949.....	447,338	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	438
.....1944.....	3	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	2,459
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	21	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	2,827
.....acres 1949.....	29	.....1944.....	981
.....bushels 1949.....	29	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	278
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	101	.....1945.....	450
.....acres 1949.....	1,379	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	3,294
.....pounds 1949.....	95,171	.....1945.....	5,753
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	27	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	1,144
.....acres 1949.....	318	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	2,150
.....bushels 1949.....	264	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	2,648
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	405	.....1944.....	4,244
.....1944.....	265	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	119
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	15	.....1945.....	93
.....1944.....	47	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	355
.....bushels 1949.....	4,365	.....1945.....	483
.....1944.....	2,244	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	87
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	166	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	268
.....1944.....	62	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	230
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	.....1944.....	202
.....1944.....	7	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	148
.....bushels 1949.....	423	.....1945.....	304
.....1944.....	222	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	505
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	1,263
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	206
.....gallons 1949.....	119	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	299
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	7,121
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	6,012
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	114
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	42	.....1945.....	116
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	449
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	72	.....1945.....	416
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	761	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	104
.....1944.....	932	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	345
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	160
.....1944.....	16	.....1944.....	94
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	34
.....1944.....	2	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	71
.....sold, dollars 1949.....	52	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	39
.....1944.....	385	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	32
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949.....	6
.....acres 1949.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	257
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	176
.....1944.....	1	.....vines of all ages, number 1950.....	1,229
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....1945.....	576
.....1944.....	(*)	.....vines not of bearing age, number 1950.....	407
.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....vines of bearing age, number 1950.....	822
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	9,146
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....1944.....	1,872
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....trees of all ages, number 1950.....	87
.....1944.....	(*)	.....1945.....	3
.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950.....	47
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950.....	40
.....1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949.....	587
.....1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	10

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,848	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	86
.....1945...	1,882	.....1945...	82
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	309,120	.....number 1950...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	87.1	Under 3 acres.....number 1945...	18
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	176,765	.....number 1950...	77
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	119,708	.....1945...	64
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	145
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	27,402	.....1945...	137
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	269,104	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	124
.....1945...	280,785	.....1945...	121
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	145.6	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	91
.....1945...	149.2	.....1945...	97
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	13,345	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	189
.....1945...	6,800	.....1945...	201
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	88.53	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	325
.....1945...	45.58	.....1945...	315
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	296
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,625	.....1945...	287
.....1944...	1,674	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	209
.....acres 1949...	162,408	.....1945...	234
.....1944...	157,382	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	146
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	87	.....1945...	152
.....1944...	98	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	226
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	93	.....1945...	247
.....1944...	91	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	11
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	101	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	158	.....1945...	
.....1944...	177	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	479	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	526	White operators.....number 1950...	1,848
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	596	.....1945...	1,882
.....1944...	554	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	128	.....1945...	
.....1944...	127	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120	Full owners.....number 1950...	787
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	544	.....1945...	812
acres 1949...	27,934	Part owners.....number 1950...	657
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	14,821	.....1945...	604
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	1
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	390	.....1945...	1
acres 1949...	6,973	All tenants.....number 1950...	403
1944...	7,968	.....1945...	465
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	566	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.8
acres 1949...	452	.....1945...	24.7
1944...	16,365	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	46
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	16,184	.....1945...	76
acres 1949...	655	Share-cash tenants... ..number 1950...	178
1944...	610	.....1945...	85
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	143
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	747	.....1945...	235
acres 1949...	1,366	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	127
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	22,319	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	53,115	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	36
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	69
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,780	Other tenants.....number 1950...	16
acres 1949...	1,820	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	20
1944...	17,833	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	16,545	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,315
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	1,284
.....acres 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,485
.....1944...		.....1945...	484
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,480
.....acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.83
.....1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	655
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	280
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	265
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,290
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	295
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	390
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	650
		number 1950...	695
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	365
		number 1950...	360
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	155
		number 1950...	155
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	500
		number 1950...	555
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,778		
.....1945...	1,818		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	30		
.....1945...	58		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	351		
of other off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	575		
.....1944...	437		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	309		
.....1944...	231		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	585	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	204
1945.....	206	General farms.....number 1950...	519
number 1950.....	645	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	216	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	133
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,360	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	264
1945.....	1,054	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	322
number 1950.....	1,880		
1945.....	1,127		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,350		
number 1950.....	1,810		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	60		
number 1950.....	60		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
number 1950.....	10		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,510		
1945.....	1,521		
number 1950.....	1,740		
1945.....	1,601		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	268		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	24		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	233		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	987		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	336		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	130		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	750		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	610		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	350		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,230		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	155		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	240		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	20		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.4		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	460		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	965		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	360		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,740		
persons 1950.....	3,045		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,740		
persons 1950.....	1,635		
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	820		
persons 1950.....	1,225		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	140		
persons 1950.....	185		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	140		
persons 1950.....	185		
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,765		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,525		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,360		
dollars 1949.....	258,345		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	995		
dollars 1949.....	335,380		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,655		
dollars 1949.....	950,400		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,515		
dollars 1949.....	462,050		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,490		
dollars 1949.....	195,300		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,510		
dollars 1949.....	587,820		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,180		
dollars 1949.....	158,305		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,263		
dollars 1949.....	192,180		
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>			
No sales.....number 1950...	27		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	110		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	83		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	93		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	133		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	142		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	211		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	326		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	316		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	263		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	144		
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	436		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	431		
Cotton.....number 1950...	5		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	5		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	288		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	79		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	79		
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>			
Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,526		
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	4		
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	135		
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	362		
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	543		
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	282		
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	194		
Other farms.....number 1950...	332		
Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	185		
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	137		
Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	10		
<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>			
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,923,202		
1944.....	4,273,176		
All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,928,146		
1944.....	1,138,668		
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,885,897		
1944.....	1,104,699		
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	238		
1944.....	1,645		
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	18,186		
1944.....	12,324		
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	23,825		
1944.....	20,000		
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,972,600		
1944.....	3,124,333		
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,466,268		
1944.....	1,276,934		
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	874,503		
1944.....	752,580		
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,631,829		
1944.....	1,094,729		
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,456		
1944.....	10,275		
<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>			
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,265		
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,240		
1945.....	1,533		
number 1950.....	2,993		
1945.....	4,588		
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	91		
1945.....	197		
number 1950.....	169		
1945.....	359		
<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>			
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,695		
1945.....	1,741		
number 1950.....	22,866		
1945.....	23,738		
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,667		
1945.....	1,915		
number 1950.....	11,887		
1945.....	14,755		
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,619		
number 1950.....	10,988		
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,202		
number 1950.....	6,228		
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	108		
number 1950.....	1,806		
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,005		
number 1950.....	2,945		
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	917		
1944.....	787		
pounds 1949.....	41,057,715		
1944.....	38,873,092		
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,332,201		
1944.....	445		
pounds of butterfat 1949.....	765		
1944.....	248,496		
dollars 1949.....	361,189		
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3		
1949.....	72		
<b>HOGS</b>			
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,257		
1945.....	1,259		
number 1950.....	20,211		
1945.....	14,797		
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,188		
number 1950.....	10,309		
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	742		
number 1950.....	9,902		
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,008		
1945.....	934		
number 1950.....	3,168		
1945.....	2,130		

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



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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Sorghums:	
1945.....	149	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1950.....	2,927	1944.....	29
1945.....	2,873	acres 1949.....	31
1944.....		1944.....	152
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	97	1944.....	3
number 1950.....	1,683	acres 1949.....	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	97	1944.....	7
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	136	bushels 1949.....	6
number 1950.....	1,516	1944.....	72
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	2,441	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	63	acres 1949.....	18
number 1950.....	167	tons, green weight 1949...	135
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	87	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950.....	1,244	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	90	acres 1949.....	12
1944.....	126	tons out 1949...	12
number shorn 1949.....	1,673		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	12,764		
1944.....	17,423		
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,697	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1945.....	1,768	acres 1949.....	179
number 1950.....	265,923	bushels 1949.....	2,527
1945.....	281,399	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	975
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,269	1944.....	662
number 1949.....	143,994	acres 1949.....	21,699
dollars 1949.....	143,227	1944.....	10,038
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,490	bushels 1949.....	436,648
dozens 1949.....	2,045,446	1944.....	188,368
dollars 1949.....	706,617		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	49	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950.....	307	acres 1949.....	95
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1944.....	
1944.....	83	bushels 1949.....	1,668
number 1949.....	3,395	1944.....	1,009
1944.....	3,663	acres 1949.....	928
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,009
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	17,650
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,609	bushels 1949.....	17,675
dollars 1949.....	1,616,795	1944.....	375,744
1944.....	1,488	1944.....	433,439
number 1949.....	1,560		
1944.....	3,224	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	134
number 1949.....	1,664	acres 1949.....	235
dollars 1949.....	3,426	1944.....	943
1944.....	530,947	1944.....	2,180
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	969	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949.....	3,426	acres 1949.....	8
dollars 1949.....	530,947	1944.....	4
1944.....	1,321	bushels 1949.....	64
number 1949.....	5,898	1944.....	40
dollars 1949.....	243,809	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,196	acres 1949.....	114
1944.....	1,252	1944.....	185
number 1949.....	22,986	bushels 1949.....	1,053
1944.....	24,184	1944.....	2,340
dollars 1949.....	806,800	1944.....	10,586
1944.....	87	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	96	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,402
1944.....	1,570	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,452
dollars 1949.....	1,712	acres 1949.....	56,849
1944.....	26,472	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	49,224
number 1949.....	101	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,249
1944.....	212	1944.....	1,044
dollars 1949.....	8,767	acres 1949.....	51,308
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	33,581
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,445	bushels 1949.....	918,599
1944.....	431	1944.....	478,101
number 1949.....	472	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	733
1944.....	193	acres 1949.....	5,431
number 1949.....	279	tons 1949...	8,092
1944.....	205		
number 1949.....	293	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	245	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1949.....	189	acres 1949...	36
1944.....	267	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	213	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	1,396	acres 1949.....	74
number 1949.....	1,496		
1944.....	3,507	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949.....	4,163	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	4
1944.....		acres 1949.....	40
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	26
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	241	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949.....	8,119	1944.....	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres 1949.....	12
Corn:		bushels 1949.....	100
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,531	1944.....	
1944.....	1,569	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms rep.	
acres 1949.....	46,366	1944.....	
1944.....	50,683	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,510	for silage.....farms	
1944.....	1,556	manure.....f	
acres 1949.....	42,841		
1944.....	45,714		
bushels 1949.....	1,645,766		
1944.....	1,125,057		
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	430		
acres 1949.....	3,029		
tons, green weight 1949.....	23,100		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green			
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	85		
acres 1949.....	496		

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,155	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	17,515	.....acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	188	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	184	.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	1,079	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	893	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....tons 1944...	2,310	.....acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,503	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	866	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	963	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	11,078	.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	15,081	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....tons 1944...	14,362	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	14,520	.....acres 1944...	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	225	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	33	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	1,903	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	248	.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	2,250	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	221	.....acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	107	.....acres 1944...	
.....acres 1949...	17	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	837	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	182	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	800	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1944...	116		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	171	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949...	2,635	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	23
.....acres 1944...	8,307	.....acres 1949...	14
.....tons 1949...	1,892	.....quarts 1949...	20,478
.....acres 1944...	4,790	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1944...	5	.....acres 1949...	(*) 298
.....tons, green weight 1949...	290	.....quarts 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949...	42	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	481
.....acres 1944...	259	.....acres 1945...	172
.....acres 1949...	262	.....acres 1950...	213
.....acres 1944...	2,739	.....acres 1945...	358
.....bushels 1949...	2,680	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	391
.....acres 1944...	2,350	.....acres 1945...	114
.....acres 1944...	2,007	.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	5,882
.....acres 1944...	45	.....trees of all ages, number 1945...	7,317
.....pounds 1949...	384	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	6,811
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	71,464	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	4,921
.....acres 1949...	94	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	11,215
.....acres 1949...	1,076	.....acres 1944...	1,159
.....bushels 1949...	2,644	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	368
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	158	.....acres 1945...	696
.....acres 1949...	2,377	.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	4,468
.....acres 1949...	127,505	.....trees of all ages, number 1945...	10,130
.....acres 1944...	11	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	1,792
.....acres 1944...	101	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	2,876
.....bushels 1949...	167	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	2,493
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	630	.....acres 1944...	8,082
.....acres 1944...	635	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	191
.....acres 1949...	39	.....acres 1945...	371
.....acres 1944...	111	.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	526
.....bushels 1949...	7,730	.....trees of all ages, number 1945...	802
.....acres 1944...	6,639	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	132
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	136	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	394
.....acres 1944...	124	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	643
.....acres 1949...	(*) 14	.....acres 1944...	1,030
.....bushels 1949...	403	.....acres 1944...	370
.....acres 1944...	534	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	276
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....acres 1945...	2,019
.....acres 1949...	10	.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	275
.....gallons 1949...	782	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	341
.....acres 1949...	1	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	5,704
.....acres 1949...	11	.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	22,413
.....acres 1949...	7,078	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	122
.....lb. of brush 1949...	38	.....acres 1945...	249
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	38	.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	490
.....acres 1949...	6	.....acres 1945...	1,389
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	100	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	395
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,449	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	131
.....acres 1944...	1,775	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	273
.....acres 1949...	5	.....acres 1944...	25
.....acres 1944...	32	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	53
.....acres 1949...	5	.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	21
.....acres 1944...	25	.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	32
.....sold, dollars 1949...	238	.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	40
.....acres 1944...	1,645	.....quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	383
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	519
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	3,111
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		.....acres 1949...	4,255
.....acres 1944...	8	.....vines of all ages, number 1950...	357
.....acres 1944...	2	.....vines of bearing age, number 1950...	17,233
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...		.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	37,778
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1944...	
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...		Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	11
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages, number 1950...	37
.....acres 1944...		.....acres 1945...	
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	10
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of bearing age, number 1950...	27
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	168
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1944...	

1For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
 2For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.  
 \*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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,708	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	146
	2,869	1945.....	127
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	459,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	34
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	87.0	1945.....	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	242,154	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	112
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	200,569	1945.....	118
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,440	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	257
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	46,268	1945.....	293
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	399,895	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	351
1945.....	414,587	1945.....	310
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	147.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	173
1945.....	144.5	1945.....	182
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	10,444	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	325
1945.....	5,953	1945.....	311
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	69.69	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	375
1945.....	41.20	1945.....	408
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	325
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,236	1945.....	385
1944.....	2,410	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	271
acres 1949.....	218,862	1945.....	246
1944.....	208,197	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	184
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	161	1945.....	202
1944.....	206	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	351
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	180	1945.....	354
1944.....	203	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	43
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	127	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
1944.....	184	1945.....	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	295		
1944.....	331	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	568	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	636	White operators.....number 1950...	2,708
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	679	1945.....	2,368
1944.....	678	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	226	1945.....	1
1944.....	172	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	960	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,185
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	500	1945.....	1,142
acres 1949.....	28,650	Part owners.....number 1950...	899
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	12,592	1945.....	820
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	622	1945.....	11
acres 1949.....	17,173	All tenants.....number 1950...	622
1944.....	19,566	1945.....	896
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	808	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	23.0
1944.....	956	1945.....	31.2
acres 1949.....	27,778	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	78
1944.....	39,204	1945.....	153
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	711	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	313
1944.....	463	1945.....	290
acres 1949.....	23,149	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	146
1944.....	14,305	1945.....	353
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	121
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,549	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,986	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	85
acres 1949.....	57,108	1945.....	100
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	86,018	Other tenants.....number 1950...	21
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	64
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,536		
1944.....	2,801	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949.....	27,175	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,467
1944.....	34,705	1945.....	1,370
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,042
1944.....		1945.....	806
acres 1949.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,032
1944.....		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.97
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	849
acres 1949.....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	303
1944.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	448
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,773
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	531
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	271
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	792
		number 1950.....	826
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	372
		number 1950.....	379
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	103
		number 1950.....	103
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	269
		number 1950.....	296
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		number 1950.....	35
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,556		
1945.....	2,684		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	118		
1945.....	165		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	548		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	968		
1944.....	927		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	800		
1944.....	462		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	752	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	401
.....farms reporting 1945...	350	General farms.....number 1950...	390
.....number 1950...	815	.....number 1950...	14
.....farms reporting 1945...	388	.....number 1950...	190
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,642	.....number 1950...	356
.....farms reporting 1945...	1,324	.....number 1950...	615
.....number 1950...	2,091	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....farms reporting 1945...	1,473		
.....number 1950...	1,822		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,984		
.....number 1950...	56		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	56		
.....number 1950...	49		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	51		
.....number 1950...	2,123		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,110		
.....farms reporting 1945...	2,376		
.....number 1950...	2,240		
.....farms reporting 1945...			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	567		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	58		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	491		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,061		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	531		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,106
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	141	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	4
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,003	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	129
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,104	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	419
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	506	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	598
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	557
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	399
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,462	Other farms.....number 1950...	602
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	170	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	281
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	506	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	320
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	181	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	454		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,609		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	636		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,742,449
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,484	.....dollars 1944...	5,543,491
.....persons 1950...	4,082	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,130,902
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,474	.....dollars 1944...	1,881,749
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,343	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,959,062
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,080	.....dollars 1944...	1,624,385
.....persons 1950...	1,501	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	10,673
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	191	.....dollars 1944...	15,015
.....persons 1950...	238	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	83,892
		.....dollars 1944...	168,930
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	77,275
		.....dollars 1944...	73,419
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,599,429
		.....dollars 1944...	1,964,414
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,222,280
		.....dollars 1944...	874,153
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	764,311
		.....dollars 1944...	
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,528,862
		.....dollars 1944...	1,667,385
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,118
		.....dollars 1944...	7,765
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,676
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,644
		.....farms reporting 1945...	2,123
		.....number 1950...	3,984
		.....number 1945...	6,396
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	95
		.....farms reporting 1945...	185
		.....number 1950...	203
		.....number 1945...	396
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,353
		.....farms reporting 1945...	2,572
		.....number 1950...	27,713
		.....number 1945...	31,984
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,299
		.....farms reporting 1945...	2,510
		.....number 1950...	13,770
		.....number 1945...	18,234
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,196
		.....farms reporting 1945...	11,552
		.....number 1950...	1,393
		.....number 1945...	6,056
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,406
		.....farms reporting 1945...	3,117
		.....number 1950...	1,387
		.....number 1945...	1,950
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,150
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,069
		.....number 1950...	34,432,237
		.....number 1945...	36,304,685
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,077,310
		.....farms reporting 1945...	530
		.....number 1950...	910
		.....number 1945...	220,630
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	404,245
		.....farms reporting 1944...	119,031
		.....pounds 1949...	
		.....pounds 1944...	
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....farms reporting 1944...	
		.....dollars 1949...	
		.....dollars 1944...	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		.....farms reporting 1944...	83
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,767
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,817
		.....number 1950...	30,251
		.....number 1945...	24,395
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,670
		.....farms reporting 1945...	14,478
		.....number 1950...	1,058
		.....number 1945...	15,773
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,393
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,352
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	4,601
		.....farms reporting 1945...	3,926
		.....number 1950...	
		.....number 1945...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	245	Sorghums:	
1945.....	350	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1950.....	7,734	1944.....	42
1945.....	7,090	acres 1949.....	41
1944.....		1944.....	283
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	239	1944.....	8
number 1950.....	4,428	acres 1949.....	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	234	1944.....	30
number 1950.....	4,098	bushels 1949.....	10
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	5,997	1944.....	760
number 1950.....	160	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	330	acres 1949.....	5
number 1950.....	223	tons, green weight 1949...	45
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	3,306	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950.....	228	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	316	acres 1949.....	35
number shorn 1949.....	4,755	tons cut 1949...	18
1944.....	38,272		
1944.....	47,478		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,389	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1945.....	2,581	acres 1949.....	342
number 1950.....	316,086	bushels 1949.....	5,273
1945.....	334,582	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002
1944.....	1,535	1944.....	594
number 1949.....	149,510	acres 1949.....	24,934
dollars 1949.....	150,669	1944.....	11,107
1944.....	1,988	bushels 1949.....	461,237
dozens 1949.....	1,934,822	1944.....	177,940
dollars 1949.....	707,508		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1945.....	327	1944.....	178
number 1950.....	66	acres 1949.....	178
1944.....	42	1944.....	3,778
number 1949.....	1,908	bushels 1949.....	1,045
1944.....	1,480	1944.....	1,007
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19,591
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	20,141
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,265	1944.....	404,842
dollars 1949...	2,500,229	bushels 1949.....	471,893
1944.....	2,013	1944.....	207
number 1949.....	2,164	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	446
1944.....	11,743	1944.....	1,910
number 1949.....	13,408	acres 1949.....	4,156
1944.....	1,276	1944.....	3
dollars 1949.....	5,686	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	900,970	1944.....	37
number 1949.....	1,615	acres 1949.....	50
1944.....	6,057	1944.....	926
dollars 1949.....	296,296	bushels 1949.....	770
1944.....	1,685	1944.....	48
number 1949.....	1,804	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	274
1944.....	34,212	1944.....	547
dollars 1949.....	38,031	acres 1949.....	3,712
1944.....	1,233,534	1944.....	4,994
number 1949.....	220	bushels 1949.....	34,664
1944.....	263		
number 1949.....	3,545	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	4,090	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,779
dollars 1949.....	57,770	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,892
1944.....	164	acres 1949.....	79,202
number 1949.....	305	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	65,514
dollars 1949.....	11,659	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,627
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	1,293
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,916	acres 1949.....	73,500
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	598	1944.....	42,984
number 1949.....	664	bushels 1949.....	1,202,504
1944.....	244	1944.....	609,146
number 1949.....	390	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	686
1944.....	273	acres 1949.....	5,369
number 1949.....	525	tons 1949.....	6,276
1944.....	273		
number 1949.....	360	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	235	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1949.....	391	acres 1949.....	123
1944.....	249	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	1,824	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	2,246	acres 1949.....	210
number 1949.....	3,931		
1944.....	5,767	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	35
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	332	acres 1949.....	120
dollars 1949...	10,774	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	456
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Coupeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Corn:		1944.....	14
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,019	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	2,159	bushels 1949.....	30
acres 1949.....	65,125	1944.....	920
1944.....	73,274	Coupeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,001	acres 1949.....	119
1944.....	2,092	tons 1949.....	132
acres 1949.....	62,518	Coupeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	65,198	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
bushels 1949.....	2,241,904	acres 1949.....	123
1944.....	1,552,254	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	220	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	24
acres 1949.....	1,933	acres 1949.....	210
tons, green weight 1949...	12,258		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	22
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	100	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	35
acres 1949...	674	acres 1949.....	120
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	456
		Coupeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	14
		acres 1949.....	1
		bushels 1949.....	30
		1944.....	920
		Coupeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		acres 1949.....	119
		tons 1949.....	132
		Coupeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		acres 1949.....	123
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	24
		acres 1949.....	210

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	385	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949.....	4,311	.....acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	324	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	10
.....1944.....	250	.....acres 1944.....	6
.....acres 1949.....	2,000	.....acres 1949.....	20
.....1944.....	1,830	.....1944.....	21
.....tons 1949.....	5,408	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944.....	3,558	.....acres 1949.....	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	737	Korseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	863	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	9,046	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944.....	9,640	.....acres 1949.....	6
.....tons 1949.....	10,758	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944.....	10,289	.....1944.....	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	409	.....acres 1949.....	4
.....1944.....	52	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949.....	4,751	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	484	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949.....	5,477	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	360	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	129	.....acres 1949.....	20
.....1944.....	18	.....1944.....	17
.....acres 1949.....	1,103	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944.....	160	.....acres 1949.....	7
.....tons 1949.....	987	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	5
.....1944.....	130		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	385	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	6,716	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	48
.....1944.....	15,292	.....acres 1949.....	33
.....tons 1949.....	4,891	.....quarts 1949.....	69,608
.....1944.....	8,827	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	14
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	18	.....quarts 1949...	877
.....tons..green weight 1949.....	110		
Field crops:		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	180	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,005
.....1944.....	123	.....1945.....	202
.....acres 1949.....	2,181	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,048
.....1944.....	1,265	.....1945.....	1,011
.....bushels 1949.....	2,197	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	555
.....1944.....	1,308	.....1945.....	642
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	43	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	12,363
.....acres 1949.....	420	.....1945.....	11,970
.....pounds 1949.....	68,779	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,998
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,365
.....acres 1949.....	121	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	30,492
.....bushels 1949.....	340	.....1944.....	8,280
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	347	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	566
.....acres 1949.....	5,708	.....1945.....	933
.....pounds 1949.....	310,906	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	44,038
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....1945.....	56,292
.....acres 1949.....	132	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,682
.....bushels 1949.....	180	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	37,356
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	950	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	51,832
.....1944.....	803	.....1944.....	72,580
.....acres 1949.....	84	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	263
.....bushels 1949.....	171	.....1945.....	385
.....1944.....	13,288	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,651
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10,041	.....1945.....	9,622
.....1944.....	268	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	132
.....acres 1949.....	109	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,519
.....1944.....	4	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,989
.....bushels 1949.....	28	.....1944.....	14,650
.....1944.....	1,298	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	333
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945.....	569
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,109
.....gallons 1949.....	216	.....1945.....	2,557
Broccorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	411
.....acres 1949.....	27	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	698
.....lb. of brush 1949.....	15,100	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,186
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	50	.....1944.....	21,615
.....acres 1949.....	2	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	219
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	122	.....1945.....	344
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,053	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	907
.....1944.....	2,533	.....1945.....	2,030
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	289
.....acres 1949.....	39	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	618
.....1944.....	82	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	181
.....acres 1949.....	118	.....1944.....	277
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	10,673	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	82
.....1944.....	15,015	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	264
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	139
.....acres 1949.....	4	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	116
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16
.....1944.....	7	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	510
.....acres 1949.....	8	.....1945.....	572
.....1944.....	7	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,795
.....12	12	.....1945.....	3,531
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,422
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	22,720
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	50,068
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....1944.....	24
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1944.....	2	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,206
.....acres 1949.....	4	.....1945.....	.....
.....12	12	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	433
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	773
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	629
		.....1944.....	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,377	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	31
.....1945...	1,435	.....1945...	36
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	312,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	94.9	.....1945...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	82,561	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	25
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	226,852	.....1945...	32
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,398	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	34
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,477	.....1945...	31
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	296,334	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945...	300,340	.....1945...	18
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	215.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945...	209.3	.....1945...	7
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	49,966	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	99
.....1945...	36,647	.....1945...	97
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	229.92	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	79
.....1945...	175.10	.....1945...	89
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	384
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,333	.....1945...	452
.....1944...	1,397	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	139
acres 1949...	242,620	.....1945...	150
.....1944...	247,513	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	204
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	.....1945...	209
.....1944...	27	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	345
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....1945...	306
.....1944...	10	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	34
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....1945...	38
.....1944...	2	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	15	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	137	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	155	White operators.....number 1950...	1,377
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	666	.....1945...	1,435
.....1944...	741	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	469	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	447	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,052	Full owners.....number 1950...	307
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	983	.....1945...	411
acres 1949...	29,349	Part owners.....number 1950...	252
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	24,568	.....1945...	227
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	163	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	3,423	All tenants.....number 1950...	814
acres 1949...	1,078	.....1945...	784
.....1944...	83	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	59.1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	65	.....1945...	54.6
.....1944...	65	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
acres 1949...	1,889	.....1945...	15
.....1944...	2,147	Share-cash tenants... number 1950...	608
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	25	.....1945...	634
.....1944...	24	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	155
acres 1949...	535	.....1945...	104
.....1944...	441	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	108
Other pasture (not cropland and		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	47
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	278	.....1945...	30
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	646	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	31
acres 1949...	5,283	.....1945...	2
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	10,533	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	28
Other land (house lots, roads,		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>A</sup></b>	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,052
.....1944...	1,417	.....1945...	1,153
acres 1949...	13,235	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,219
.....1944...	14,060	.....1945...	864
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,204
.....1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	12.55
acres 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	814
.....1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	416
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	278
.....1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,133
acres 1949...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	440
		.....1945...	5
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	172
		.....1945...	632
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	657
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,250	.....1945...	829
.....1945...	1,318	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	856
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	88	.....1945...	125
.....1945...	106	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	130
With other income of family exceeding value		.....1945...	
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	46	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	59
.....1949...	370	.....number 1950...	68
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	330	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	85	.....number 1950...	5
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	73		
.....1944...			

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950..	579	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950..	141
1945.....	440	General farms.....number 1950..	180
number 1950.....	616	Primarily crop.....number 1950..	11
1945.....	479	Primarily livestock.....number 1950..	29
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	1,104	Crop and livestock.....number 1950..	169
1945.....	1,277	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950..	38
number 1950.....	1,991		
1945.....	1,822	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950..	1,098	Commercial farms.....number 1950..	1,348
number 1950.....	1,826	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950..	58
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	141	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950..	506
number 1950.....	141	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950..	558
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	24	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950..	137
number 1950.....	24	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950..	44
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950..	1,163	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>b</sup> .....number 1950..	41
1945.....	1,368	Other farms.....number 1950..	28
number 1950.....	1,491	Part-time <sup>c</sup> .....number 1950..	14
1945.....	1,734	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950..	14
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal <sup>d</sup> .....number 1950..	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	161	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950..	.....	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949..	14,573,534
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	32	1944.....	11,199,145
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	333	All crops sold.....dollars 1949..	9,011,508
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	851	1944.....	6,768,793
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949..	8,427,019
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	6,549,152
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950..	60	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949..	161,861
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	603	1944.....	123,271
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	489	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949..	2,036
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	106	1944.....	1,247
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949..	40,592
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	95,081
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	651	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949..	5,540,243
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	65	1944.....	4,430,362
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	191	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949..	532,474
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	35	1944.....	528,585
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	0.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949..	761,148
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	706,673
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950..	246	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry sold.....dollars 1949..	4,246,641
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950..	987	1944.....	3,194,194
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950..	25	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949..	1,763
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		1944.....	30
Week preceding enumeration:		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	1,124	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	372
Family workers.....persons 1950..	1,898	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950..	365
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950..	1,089	1945.....	1,012
Operators.....persons 1950..	1,069	number 1950.....	862
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950..	333	1945.....	2,885
Hired workers.....persons 1950..	481	number 1950.....	17
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	269	1945.....	75
Hired workers.....persons 1950..	348	number 1950.....	31
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		1945.....	290
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949..	1,234	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	1,154	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950..	1,233
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949..	1,122	1945.....	1,314
dollars 1949.....	323,410	number 1950..	23,612
1945.....	874	1945.....	27,802
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	523,120	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950..	1,201
dollars 1949.....	1,143	1945.....	1,280
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949..	1,109,880	number 1950..	9,464
dollars 1949.....	1,048	1945.....	11,814
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	1,285,708	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950..	1,077
dollars 1949.....	1,044	number 1950..	5,503
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949..	310,651	1945.....	952
dollars 1949.....	1,179	number 1950..	4,967
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	685,724	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	916
dollars 1949.....	1,094	number 1950..	6,563
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	232,744	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	806
dollars 1949.....	1,069	number 1950..	2,742
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949..	462
No sales.....number 1950..	7	1944.....	408
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950..	7	pounds 1949..	12,430,360
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950..	5	1944.....	12,408,183
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950..	25	Cream sold.....dollars 1949..	398,302
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950..	5	farms reporting 1949..	414
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950..	25	1944.....	705
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950..	10	pounds of butterfat 1949..	234,041
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950..	36	1944.....	431,645
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950..	43	1949..	133,077
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950..	216	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949..	8
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950..	436	dollars 1949..	1,095
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950..	973	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950..	949
Cash-grain.....number 1950..	973	1945.....	1,082
Cotton.....number 1950..	.....	number 1950.....	38,401
Other field-crop.....number 1950..	.....	1945.....	30,349
Vegetable farms.....number 1950..	1	number 1950..	916
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950..	.....	1945.....	18,567
Dairy farms.....number 1950..	11	number 1950..	599
Poultry farms.....number 1950..	33	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	19,634
		number 1950..	825
		1945.....	864
		number 1950..	6,465
		1945.....	5,813

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



Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	216	Sorghums:	
1945...	245	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	4,494	1944...	1
1945...	5,245	acres 1949...	4
1944...		1944...	3
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	213	1944...	
number 1950...	2,928	acres 1949...	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	212	1944...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	234	bushels 1949...	
number 1950...	2,038	1944...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	2,771	bushels 1949...	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	123	1944...	
number 1950...	890	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	169	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	1,566	tons..green weight 1949...	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	180	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944...	197	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949...	2,116	acres 1949...	4
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	17,623	tons cut 1949...	
1944...	20,932		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,139	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945...	1,299	acres 1949...	48
number 1950...	165,170	bushels 1949...	2,000
1945...	191,375	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	918	acres 1949...	5
number 1949...	143,281	1944...	771
dollars 1949...	157,228	acres 1944...	260
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,022	bushels 1949...	20,299
dozens 1949...	1,483,398	1944...	5,549
dollars 1949...	583,514	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	12	1944...	
number 1950...	156	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1944...	
1944...	16	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	2,153	1944...	
1944...	3,568	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,282
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944...	1,303
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	68,349
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,227	1944...	58,241
dollars 1949...	4,228,136	bushels 1949...	2,770,731
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120	1944...	1,776,843
1944...	1,199	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1949...	13,568	1944...	5
1944...	16,655	acres 1949...	95
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	906	1944...	50
number 1949...	10,368	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,102,348	1944...	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	670	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	3,200	1944...	
dollars 1949...	267,697	bushels 1949...	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002	1944...	
1944...	1,141	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	42,880	1944...	2
1944...	55,004	acres 1949...	47
dollars 1949...	1,760,717	1944...	16
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	166	bushels 1949...	662
1944...	181	1944...	270
number 1949...	3,943	Annual legumes:	
1944...	3,682	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	828
dollars 1949...	90,931	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,132
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	54	acres 1949...	26,932
number 1949...	107	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	44,092
dollars 1949...	6,443	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	792
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944...	1,086
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	937	acres 1949...	25,996
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	524	1944...	42,781
number 1949...	596	bushels 1949...	697,398
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	295	1944...	917,924
1944...	567	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	157
number 1949...	323	acres 1949...	880
1944...	610	tons 1949...	1,699
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	236	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
1944...	102	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	267	acres 1949...	2
1944...	109	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	791	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	1,118	acres 1949...	54
number 1949...	1,526	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	2,540	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	230	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	9,137	1944...	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres 1949...	
Corn:		bushels 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,316	1944...	
1944...	1,379	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	128,083	acres 1949...	
1944...	122,856	tons 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,315	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	1,378	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	127,313	acres 1949...	
1944...	122,092	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
bushels 1949...	6,550,023	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	6,200,313	acres 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	373	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	
tons..green weight 1949...	3,670	acres 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green		bushels 1949...	
or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	59	1944...	
acres 1949...	397	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

<sup>2</sup>Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	822	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	15,387	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	418	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	89
1944.....	213	1944.....	142
acres 1949.....	6,319	acres 1949.....	1,973
1944.....	1,709	1944.....	2,774
tons 1949.....	13,615	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	3,350	acres 1949.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	511	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	926	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	8,444	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 2
1944.....	17,399	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	10,567	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	23,133	acres 1949.....	6
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	733
1944.....	49	1944.....	589
acres 1949.....	33	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	22	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	3	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	112	1944.....	4
1944.....	48	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	156	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	56	1944.....	30
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	55	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	598	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	32	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	821	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	61	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949.....	59	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	256	quarts 1949.....	213
Field crops (other):		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	117	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	273	quarts 1949.....	60
acres 1949.....	1,841	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	4,685	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	554
bushels 1949.....	982	1945.....	66
1944.....	1,588	1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	68
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	34
acres 1949.....	.....	1950.....	414
pounds 1949.....	.....	1945.....	879
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	32	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,730
acres 1949.....	310	1945.....	5,076
1944.....	733	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	971
Bedtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,799
acres 1949.....	.....	1949.....	4,143
pounds 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,613
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	381
acres 1949.....	12	acres 1949.....	825
1944.....	4	1950.....	2,377
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	153	1945.....	5,384
1944.....	332	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	593
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,784
1944.....	63	1949.....	1,293
bushels 1949.....	1,750	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,306
1944.....	3,033	Pears.....farms reporting 1949...	234
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	27	acres 1949.....	548
1944.....	41	1945.....	606
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	(*)	1950.....	1,293
1944.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	196
bushels 1949.....	80	1945.....	410
1944.....	172	1949.....	943
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	1,769
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	334
1944.....	43	1950.....	751
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,144
lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	1945.....	2,302
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	391
acres 1949.....	51	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	786
1944.....	451	1949.....	7,224
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	689	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	26,920
1944.....	1,273	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	153
acres 1949.....	92	1945.....	266
1944.....	142	1945.....	454
acres 1949.....	2,730	trees of all ages..number 1950...	946
1944.....	3,413	1945.....	136
sold..dollars 1949.....	161,861	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	318
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	123,273	1949.....	171
acres 1949.....	2	1944.....	135
1944.....	18	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	137
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949.....	340
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	111
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	229
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	166
acres 1949.....	.....	1949.....	204
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	521
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	1,139
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,388
1944.....	.....	1945.....	239
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	900
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	8,973
1944.....	.....	1944.....	35,749
Cantaloupe and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	9
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	.....
		1945.....	36
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
		1945.....	10
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	26
		trees of bearing age..number 1949...	240
		1944.....	.....
		quantity harvested..pounds 1944.....	.....

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
<sup>2</sup>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
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,279	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	269
.....1945...	2,312	.....1945...	296
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	277,760	.....1950...	27
.....1945...	277,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1945...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	68.3	.....1945...	242
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	149,083	.....1950...	287
.....1945...	149,083	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	464
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	55,185	.....1945...	462
.....1945...	55,185	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	378
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	173	.....1945...	387
.....1945...	173	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	224
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,800	.....1945...	230
.....1945...	14,800	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	328
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	189,641	.....1945...	310
.....1945...	186,065	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	221
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	83.2	.....1945...	241
.....1945...	80.5	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	133
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	6,121	.....1945...	120
.....1945...	3,546	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	87
.....1950*	73.47	.....1945...	88
.....1945...	44.07	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	48
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	60
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,792	.....1950...	104
.....1944...	1,712	.....1945...	97
.....acres 1949...	85,480	.....1950...	20
.....1944...	78,518	.....1945...	20
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	424	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	3
.....1944...	418	.....1945...	1
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	331	.....1950...	
.....1944...	312	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	197	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	184	White operators.....number 1950...	2,279
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	277	.....1945...	2,312
.....1944...	262	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	313	.....1945...	
.....1944...	294	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	193	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,565
.....1944...	198	.....1945...	1,517
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	57	.....1950...	501
.....1944...	44	Part owners.....number 1950...	439
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,445	.....1945...	1
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,504	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....acres 1949...	33,561	.....1945...	212
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	39,189	All tenants.....number 1950...	350
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	39,189	.....1945...	9.3
Cropland not harvested and not		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.1
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,042	.....1945...	62
.....acres 1949...	27,382	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	173
.....1944...	21,588	.....1945...	27
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	379	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	327	.....1945...	75
.....acres 1949...	5,161	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	118
.....1944...	5,337	.....1945...	67
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	616	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	385	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	48
.....acres 1949...	13,607	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....1944...	8,005	.....1945...	22
Other pasture (not cropland and		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	459	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	637	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	502
.....acres 1949...	9,964	.....1945...	468
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	17,677	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,909
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	1,166
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,196	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,904
.....1944...	2,295	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.54
.....acres 1949...	14,286	.....1950...	609
.....1944...	15,751	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	227
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1950...	196
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,664
.....acres 1949...		.....1950...	325
.....1944...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	26
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1950...	65
.....acres 1949...		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	299
.....1944...		.....1950...	319
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	96
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,133	.....number 1950...	96
.....1945...	2,245	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	93
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	119	.....number 1950...	93
.....1945...	60	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	93
With other income of family exceeding value		.....number 1950...	67
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,411	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	73
.....1949...	1,267	.....number 1950...	5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	1,278	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	989	.....number 1950...	5
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,122		
.....1944...	1,122		

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	589	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	233
.....1945.....	318	General farms.....number 1950.....	182
.....number 1950.....	600	.....number 1950.....	67
.....1945.....	336	.....number 1950.....	115
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,043	.....number 1950.....	1,443
.....1945.....	594	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	1,222	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	840
.....1945.....	642	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
.....number 1950.....	948	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	41
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,067	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	84
.....number 1950.....	130	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	232
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	135	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) <sup>b</sup> .....number 1950.....	253
.....number 1950.....	20	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>b</sup> .....number 1950.....	235
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,439
.....number 1950.....	20	Part-time <sup>c</sup> .....number 1950.....	510
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,578	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	929
.....1945.....	1,531	Abnormal <sup>d</sup> .....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	1,654	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
.....1945.....	1,579	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,231,687
<b>Farms by class of work power:</b>		.....1944.....	1,873,296
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	600	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,369,490
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	167	.....1944.....	563,348
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	487	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,186,936
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	528	.....1944.....	392,292
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	497	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,759
.....1945.....	497	.....1944.....	21,897
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>a</sup></b>		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	147,731
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	142,644
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	28,044
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,322	.....1944.....	6,733
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	692	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,851,235
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	130	.....1944.....	1,302,230
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	233,404
<b>Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:</b>		.....1944.....	232,203
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,664	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	310,466
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	170	.....1944.....	279,632
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	210	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,307,436
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	.....1944.....	790,345
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.3	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,891
<b>Kind of road on which farm is located:</b>		.....1944.....	9,518
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	712	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,377	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,197
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	215	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,130
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		.....1945.....	1,327
Week preceding enumeration:		.....number 1950.....	2,271
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,919	.....1945.....	3,092
.....persons 1950.....	2,874	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	139
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,889	.....1945.....	248
.....persons 1950.....	1,824	.....number 1950.....	286
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	561	.....1945.....	503
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	776	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
.....persons 1950.....	159	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,616
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	274	.....1945.....	1,733
.....persons 1950.....	274	.....number 1950.....	11,776
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		.....1945.....	11,906
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,094	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,558
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,204	.....1945.....	1,675
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	983	.....number 1950.....	5,937
.....dollars 1949.....	135,031	.....1945.....	7,030
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	769	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,414
.....dollars 1949.....	352,089	.....number 1950.....	4,066
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,892	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	775
.....dollars 1949.....	535,639	.....number 1950.....	2,658
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,518	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	444
.....dollars 1949.....	335,830	.....number 1950.....	1,155
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,304	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	754
.....dollars 1949.....	131,445	.....number 1950.....	2,016
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,089	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	233
.....dollars 1949.....	270,670	.....1944.....	265
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	679	.....pounds 1949.....	4,805,715
.....dollars 1949.....	90,173	.....1944.....	4,402,486
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	603	.....dollars 1949.....	167,096
.....dollars 1949.....	57,340	.....1944.....	512
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	114,784
No sales.....number 1950.....	316	.....1944.....	193,917
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	613	.....dollars 1949.....	62,808
\$250 to \$999.....number 1950.....	202	<b>BUTTER, BUTTERMILK, SKIM MILK, AND CHEESE SOLD.....farms reporting 1949.....</b>	29
\$1,000 to \$999.....number 1950.....	163	.....dollars 1949.....	3,503
\$10,000 to \$14,999.....number 1950.....	247	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$15,000 to \$24,999.....number 1950.....	202	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,357
\$25,000 to \$39,999.....number 1950.....	183	.....1945.....	1,073
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....number 1950.....	154	.....number 1950.....	19,967
\$60,000 to \$99,999.....number 1950.....	83	.....1945.....	9,980
\$100,000 and over.....number 1950.....	69	.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,225
.....number 1950.....	47	.....number 1950.....	8,830
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....farms reporting 1950.....	784
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	254	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	11,137
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	249	.....number 1950.....	906
Cotton.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	639
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	2,823
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....1945.....	1,720
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	18	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	106	.....number 1950.....	
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	53	.....1945.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	79	Sorghums:	
1945... number 1950...	85	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	3
1945... number 1945...	2,570	1944... ..	5
1945... ..	1,908	acres 1949... ..	25
1945... ..		1944... ..	27
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	77	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
number 1950... ..	1,494	1944... ..	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... ..	76	acres 1949... ..	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ... ..	71	1944... ..	
number 1950... ..	1,264	bushels 1949... ..	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ... ..	1,551	1944... ..	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... ..	54	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
number 1950... ..	230	acres 1949... ..	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... ..	60	tons green weight 1949... ..	
number 1950... ..	1,076		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... ..	66	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	3
1944... ..	61	acres 1949... ..	25
number shorn 1949... ..	1,364	tons out 1949... ..	32
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... ..	10,050		
1944... ..	8,956		
Average date of enumeration.....1950... ..	Apr.1-Apr.14	Small grains:	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949... ..	4
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... ..	1,917	acres 1949... ..	45
1945... ..	2,032	bushels 1949... ..	275
number 1950... ..	127,344	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	696
1945... ..	134,821	1944... ..	677
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... ..	950	acres 1949... ..	24,275
number 1949... ..	99,666	1944... ..	18,413
dollars 1949... ..	100,118	bushels 1949... ..	441,184
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,206	1944... ..	339,744
dozens 1949... ..	552,609		
dollars 1949... ..	203,017	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... ..	29	1944... ..	
number 1950... ..	397	acres 1949... ..	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... ..	23	1944... ..	
1944... ..	43	bushels 1949... ..	
number 1949... ..	1,166	1944... ..	
1944... ..	888	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	120
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres 1949... ..	233
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,471	acres 1949... ..	1,232
dollars 1949... ..	1,297,649	bushels 1949... ..	3,188
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,068	1944... ..	25,115
1944... ..	1,233	bushels 1949... ..	55,082
number 1949... ..	4,604	1944... ..	
1944... ..	6,534	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... ..	40
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949... ..	536	1944... ..	183
number 1949... ..	2,270	acres 1949... ..	296
dollars 1949... ..	334,644	1944... ..	1,567
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	857	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	12
number 1949... ..	2,334	1944... ..	75
dollars 1949... ..	166,260	acres 1949... ..	141
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,117	1944... ..	804
1944... ..	1,001	bushels 1949... ..	4,020
number 1949... ..	21,573	1944... ..	16,708
1944... ..	19,368	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	15
dollars 1949... ..	745,137	1944... ..	30
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	60	acres 1949... ..	93
1944... ..	64	1944... ..	292
number 1949... ..	1,808	bushels 1949... ..	1,359
1944... ..	975	1944... ..	2,951
dollars 1949... ..	37,930	Annual legumes:	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	138	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	881
number 1949... ..	302	1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	466
dollars 1949... ..	13,678	acres 1949... ..	19,508
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	6,946
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,302	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	542
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	228	1944... ..	137
number 1949... ..	273	acres 1949... ..	13,657
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949... ..	30	1944... ..	2,559
1944... ..	44	bushels 1949... ..	178,724
number 1949... ..	56	1944... ..	28,307
1944... ..	33	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	467
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	204	acres 1949... ..	4,536
number 1949... ..	140	1944... ..	5,267
1944... ..	240	tons 1949... ..	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	168	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	11
1944... ..	1,268	acres 1949... ..	116
number 1949... ..	1,409	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... ..	99
1944... ..	2,810	acres 1949... ..	1,199
number 1944... ..	3,305	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	190
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	83	1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	464
dollars 1949... ..	4,212	acres 1949... ..	1,852
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	6,286
Corn:		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..	31
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,450	1944... ..	112
1944... ..	1,321	acres 1949... ..	333
acres 1949... ..	26,961	1944... ..	1,372
1944... ..	28,385	bushels 1949... ..	7,862
1944... ..		1944... ..	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,425	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	146
1944... ..	1,199	acres 1949... ..	1,267
acres 1949... ..	25,702	1944... ..	990
1944... ..	25,650	tons 1949... ..	
bushels 1949... ..	744,491	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944... ..	552,001	acres 1949... ..	
1944... ..	57	1944... ..	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	697	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... ..	26
acres 1949... ..	5,929	acres 1949... ..	252
tons green weight 1949... ..			
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949... ..	62		
acres 1949... ..	562		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	823	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949.....	10,043	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	180	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	13
acres 1944.....	164	acres 1944.....	59
acres 1949.....	1,073	acres 1949.....	43
acres 1944.....	1,310	acres 1944.....	80
tons 1949.....	1,965	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1944.....	2,393	acres 1949.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	195	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1944.....	211	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	2,278	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1944.....	2,370	acres 1949.....	3
tons 1949.....	2,387	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1944.....	2,979	acres 1949.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	442	acres 1944.....	7
acres 1944.....	192	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	4,565	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1944.....	2,218	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	5,034	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1944.....	2,072	acres 1949.....	17
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	47	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	90
acres 1944.....	15	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	373	acres 1944.....	37
acres 1944.....	245	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	292	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1944.....	191	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	185	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	1,740	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	50
acres 1944.....	4,303	acres 1949.....	25
tons 1949.....	1,561	quarts 1949.....	37,837
acres 1944.....	3,594	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	7
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	5	quarts 1949.....	698
tons, green weight 1949.....	40	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	615
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	34	acres 1945.....	166
acres 1944.....	11	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,353
acres 1949.....	345	acres 1945.....	1,353
acres 1944.....	105	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	452
bushels 1949.....	392	acres 1945.....	275
acres 1944.....	126	trees of all ages..number 1950...	16,529
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	111	acres 1945.....	22,379
acres 1949.....	1,701	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,735
pounds 1949.....	330,913	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,794
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	35,860
acres 1949.....	35	acres 1944.....	15,045
bushels 1949.....	51	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	310
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	acres 1945.....	352
acres 1949.....	107	trees of all ages..number 1950...	60,487
pounds 1949.....	3,930	acres 1945.....	62,255
Alaika clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14,640
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	45,847
bushels 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	93,071
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	840	acres 1944.....	80,642
acres 1944.....	364	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	104
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	30	acres 1945.....	76
acres 1944.....	77	trees of all ages..number 1950...	860
bushels 1949.....	7,720	acres 1945.....	1,483
acres 1944.....	4,152	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	217
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	282	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	643
acres 1944.....	281	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	323 <sup>3</sup>
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	18	acres 1944.....	417
acres 1944.....	85	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	146
bushels 1949.....	3,433	acres 1945.....	195
acres 1944.....	9,959	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,719
Sweet sorghums harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1945.....	1,144
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,869
gallons 1949.....	35	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,190
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	46,215
lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	acres 1944.....	6,674
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	111
acres 1949.....	42	acres 1945.....	119
acres 1949.....	53	trees of all ages..number 1950...	476
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	634	acres 1945.....	711
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,767	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	134
acres 1944.....	1,968	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	322
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	27	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	178
acres 1944.....	183	acres 1944.....	359
acres 1949.....	69	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	46
acres 1944.....	205	trees of all ages..number 1950...	112
acres 1949.....	9,759	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	81
acres 1944.....	21,857	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	31
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8
acres 1949.....	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	193
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	10	acres 1945.....	110
acres 1944.....	50	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,789
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1945.....	5,049
acres 1944.....	29	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	374
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	4,415
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,245
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1944.....	10,411
acres 1949.....	(*)	Improved and seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	8
acres 1944.....	7	acres 1945.....	169
acres 1949.....	15	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
acres 1944.....	11	acres 1945.....	.....
acres 1949.....	13	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	158
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	900
		acres 1944.....	.....

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