

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 State in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this State and for the counties in the State will be published in a State Report.

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

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

Item	State total	Item	State total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	124,181	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	15,193
1945...	129,295	1945...	12,525
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	28,903,680	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1,750
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	38.8	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	1,878
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,460,159	1945...	13,403
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,776,949	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	10,647
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,342,743	1945...	41,884
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,377,549	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	47,057
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	11,202,278	1945...	26,026
1945...	10,039,637	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	29,751
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	80.2	1945...	10,095
1945...	77.6	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	10,342
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	7,011	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	10,111
1945...	3,653	1945...	10,224
average per acre, dollars 1950*	82.21	100 to 139 acres.....number 1945...	6,489
1945...	47.05	140 to 179 acres.....number 1945...	6,569
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	3,940
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	99,191	1945...	3,831
1944...	118,532	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	2,136
acres 1949...	3,148,881	1945...	2,050
1944...	3,490,159	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	1,487
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	27,327	1945...	1,206
1944...	26,295	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	3,653
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	29,671	1945...	3,166
1944...	38,143	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	1,836
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19,694	1945...	1,531
1944...	27,963	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1,331
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12,455	1945...	1,043
1944...	16,253		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5,351	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	5,470	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2,562	White operators.....number 1950...	83,525
1944...	2,435	1945...	80,164
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2,131	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	40,656
1944...	1,973	1945...	49,131
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	42,369	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	28,215	Full owners.....number 1950...	62,810
acres 1949...	1,803,849	1945...	58,761
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,032,409	Part owners.....number 1950...	11,584
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	26,345	1945...	6,433
acres 1949...	704,737	Managers.....number 1950...	588
1944...	612,848	1945...	560
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	30,986	All tenants.....number 1950...	49,199
1944...	25,352	1945...	63,541
acres 1949...	1,803,948	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.6
1944...	1,385,826	1945...	49.1
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	28,598	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	5,789
1944...	30,259	1945...	9,474
acres 1949...	1,964,815	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	710
1944...	1,494,006	1945...	3,568
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	28,918	Share tenants.....number 1950...	21,984
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	40,845	1945...	20,548
acres 1949...	1,151,882	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	21,762
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,502,337	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	222
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	98,213	Croppers.....number 1950...	15,927
1944...	113,711	1945...	25,221
acres 1949...	624,166	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	4,789
1944...	522,072	1945...	4,730
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	7,437	Other tenants.....number 1950...	1,925
1944...	7,185	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	2,864
acres 1949...	1,526,791	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	535,619	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	14,364
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1945...	6,434
acres 1949...	1,067	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	83,191
		1945...	31,558
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	82,934
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	117,258	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.03
1945...	122,836	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	30,485
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,868	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	8,970
1945...	4,630	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	14,472
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	46,933	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	47,329
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	47,074	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	11,752
1944...	31,727	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,035
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	30,870	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,581
1944...	17,342	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	2,911
		number 1950...	3,505
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	261
		number 1950...	284
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,888
		number 1950...	1,956
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	382
		number 1950...	576
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	220
		number 1950...	291

<sup>1</sup>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>	
Motor trucks.....farms reporting 1950...	30,926	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	6,257
.....1945.....	18,637	General farms.....number 1950...	3,851
.....number 1950.....	36,445	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	2,346
.....1945.....	20,974	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	185
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	23,497	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	1,320
.....1945.....	11,433	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	54,345
.....number 1950.....	36,059		
.....1945.....	17,630		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	22,115		
.....number 1950.....	33,771		
.....1945.....	1,294		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,358		
.....number 1950.....	1,755		
.....1945.....	950		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	735		
.....number 1950.....	48,496		
.....1945.....	37,327		
.....number 1950.....	56,515		
.....1945.....	40,651		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	32,430		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	21,177		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	46,983		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	17,469		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,122		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	15,697		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	53,779		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	29,948		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	20,187		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	62,442		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	9,976		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	21,858		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,705		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.8		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	25,920		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	62,530		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	29,444		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	100,388		
.....persons 1950.....	190,283		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	98,980		
.....persons 1950.....	93,648		
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	36,395		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	53,965		
.....persons 1950.....	11,931		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	42,670		
.....persons 1950.....			
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	102,341		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	56,861		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	34,476		
.....dollars 1949.....	6,230,552		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	42,362		
.....dollars 1949.....	38,912,330		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	80,582		
.....dollars 1949.....	21,948,657		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	45,382		
.....dollars 1949.....	15,927,002		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	60,198		
.....dollars 1949.....	6,753,980		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	32,236		
.....dollars 1949.....	13,016,114		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	15,827		
.....dollars 1949.....	6,019,207		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	22,335		
.....dollars 1949.....	3,178,641		
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>			
No sales.....number 1950.....	14,801		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	20,006		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	9,120		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	10,069		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	17,384		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	16,030		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	17,480		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	8,676		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	3,929		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	2,877		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	3,809		
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	52,871		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	4,492		
Cotton.....number 1950.....	42,495		
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5,884		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	876		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	2,135		
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	3,210		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	636		
<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>			
Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	70,476		
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1,239		
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	2,561		
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	4,422		
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	11,054		
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	26,336		
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	24,864		
Other farms.....number 1950.....	53,705		
Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	18,867		
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	34,803		
Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	35		
<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>			
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	245,863,102		
.....1944.....	177,562,262		
All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	184,885,201		
.....1944.....	146,143,335		
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	173,827,540		
.....1944.....	134,966,064		
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,223,639		
.....1944.....	4,958,978		
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,944,746		
.....1944.....	5,640,995		
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,889,276		
.....1944.....	577,298		
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	59,015,063		
.....1944.....	30,408,791		
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,702,751		
.....1944.....	12,215,638		
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,055,486		
.....1944.....	4,501,285		
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	35,256,826		
.....1944.....	13,691,868		
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,962,838		
.....1944.....	1,010,136		
<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>			
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	86,195		
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	59,388		
.....1945.....	64,435		
.....number 1950.....	120,404		
.....1945.....	139,009		
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	55,610		
.....1945.....	67,353		
.....number 1950.....	112,884		
.....1945.....	154,217		
<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>			
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	92,236		
.....1945.....	92,586		
.....number 1950.....	1,284,616		
.....1945.....	1,475,425		
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	89,835		
.....1950.....	103,099		
.....number 1950.....	742,403		
.....1945.....	891,099		
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	79,814		
.....number 1950.....	296,648		
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	46,938		
.....number 1950.....	212,583		
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	30,202		
.....number 1950.....	112,009		
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	52,567		
.....number 1950.....	217,621		
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,587		
.....1944.....	4,325		
.....gallons 1949.....	39,544,508		
.....1944.....	32,530,523		
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	907		
.....1944.....	809		
.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	205,605		
.....1944.....	203,323		
.....dollars 1949.....	121,656		
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,329		
.....dollars 1949.....	80,341		
<b>HOGS</b>			
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	78,821		
.....1945.....	91,795		
.....number 1950.....	628,347		
.....1945.....	801,145		
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	65,697		
.....number 1950.....	341,000		
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	41,987		
.....number 1950.....	287,347		
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	34,716		
.....1945.....	53,487		
.....number 1950.....	71,705		
.....1945.....	123,526		

<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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<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,698	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	2,599	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	90,519	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	340
1945.....	170,782	1944.....	104
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	2,684
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2,565	1944.....	672
number 1950.....	63,852	bushels 1949.....	45,239
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	2,459	1944.....	10,142
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,948	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	82
number 1950.....	49,052	1944.....	1,432
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	103,081	acres 1949.....	9,834
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,742	tons..green weight 1949...	
number 1950.....	14,800	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2,020	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,313
number 1950.....	26,667	1944.....	4,132
1945.....	1,543	acres 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	1,767	tons cut 1949...	3,033
1944.....	1,742	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	66,493	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,888
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	232,324	1944.....	3,605
1944.....	459,173	acres 1949.....	48,699
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	123,744
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		bushels 1949...	1,225,671
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	107,010	1944.....	3,678,637
1945.....	116,940	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	1,721
number 1950.....	3,725,886	1944.....	3,591
1945.....	4,996,253	acres 1949.....	14,830
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13,969	1944.....	25,663
number 1949.....	1,269,609	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5,678
dollars 1949.....	1,390,479	1944.....	6,390
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	34,078	acres 1949.....	562,509
dozens 1949.....	5,897,429	1944.....	530,795
dollars 1949.....	2,385,281	162-lb. barrels 1949...	6,555,873
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	5,494	1944.....	5,474,135
number 1950.....	28,363	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	5,428	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	23,189
1944.....	2,325	acres grown alone 1949...	68,822
number 1949.....	59,976	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	60,125
1944.....	31,016	acres grown with other crops 1949...	246,494
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	360,005
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		farms reporting 1949...	1,352
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	61,031	acres grown alone 1949...	17,638
dollars 1949.....	34,917,735	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5,177
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	45,008	bushels 1949...	303,225
1944.....	32,220	1944.....	213,041
number 1949.....	365,635	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3,323
1944.....	276,251	acres grown alone 1949...	11,891
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	20,269	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5,640
number 1949.....	131,681	tons 1949...	19,279
dollars 1949...	13,665,389	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	37,325	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6,796
number 1949...	233,954	acres grown alone 1949...	5,882
dollars 1949...	13,341,622	acres grown with other crops 1949...	71,066
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	32,629	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	19,375	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13,578
dollars 1949...	335,191	acres grown alone 1949...	33,411
1944.....	187,832	acres grown with other crops 1949...	164,611
dollars 1949...	7,326,063	acres grown with other crops 1949...	18,672
1944.....	950	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	42,469
sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	709	acres grown alone 1949...	59,513
number 1949...	30,745	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	28,523
dollars 1949...	22,009	acres grown with other crops 1949...	33,767
1944.....	271,079	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	8,070
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,112	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	11,694
number 1949...	5,973	1944.....	13,227
dollars 1949...	313,582	acres grown alone 1949...	2,973
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949...	110,745
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	75,792	1944.....	178,260
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	11,574	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	7,610
number 1949...	17,890	acres grown alone 1949...	9,408
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,178	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,011
1944.....	5,202	bu. in shells 1949...	145,136
number 1949...	1,496	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,558
1944.....	9,940	acres grown alone 1949...	3,660
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	10,656	acres grown with other crops 1949...	745
number 1949...	6,303	tons 1949...	4,544
1944.....	16,394	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	10,181	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2,922
number 1949...	73,579	acres grown alone 1949...	5,907
dollars 1949...	87,308	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7,712
1944.....	200,608	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4,320
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,630	acres grown alone 1949...	10,267
dollars 1949...	110,628	acres grown with other crops 1949...	14,082
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4,788
Corn:		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6,539
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	72,173	acres grown alone 1944.....	14,669
1944.....	94,360	acres grown with other crops 1949...	150
acres 1949.....	721,882	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
1944.....	1,110,518	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	3,108
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	70,261	1944.....	2,137
1944.....	92,537	acres grown alone 1949...	2,502
acres 1949...	690,809	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	4,092
1944.....	1,083,714	acres grown with other crops 1949...	33
bushels 1949...	13,030,057	pounds 1949...	752,159
1944.....	15,021,209	1944.....	759,777
Sorghums:		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1,683	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	2,075
1944.....	1,895	acres grown alone 1949...	2,861
acres 1949...	8,248	acres grown with other crops 1949...	36
1944.....	7,916	tons 1949...	2,875
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	383
		acres grown alone 1949...	353
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,328
		bushels 1949...	3,159

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	State total	Item	State 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...	16,868	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1,598
acres 1949...	258,687	acres 1949...	1,751
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	780	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	339
acres 1949...	981	acres 1949...	425
acres 1949...	20,738	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	892
acres 1949...	19,595	acres 1949...	3,503
tons 1949...	38,579	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	809
acres 1949...	34,388	acres 1949...	1,366
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,201	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1,648
acres 1949...	1,129	acres 1949...	2,498
acres 1949...	24,232	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,260
acres 1949...	26,052	acres 1949...	2,219
tons 1949...	30,654	acres 1949...	1,551
acres 1949...	28,609	acres 1949...	2,224
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6,466	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1,766
acres 1949...	8,647	acres 1949...	4,228
acres 1949...	87,521	acres 1949...	6,334
acres 1949...	113,087	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	114,130		
acres 1949...	129,762	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	688	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	4,172
acres 1949...	193	acres 1949...	7,981
acres 1949...	8,649	24-pt. crates 1949...	678,397
acres 1949...	2,048		
tons 1949...	9,094	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	2,471	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	39,792
acres 1949...	8,583	acres 1945...	8,877
acres 1949...	117,420	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	61,101
acres 1949...	103,106	acres 1945...	51,417
tons 1949...	142,014	acres 1945...	7,512
acres 1949...	122,841	acres 1945...	8,506
acres 1949...	6	acres 1945...	41,814
acres 1949...	179	trees of all ages..number 1945...	48,382
tons..green weight 1949...	711	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	24,533
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,281
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	280	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,511
acres 1949...	612	bushels 1944...	30,048
acres 1949...	4,432	acres 1945...	13,844
acres 1949...	10,448	acres 1945...	23,010
pounds 1949...	582,152	trees of all ages..number 1950...	333,710
acres 1949...	1,521,684	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	203,340
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	26,129	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	130,370
acres 1949...	48,749	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	60,800
acres 1949...	9,043	bushels 1944...	202,158
acres 1949...	54,772	acres 1945...	17,022
bushels 1949...	665,823	acres 1945...	18,242
acres 1949...	3,132,787	acres 1945...	87,466
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	40,415	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	112,598
acres 1949...	59,375	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	29,452
acres 1949...	87,614	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	58,016
acres 1949...	96,032	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	95,638
bushels 1949...	7,967,701	bushels 1944...	190,222
acres 1949...	9,391,763	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	6,107
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	64,097	acres 1945...	6,311
acres 1949...	79,319	trees of all ages..number 1950...	40,066
acres 1949...	916,130	trees of all ages..number 1945...	60,351
acres 1949...	811,736	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	17,422
bales 1949...	607,186	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22,631
acres 1949...	587,084	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,492
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	4,697	bushels 1944...	15,522
acres 1949...	4,515	acres 1945...	21,822
acres 1949...	703,514	acres 1945...	107,741
acres 1949...	5,008	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	43,888
acres 1949...	8,384	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	63,852
acres 1949...	282,609	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,412,146
acres 1949...	269,058	acres 1945...	3,388
tons 1949...	5,172,505	acres 1945...	1,377
acres 1949...	5,060,527	acres 1945...	16,600
acres 1949...	2,164	acres 1945...	8,444
acres 1949...	18,800	acres 1945...	7,822
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	89,120	acres 1945...	8,778
acres 1949...	112,647	acres 1945...	91,777
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	7,412	acres 1945...	22,088
acres 1949...	14,979	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	14,599
acres 1949...	31,750	trees of all ages..number 1950...	273,773
acres 1949...	52,585	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	43,400
acres 1949...	3,223,639	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	230,332
acres 1949...	4,958,978	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,598,335
acres 1949...	2,627	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	7,400
acres 1949...	6,449	trees of all ages..number 1950...	150,588
acres 1949...	4,584	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	27,466
acres 1949...	10,591	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	123,111
acres 1949...	1,229	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,310,332
acres 1949...	2,232	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	87
acres 1949...	3,917	acres 1945...	66
acres 1949...	7,919	acres 1945...	3,273,588
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	634	acres 1945...	2,066,533
acres 1949...	787	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	436,100
acres 1949...	1,593	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,837,477
acres 1949...	3,594	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	41,000,055
		acres 1944...	13,963,544
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	7,168
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	426,000
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	99,700
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	326,300
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	351,244
		acres 1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	281,225

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

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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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 Parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,346	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	358
.....1945...	3,517	.....1945...	400
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	423,680	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	66
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	75.2	.....1945...	83
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	203,886	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	292
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	176,794	.....1945...	317
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,114	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	1,131
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	70,239	.....1945...	1,280
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	318,555	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	740
.....1945...	288,947	.....1945...	739
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	95.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	219
.....1945...	82.2	.....1945...	224
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	13,214	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	7,267	.....1945...	149
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	137.58	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	133
.....1945...	88.46	.....1945...	137
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	118
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,769	.....1945...	143
.....1944...	3,104	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	81
.....acres 1949...	144,851	.....1945...	92
.....1944...	154,409	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	70
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	299	.....1945...	62
.....1944...	393	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	221
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	730	.....1945...	202
.....1944...	710	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	88
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	652	.....1945...	72
.....1944...	796	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	25
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	381	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	454		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	284	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	297	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	261	White operators.....number 1950...	2,998
.....1944...	305	.....1945...	3,152
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	162	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	348
.....1944...	149	.....1945...	365
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,886	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,156	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,145
.....acres 1949...	91,495	.....1945...	1,139
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	53,153	Part owners.....number 1950...	468
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	392	.....1945...	313
.....acres 1949...	27,394	Managers.....number 1950...	10
.....1944...	3,653	.....1945...	2
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	296	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,723
.....1944...	190	.....1945...	2,063
.....acres 1949...	11,215	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	51.5
.....1944...	6,503	.....1945...	58.7
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	281	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	13
.....1944...	270	.....1945...	6
.....acres 1949...	16,472	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	8,785	.....1945...	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	642	Share tenants.....number 1950...	1,256
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,321	.....1945...	1,563
.....acres 1949...	9,228	.....number 1950...	1,341
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	50,821	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	15
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	3,061	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	247
.....1944...	3,324	.....number 1950...	235
.....acres 1949...	17,900	Croppers.....number 1950...	103
.....1944...	11,623	.....number 1950...	259
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,110	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	14
.....1944...	1,298	.....number 1950...	89
.....acres 1949...	107,993	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	113,576	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	322
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	239	.....1945...	125
.....acres 1949...	239	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,276
		.....1945...	833
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,271
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,193	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.12
.....1945...	3,382	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	940
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	96	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	378
.....1945...	120	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,039
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	801	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,633
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	851	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	503
.....1944...	649	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	43
.....100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	386	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	293
.....1944...	171	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	319
		.....number 1950...	1
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	127
		.....number 1950...	48
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	

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

Item	Parish total	Item	
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950..	973	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950	1950
.....1945..	651	General farms.....number 1950	1950
.....number 1950..	1,157	.....number 1950	1950
.....1945..	714	.....number 1950	1950
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	999	.....number 1950	1950
.....1945..	870	.....number 1950	1950
.....number 1950..	1,791	.....number 1950	1950
.....1945..	1,267	.....number 1950	1950
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950..	959	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950	1950
.....number 1950..	1,730		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	20	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950..	20	Commercial farms.....number 1950	1950
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	27	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950	1950
.....number 1950..	41	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950	1950
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950..	1,708	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950	1950
.....1945..	1,399	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950	1950
.....number 1950..	1,840	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950	1950
.....1945..	1,456	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950	1950
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950	1950
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	532	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950	1950
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950..	187	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950	1950
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	1,641	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950	1950
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	682		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	304	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949	1944
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All crops sold.....dollars 1949	1944
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950..	371	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949	1944
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	1,667	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949	1944
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	917	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949	1944
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	345	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949	1944
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	4	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949	1944
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949	1944
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	1,892	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949	1944
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	85	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949	1944
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	228	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949	1944
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	25		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	0.3	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950	1950
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950..	461	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950	1945
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950..	2,574	.....number 1950	1945
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950..	261	.....number 1950	1945
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950	1945
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	2,859	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
.....persons 1950..	4,789	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950	1945
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950..	2,807	.....number 1950	1945
Operators.....persons 1950..	2,726	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950	1945
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950..	754	.....number 1950	1945
.....persons 1950..	1,085	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950	1950
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	438	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950	1950
.....persons 1950..	978	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950	1950
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950	1950
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949..	2,992	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949	1944
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	1,619	.....gallons 1949	1944
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949..	658	.....dollars 1949	1944
.....dollars 1949..	254,675	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949	1944
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	1,538	.....pounds of butterfat 1949	1944
.....dollars 1949..	926,211	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949	1949
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949..	2,741		
.....dollars 1949..	615,718	<b>HOGS</b>	
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	1,942	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950	1945
.....dollars 1949..	332,346	.....number 1950	1945
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	1,927	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950	1950
.....dollars 1949..	439,740	.....number 1950	1950
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949..	1,284	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950	1950
.....dollars 1949..	763,208	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950	1945
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	697	.....number 1950	1945
.....dollars 1949..	289,935		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	738		
.....dollars 1949..	154,307		
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>			
No sales.....number 1950..	145		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950..	329		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950..	114		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950..	147		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950..	324		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950..	490		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950..	716		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950..	361		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950..	167		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950..	206		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950..	347		
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950..	2,261		
Cash-grain.....number 1950..	995		
Cotton.....number 1950..	1,103		
Other field-crop.....number 1950..	163		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950..	5		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950..	.....		
Dairy farms.....number 1950..	34		
Poultry farms.....number 1950..	5		

<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 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	337	Sorghums—Continued	
1945...	264	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950...	3,527	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945...	3,358	1944.....	1
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949...	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	323	1944.....	1
number 1950...	2,284	bushels 1949.....	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	306	1944.....	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	136	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950...	1,769	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,369	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	222	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1950...	515	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	245	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950...	1,243	acres 1949...	24
1949.....	187	tons cut 1949...	27
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	131	Small grains:	
1944.....	1,668	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	56
number shorn 1949...	7,768	1944.....	95
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	8,107	acres 1949...	1,420
1944.....	476	1944.....	1,576
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949...	26,380
		1944.....	39,375
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,973	1944.....	18
1945...	3,355	acres 1949...	76
number 1950...	128,087	1944.....	130
1945...	197,951	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,110
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	455	1944.....	1,298
number 1949...	23,418	acres 1949...	106,833
dollars 1949...	28,224	1944.....	113,576
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,735	162-lb. barrels 1949...	1,333,077
dozens 1949...	254,306	1944.....	1,395,103
dollars 1949...	85,856	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	145	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	528
number 1950...	773	acres grown alone 1949...	41
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	151	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	42
1944.....	38	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,237
number 1949...	1,278	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,087
1944.....	476	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1944.....	41
		acres grown alone 1949...	12
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	25
		bushels 1949...	124
		1944.....	306
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		acres grown alone 1949...	7
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
		tons 1949...	9
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	129
		acres grown alone 1949...	6
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	788
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	388
		acres grown alone 1949...	16
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,408
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	52
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	31
		acres grown alone 1949...	48
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	119
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	25
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	7
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		1944.....	4
		acres grown alone 1949...	80
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	159
		bushels 1949...	8
		1944.....	5
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres grown alone 1949...	53
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		bu. in shells 1949...	1
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	31
		acres grown alone 1949...	21
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	70
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		acres grown alone 1949...	44
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres grown alone 1949...	38
		1944.....	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1944.....	3
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
		pounds 1949...	1,720
		1944.....	950
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	2
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		acres grown alone 1949...	6
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
		bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	317	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
acres 1949...	2,303	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	4	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
1944.....	48	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
acres 1949...	49	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
tons 1949...	28	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
1944.....	13	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
acres 1949...	129		
1944.....	122	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	131	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	acres 1949...
1944.....	146	24-pt. crates 1949...	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	112		
acres 1949...	1,602	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	865	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
tons 1949...	2,165	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944.....	1,044	1945...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944.....	1	1945...	
acres 1949...	51	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
tons 1949...	47	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	158	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949...	496	1944.....	
1944.....	62	1950...	
tons 1949...	540	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	100	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...		1944.....	
		1950...	
Field crops (other):		1945...	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	18	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	262	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	221	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
pounds 1949...	42,383	1944.....	
1944.....	22,840	1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	421	1945...	
1944.....	867	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	57	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	581	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
bushels 1949...	6,618	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....	39,256	1944.....	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,500	1950...	
1944.....	1,855	1945...	
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	8,407	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	8,488	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
bushels 1949...	739,445	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	838,911	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,765	1944.....	
1944.....	1,994	1950...	
acres 1949...	18,660	1945...	
1944.....	16,962	farms reporting 1950...	
bales 1949...	12,101	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	13,762	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	23	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	18	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
gallons 1949...	2,194	1944.....	
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1950...	
acres 1949...		1945...	
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	
tons 1949...		1945...	
1944.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,364	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	3,343	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	15	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	47	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	37	1950...	
sold..dollars 1949...	6,879	1945...	
1944.....	5,790	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	17	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
1944.....	2	1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	
acres 1949...	3		
1944.....	4		

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
 \*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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,295	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	184
	872	1945.....	92
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	496,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	17
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	28.7	1945.....	23
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	85,626	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	167
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	42,762	1945.....	69
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,106	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	356
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	13,800	1945.....	226
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	117,694	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	283
	93,860	1945.....	219
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	90.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	99
	107.1	1945.....	58
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	6,320	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	124
	3,439	1945.....	87
average per acre, dollars 1950*	74.37	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	58
	32.12	1945.....	57
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	54
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	906	1945.....	42
	772	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	22
acres 1949...	32,711	1945.....	22
	28,459	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	26
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	434	1945.....	1
	236	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	56
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	224	1945.....	42
	252	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	18
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	73	1945.....	19
	102	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	15
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	31	1945.....	7
	70	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Farms by color of operator:	
	31	White operators.....number 1950...	1,147
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1945.....	800
	46	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	148
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	48	1945.....	72
	35	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	658	Full owners.....number 1950...	951
	243	1945.....	597
acres 1949...	27,654	Part owners.....number 1950...	131
	27,126	1945.....	83
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	248	Managers.....number 1950...	4
	11,111	1945.....	1
acres 1949...	3,663	All tenants.....number 1950...	209
	369	1945.....	191
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	286	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	16.1
	15,955	1945.....	21.9
acres 1949...	15,612	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	35
	506	1945.....	18
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	134	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
	22,536	1945.....	118
acres 1949...	4,713	Share tenants.....number 1950...	83
	105	1945.....	83
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	204	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	8
	3,380	1945.....	10
acres 1949...	12,130	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	8
	1,204	1945.....	8
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	815	Croppers.....number 1950...	44
	4,397	1945.....	32
acres 1949...	1,657	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
	180	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	191	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	154
	25,048	1945.....	66
acres 1949...	19,730	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	968
		1945.....	95
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	968
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.21
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	427
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	83
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	244
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	664
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	125
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	42
		number 1950...	43
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	4
		number 1950...	4
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,237		
	837		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	26		
	35		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting 1949...	817		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	669		
	172		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	585		
	183		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	462	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	85
.....1945.....	282	General farms.....number 1950...	53
.....number 1950.....	515	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	6
.....1945.....	305	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	6
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	280	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	41
.....1945.....	127	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	918
.....number 1950.....	365		
.....1945.....	195		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	219	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	345	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	377
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950.....	16	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	38
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	4	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	45
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	582	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	78
.....1945.....	207	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	140
.....number 1950.....	627	Other farms.....number 1950...	918
.....1945.....	223	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	268
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	650
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	234	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	264		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	568	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	159	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,394,622
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	70	.....1944.....	1,498,138
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,769,277
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944.....	1,212,008
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,746,447
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	82	.....1944.....	1,179,981
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	619	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	18,055
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	390	.....1944.....	25,675
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	123	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,525
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	6,302
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	250
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	465	.....1944.....	50
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	186	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	601,376
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	395	.....1944.....	273,965
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	138,858
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.2	.....1944.....	89,251
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	38,509
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	164	.....1944.....	27,760
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	399	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	424,009
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	685	.....1944.....	156,954
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	23,969
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		.....1944.....	7,165
Week preceding enumeration:		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,023	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,019
.....persons 1950...	1,504	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	909
.....1945.....	1,001	.....1945.....	686
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	945	.....number 1950.....	2,057
Operators.....persons 1950...	270	.....1945.....	2,011
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	386
.....persons 1950...	121	.....1945.....	265
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	254	.....number 1950.....	537
.....persons 1950...		.....1945.....	451
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,006
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,086	.....1945.....	782
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	381	.....number 1950...	15,124
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	187	.....1945.....	18,901
.....dollars 1949...	95,173	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	992
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	316	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	746
.....dollars 1949...	201,477	.....number 1950...	10,061
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	995	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	13,066
.....dollars 1949...	222,591	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	854
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	525	.....number 1950...	1,981
.....dollars 1949...	233,585	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	474
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	588	.....number 1950...	1,954
.....dollars 1949...	100,820	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	251
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	226	.....number 1950...	78
.....dollars 1949...	152,979	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	55
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	155	.....number 1950...	2,37
.....dollars 1949...	56,428	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	157	.....1944.....	289,47
.....dollars 1949...	39,916	.....1944.....	155,04
		.....dollars 1949...	188,29
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
No sales.....number 1950...	232	.....1944.....	
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	368	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	76
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	93	.....1944.....	3,30
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	139	.....dollars 1949...	44
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	160	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	47	.....dollars 1949...	11
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	47	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	87	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	91
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	17	.....1945.....	77
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	45	.....number 1950...	10,64
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	60	.....1945.....	10,58
		.....4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	81
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950...	5,5
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	198	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	61
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	117	.....number 1950...	5,3
Cotton.....number 1950...	64	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	17	.....1945.....	6
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	12	.....number 1950...	1,4
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	2,3
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	28		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	6		

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	86	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	84	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	7,868	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	8,268	1944.....	1
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	84	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	5,785	bushels 1949.....	25
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	79	1944.....	50
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	76	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	4,705	acres 1949.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	5,487	tons..green weight 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	61	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	1,030	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	69	acres 1949.....	11
number 1950.....	1,688	tons cut 1949.....	9
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	59	Small grains:	
1944.....	68	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number shorn 1949.....	6,090	1944.....	7
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	15,982	acres 1949.....	158
1944.....	19,177	1944.....	59
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	bushels 1949.....	1,400
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	1,017
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,202	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1945.....	807	1944.....	32
number 1950.....	40,979	acres 1949.....	140
1945.....	31,752	1944.....	241
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	253	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	180
number 1949.....	14,597	1944.....	191
dollars 1949.....	15,568	acres 1949.....	24,777
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	481	1944.....	19,730
dozens 1949.....	54,902	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	277,761
dollars 1949.....	21,214	1944.....	181,160
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	41	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	168	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	111
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	46	acres grown alone 1949...	240
1944.....	7	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	150
number 1949.....	392	acres grown with other crops 1949...	94
1944.....	74	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	49
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	721	acres grown alone 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	416,534	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	555	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	278	1944.....	165
number 1949...	4,734	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	69
1944.....	3,670	acres grown alone 1949...	135
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	248	acres grown with other crops 1949...	21
number 1949...	1,298	tons 1949...	180
dollars 1949...	127,606	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	481	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949...	3,486	acres grown alone 1949...	82
dollars 1949...	204,219	acres grown with other crops 1949...	58
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	382	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	125	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1949...	3,783	acres grown alone 1949...	23
1944.....	1,465	acres grown with other crops 1949...	21
dollars 1949...	69,566	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	284
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	40	acres grown alone 1949...	496
1944.....	30	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	386
number 1949...	2,108	acres grown with other crops 1949...	185
1944.....	1,702	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	292
dollars 1949...	18,728	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	98
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	31	1944.....	154
number 1949...	46	acres grown alone 1949...	123
dollars 1949...	1,415	acres grown with other crops 1949...	42
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949...	1,032
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	894	1944.....	1,909
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	155	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	167
number 1949...	226	acres grown alone 1949...	170
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	38	acres grown with other crops 1949...	80
1944.....	82	bu. in shells 1949...	2,752
number 1949...	38	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	87	acres grown alone 1949...	20
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	128	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
number 1949...	42	tons 1949...	18
1944.....	193	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	50	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	44
1944.....	876	acres grown alone 1949...	111
number 1949...	660	acres grown with other crops 1949...	44
1944.....	3,018	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
dollars 1949...	2,920	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949...	67
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	23	acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
dollars 1949...	980	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	80
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949...	103
Corn:		1944.....	169
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	554	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1944.....	530	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
acres 1949...	3,181	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	3,982	1944.....	6
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	544	acres grown alone 1949...	25
1944.....	530	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	12
acres 1949...	3,060	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	3,977	pounds 1949...	10,021
bushels 1949...	64,088	1944.....	1,385
1944.....	41,571	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghums:		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	61
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944.....	8	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
acres 1949...	12	tons 1949...	7
1944.....	13	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	7
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	17
		bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.



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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950....	1,455	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	239
1945....	1,368	1945....	217
Approximate land area.....acres 1950....	192,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950....	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950....	58.8	1945....	46
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950....	72,324	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950....	233
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950....	27,245	1945....	171
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950....	17,277	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950....	643
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950....	4,038	1945....	622
Land in farms.....acres 1950....	112,808	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950....	249
1945....	93,752	1945....	251
Average size of farm.....acres 1950....	77.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950....	84
1945....	68.5	1945....	75
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	7,404	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950....	77
1945....	3,927	1945....	71
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	107.81	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950....	53
1945....	57.30	1945....	50
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950....	30
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	861	1945....	20
1944....	1,293	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950....	11
acres 1949....	28,668	1945....	7
1944....	35,229	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950....	7
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	524	1945....	6
1944....	537	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950....	26
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	196	1945....	20
1944....	491	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950....	18
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	48	1945....	13
1944....	128	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950....	18
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	29	1945....	16
1944....	71		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	21	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944....	34	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	17	White operators.....number 1950....	1,220
1944....	11	1945....	1,005
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949....	26	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950....	235
1944....	21	1945....	363
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949....	745	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ....	183	Full owners.....number 1950....	1,140
acres 1949....	17,941	1945....	860
1944 <sup>1</sup> ....	10,024	Part owners.....number 1950....	169
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949....	340	1945....	189
acres 1949....	6,418	Managers.....number 1950....	5
1944....	3,733	1945....	6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949....	492	All tenants.....number 1950....	141
1944....	363	1945....	313
acres 1949....	18,514	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950....	9.7
1944....	13,885	1945....	22.9
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949....	311	Cash tenants.....number 1950....	56
1944....	380	1945....	156
acres 1949....	12,866	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950....	7
1944....	8,563	1945....	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949....	429	Share tenants.....number 1950....	24
1944 <sup>1</sup> ....	484	1945....	112
acres 1949....	17,640	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950....	23
1944 <sup>1</sup> ....	13,744	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950....	1
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949....	1,388	Croppers.....number 1950....	14
1944....	1,338	1945....	34
acres 1949....	10,761	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950....	40
1944....	8,574	1945....	10
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949....	30	Other tenants.....number 1950....	23
1944....	4	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950....	17
acres 1949....	1,487		
1944....	2,675	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949....	1	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950....	81
acres 1949....	1	1945....	54
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950....	1,256
		1945....	608
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950....	1,251
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950....	4.63
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950....	684
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950....	160
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950....	108
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950....	901
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950....	138
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950....	2
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950....	20
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950....	12
		number 1950....	15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950....	.....
		number 1950....	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950....	26
		number 1950....	26
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950....	2
		number 1950....	3
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950....	.....
		number 1950....	.....
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950....	1,391		
1945....	1,317		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950....	57		
1945....	44		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949....	940		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949....	781		
1944....	624		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949....	670		
1944....	415		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	242	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	75
.....1945.....	170	General farms.....number 1950...	21
.....number 1950.....	343	.....number 1950.....	22
.....1945.....	209	.....number 1950.....	3
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	200	.....number 1950.....	1,164
.....1945.....	81		
.....number 1950.....	407		
.....1945.....	221		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	175		
.....number 1950.....	361		
.....1945.....	16		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16		
.....number 1950.....	15		
.....1945.....	30		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	824		
.....number 1950.....	606		
.....1945.....	974		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	656		
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	412		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	345		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	503		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	155		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	40		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	302
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	296	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	28
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	771	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	2
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	362	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	48
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	43	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	34
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	67
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	123
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,035	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,153
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	41	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	289
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	53	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	864
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	121		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,248		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	92		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,666,789
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,036	.....1944.....	1,604,682
.....persons 1950.....	2,387	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,096,819
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,019	.....1944.....	1,277,795
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	979	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,946,750
.....persons 1950.....	320	.....1944.....	1,021,320
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	494	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	20,317
.....persons 1950.....	176	.....1944.....	95,284
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	914	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	128,202
.....persons 1950.....		.....1944.....	160,662
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,550
.....persons 1950.....		.....1944.....	529
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	553,019
		.....1944.....	323,091
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	119,187
		.....1944.....	73,131
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	40,640
		.....1944.....	64,265
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	393,191
		.....1944.....	185,691
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,951
		.....1944.....	3,794
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,024
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	79
		.....1945.....	86
		.....number 1950.....	1,69
		.....1945.....	1,57
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	53
		.....number 1950.....	69
		.....1945.....	87
		.....number 1950.....	1,23
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,24
		.....1945.....	1,18
		.....number 1950...	16,39
		.....1945.....	17,28
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,21
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,17
		.....number 1950.....	9,05
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	10,68
		.....number 1950.....	1,03
		.....1945.....	3,27
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	68
		.....number 1950...	2,85
		.....farms reporting 1950...	34
		.....number 1950...	1,41
		.....farms reporting 1950...	71
		.....number 1950...	3,06
		.....number 1950...	2
		.....farms reporting 1949...	250,74
		.....gallons 1949...	172,92
		.....1944.....	118,93
		.....dollars 1949...	
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....1944.....	
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	53
		.....1944.....	
		.....dollars 1949...	25
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....dollars 1949...	
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hog and pig <sup>4</sup> .....farms reporting 1950...	62
		.....1945.....	88
		.....number 1950...	2,29
		.....1945.....	3,75
		.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1950...	1,25
		.....farms reporting 1950...	29
		.....number 1950...	1,00
		.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		.....1945.....	35
		.....number 1950...	24
		.....1945.....	35
		.....number 1950...	24
		.....1945.....	55

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Sorghums--Continued	
1945.....	31	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup--Continued	
number 1950.....	2,085	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	317	1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	35	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	1,281	bushels 1949.....	35
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	33	1944.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	17	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	1,005	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	171	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	276	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	27	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1950.....	804	tons cut 1949.....	.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Small grains:	
1944.....	13	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number shorn 1949.....	1,113	1944.....	3
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	3,718	acres 1949.....	46
1944.....	407	1944.....	62
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949.....	549
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	1,486
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,208	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	39
1945.....	1,285	1944.....	22
number 1950.....	43,526	acres 1949.....	176
1945.....	75,667	1944.....	337
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	153	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	6,160	1944.....	4
dollars 1949.....	8,587	acres 1949.....	1,423
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	418	1944.....	1,575
dozens 1949.....	72,274	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	17,418
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	30,063	1944.....	26,300
number 1950.....	36	Annual legumes:	
1949.....	184	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	131
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	33	acres grown alone 1949.....	1,597
number 1949.....	7	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,128
1944.....	346	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,826
1944.....	280	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,149
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	3
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	731	acres grown alone 1949.....	2
dollars 1949.....	389,679	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	.....
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	648	bushels 1949.....	38
1944.....	487	1944.....	9
number 1949...	4,867	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	42
1944.....	5,287	acres grown alone 1949...	147
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	201	acres grown with other crops 1949...	94
number 1949...	1,628	tons 1949...	274
dollars 1949...	175,098	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	582	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949...	3,239	acres grown alone 1949...	85
dollars 1949...	191,604	acres grown with other crops 1949...	50
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	176	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	168	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	99
number 1949...	1,143	acres grown alone 1949...	1,365
1944.....	1,098	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,682
dollars 1949...	20,664	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	234
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	acres grown alone 1949...	359
1944.....	10	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	638
number 1949...	263	acres grown with other crops 1949...	281
1944.....	50	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,146
dollars 1949...	2,494	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	31	1944.....	3
number 1949...	34	acres grown alone 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	1,819	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949...	23
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	624	1944.....	55
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	52	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1949...	105	acres grown alone 1949...	7
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	4	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	26	bu. in shells 1949...	116
number 1949...	6	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	43
1944.....	55	acres grown alone 1949...	38
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	49	acres grown with other crops 1949...	60
1944.....	30	tons 1949...	85
number 1949...	99	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	53	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	613	acres grown alone 1949...	47
1944.....	919	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
number 1949...	1,100	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,925	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	196
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949...	267
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres grown with other crops 1949...	790
dollars 1949...	1,759	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	19
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949...	9
Corn:		1944.....	6
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	688	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	1,158	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
acres 1949...	6,232	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	14,796	1944.....	3
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	686	acres grown alone 1949...	9
1944.....	1,156	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	3
acres 1949...	6,064	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	14,750	pounds 1949...	4,483
bushels 1949...	128,308	1944.....	648
1944.....	287,710	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghums:		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres grown alone 1949...	.....
1944.....	3	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	2	tons 1949...	.....
1944.....	24	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
<b>Footnotes:</b>		acres grown alone 1949...	8
<sup>1</sup> Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.		acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
<sup>2</sup> Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.		bushels 1949...	.....
<sup>3</sup> Includes acres grown with other crops.			

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	280	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	2,781	acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	4	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	4	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	16	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	26	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	25	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	34	acres 1949...	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	26	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	555	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	419	1944...	
tons 1949...	786	acres 1949...	
1944...	426	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	88	acres 1949...	
1944...	193	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	586	acres 1949...	
1944...	1,562	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	973	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	2,045	acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	24-pt. crates 1949...	25
1944...	5		
acres 1949...	51		
1944...	29		
tons 1949...	72		
1944...	31		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	163	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	1,530	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	769	1945...	
tons 1949...	1,837	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	
1944...	758	1945...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...		1945...	
tons green weight 1949...		trees of all ages number 1950...	
Field crops (other):		1945...	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...		trees of bearing age number 1950...	
acres 1949...		quantity harvested bushels 1949...	
1944...		1944...	
pounds 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...		1945...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	344	trees of all ages number 1950...	
1944...	851	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	180	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	1,592	quantity harvested bushels 1949...	
bushels 1949...	10,254	1944...	
1944...	74,050	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	365	1945...	
1944...	833	trees of all ages number 1950...	
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	409	1945...	
1944...	974	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
bushels 1949...	23,635	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	49,858	quantity harvested bushels 1949...	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	139	1944...	
1944...	64	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...	620	1945...	
1944...	171	trees of all ages number 1950...	
bales 1949...	299	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	99	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8	quantity harvested pounds 1949...	
1944...	6	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
gallons 1949...	227	1945...	
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	96	vines of all ages number 1950...	
1944...	192	1945...	
acres 1949...	12,803	vines not of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	10,348	vines of bearing age number 1950...	
tons 1949...	275,648	quantity harvested pounds 1949...	
1944...	174,998	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1945...	
acres 1949...	583	trees of all ages number 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	798	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	1,245	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	85	quantity harvested pounds 1949...	21
1944...	665	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...	228	1945...	
1944...	1,667	trees of all ages number 1950...	
sold dollars 1949...	20,317	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	95,284	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	59	quantity harvested pounds 1949...	76
1944...	517	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...	99	1945...	
1944...	929	trees of all ages number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945...	
1944...	28	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
acres 1949...	8	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	24	quantity harvested pounds 1949...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	8	1945...	
acres 1949...	2	trees of all ages number 1950...	
1944...	8	trees not of bearing age number 1950...	
acres 1949...	8	trees of bearing age number 1950...	
1944...	2	quantity harvested field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.



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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	409	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	61
.....1945...	359	.....1945...	20
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	288,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	288,480	.....1945...	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	44.6	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....1945...	44.6	.....1945...	20
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	49,661	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	76
.....1945...	49,661	.....1945...	44
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	16,537	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	48
.....1945...	16,537	.....1945...	58
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	44,089	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	29
.....1945...	44,089	.....1945...	47
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,242	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	44
.....1945...	8,242	.....1945...	39
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	101,845	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	55
.....1945...	101,845	.....1945...	46
Average size of farm.....acres 1950*	249.0	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945...	251.3	.....1945...	11
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	24,151	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....1945...	15,761	.....1945...	16
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	85.08	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	82.58	.....1945...	8
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	27
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	324	.....1945...	27
.....1944...	354	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1949...	49,341	.....1945...	21
.....1944...	52,883	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	24
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	.....1945...	22
.....1944...	34		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	32	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	30	White operators.....number 1950...	360
.....1944...	42	.....1945...	328
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	41	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	29
.....1944...	68	.....1945...	31
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	70	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	77	Full owners.....number 1950...	213
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	37	.....1945...	146
.....1944...	31	Part owners.....number 1950...	93
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	69	.....1945...	75
.....1944...	70	Managers.....number 1950...	21
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	61	.....1945...	35
.....1944...	44	All tenants.....number 1950...	82
.....acres 1949...	1,106	.....1945...	133
.....1944...	956	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	20.0
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	158	.....1945...	28.7
.....acres 1949...	7,862	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	43
.....1944...	3,695	.....1945...	38
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	12
.....acres 1949...	3,881	.....1945...	16
.....1944...	7,363	Share tenants.....number 1950...	16
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	172	.....1945...	11
.....acres 1949...	28,528	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
.....1944...	16,719	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	100	Croppers.....number 1950...	14
.....1944...	89	.....1945...	11
.....acres 1949...	1,404	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
.....1944...	744	.....1945...	2
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	362	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	339		
.....acres 1949...	9,323	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	8,251	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	96
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945...	49
.....1944...	5	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	360
.....acres 1949...	463	.....1945...	175
.....1944...	1,032	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	855
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.85
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	168
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	47
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	72
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	301
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	76
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		.....number 1950...	3
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	2
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....number 1950...	12
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	337		
.....1945...	336		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	32		
.....1945...	23		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	106		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	126		
.....1944...	25		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	101		
.....1944...	20		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*-Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	98	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	61	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	172	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	109	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	222	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	163	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	145
.....number 1950.....	642		
.....1945.....	411	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	222	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	264
.....number 1950.....	636	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	44
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	62
.....number 1950.....	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	49
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	49
.....number 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	30
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	281	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	30
.....1945.....	229	Other farms.....number 1950.....	145
.....number 1950.....	811	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	292	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	134
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	112	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,082,793
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	.....1944.....	3,255,327
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	205	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,953,094
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	.....1944.....	3,213,911
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,947,757
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	3,214,035
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	144	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,455
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	174	.....1944.....	4,528
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	39	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,082
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	43	.....1944.....	350
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	800
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	363	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	126,009
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	46,074
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	3	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	22,801
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	4,971
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.0	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	39,789
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	50,979
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	63,419
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	187	.....1944.....	10,124
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,690
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		.....1944.....	342
Week preceding enumeration:		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	276	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	278
.....persons 1950.....	1,827	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	140
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	281	.....1945.....	137
Operators.....persons 1950.....	251	.....number 1950.....	275
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	.....1945.....	252
.....persons 1950.....	50	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	243
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	151	.....1945.....	314
.....persons 1950.....	1,625	.....number 1950.....	859
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		.....1945.....	1,441
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	357	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	252	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	319
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	125	.....1945.....	330
dollars 1949.....	157,528	.....number 1950.....	2,357
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	247	.....1945.....	2,202
dollars 1949.....	1,619,277	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	314
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	229	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	282
dollars 1949.....	39,059	.....number 1950.....	1,357
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	183	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,068
dollars 1949.....	35,987	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	290
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	102	.....number 1950.....	964
dollars 1949.....	36,084	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	155
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	282	.....number 1950.....	464
dollars 1949.....	536,744	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	78
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	207	.....number 1950.....	186
dollars 1949.....	514,663	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	156
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	161	.....number 1950.....	350
dollars 1949.....	147,281	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	31
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....1944.....	13
No sales.....number 1950.....	64	gallons 1949.....	46,237
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	70	.....1944.....	11,281
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	5	dollars 1949.....	22,801
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	9	.....1944.....	.....
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	24	cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	19	.....1944.....	.....
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	14	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	.....
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	41	.....1944.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	16	dollars 1949.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	41	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	106	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	259	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	223
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	249
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,242
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	238	.....1945.....	1,855
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	201
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	874
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	10	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	92
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	368
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	75
		.....1945.....	53
		.....number 1950.....	143
		.....1945.....	87

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	2	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	911	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1945.....	27	acres 1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		bushels 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	1944.....	
number 1950.....	740	acres 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	1	1944.....	
number 1950.....	712	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1945.....	18	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	3	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	28	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	171	acres 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	tons cut 1949.....	
1944.....	1		
number shorn 1949.....	520	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,300	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....	60	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949.....	80
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	644
		1944.....	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950.....	353	1944.....	5
1945.....	349	acres 1949.....	1
number 1950.....	55,768	1944.....	15
1945.....	47,790	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	73	1944.....	5
number 1949.....	7,769	acres 1949.....	465
dollars 1949.....	9,290	1944.....	1,052
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	191	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	5,700
dozens 1949.....	73,216	1944.....	12,490
dollars 1949.....	29,284		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	101	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	257
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	acres grown alone 1949.....	3,053
1944.....	4	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,239
number 1949.....	211	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	6,478
1944.....	9	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	16,406
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	20
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	5
		bushels 1949.....	174
		1944.....	
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	154
		acres grown alone 1949.....	830
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	986
		tons 1949.....	1,825
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	44
		acres grown alone 1949.....	40
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	769
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	225
		acres grown alone 1949.....	2,185
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	4,710
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
		acres grown alone 1949.....	2
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	428
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	57
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	196
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	11
		bushels 1949.....	110
		1944.....	
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bu. in shells 1949.....	
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
		acres grown alone 1949.....	5
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	6
		tons 1949.....	
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	4
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
		acres grown alone 1949.....	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	17
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
		acres grown alone 1949.....	1
		1944.....	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	10
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
		1944.....	1
		acres grown alone 1949.....	1
		1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		pounds 1949.....	800
		1944.....	70
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		tons 1949.....	
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	40	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	513	acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	12	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	24	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	41	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	157	acres 1949.....	21
tons 1949.....	265	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	406	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	166	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	47	acres 1944.....	
tons 1949.....	139	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	127	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	5	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	50	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	60	acres 1949.....	
1944.....			
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	1	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2	24-pt. crates 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2		
1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	160
acres 1949.....	211	1945.....	
1944.....	331	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	44
tons 1949.....	568	1945.....	
1944.....	408	acres 1945.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	3
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
tons..green weight 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	10
		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		1945.....	2
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	15
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	12
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1
		1944.....	
		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		1945.....	21
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	189
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	125
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	80
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	101
		1944.....	279
		1944.....	12
		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		1945.....	2
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	22
		1945.....	7
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	14
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	13
		1944.....	
		Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	109
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	648
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	464
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	384
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	6,785
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		1945.....	
		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	35
		1945.....	
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	32
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	3
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	70
		1944.....	
		Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	54
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	368
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	92
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	276
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	7,610
		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	70
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	457
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	118
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	341
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	6,830
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	78
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	684
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	339
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	325
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	108
		1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 4,563	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 526
	1945... 4,669		1945... 414
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 528,640	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 54
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 43.8		1945... 58
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 169,063	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 472
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 66,019		1945... 356
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 32,022	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 2,324
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 35,464		1945... 2,552
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 231,640	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 864
	1945... 193,603		1945... 977
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 50.8	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 327
	1945... 41.5		1945... 302
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*.. 4,266	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 196
	1945... 2,764		1945... 165
average per acre, dollars	1950*.. 91.65	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 123
	1945... 66.66		1945... 92
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 56
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 3,908		1945... 59
	1944... 4,365	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 25
	1949... 92,401		1945... 21
	1944... 101,625	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 28
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 725		1945... 24
	1944... 628	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 60
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1,791		1945... 33
	1944... 1,944	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 19
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 851		1945... 14
	1944... 1,160	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 15
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 344		1945... 16
	1944... 442	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 118	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944... 113	White operators.....number	1950... 3,673
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 47		1945... 3,488
	1944... 48	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 890
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 32		1945... 1,181
	1944... 30	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1,223	Full owners.....number	1950... 2,138
	1944 <sup>1</sup> .. 904		1945... 1,937
acres	1949... 28,893	Part owners.....number	1950... 805
	1944 <sup>1</sup> .. 14,720		1945... 582
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting	1949... 408	Managers.....number	1950... 10
	1944... 7,194		1945... 5
acres	1949... 8,165	All tenants.....number	1950... 1,610
	1944... 413		1945... 2,145
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 319	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 35.3
	1944... 17,422		1945... 45.9
acres	1949... 16,707	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 301
	1944... 544		1945... 628
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 699	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 18
	1944... 48,544		1945... 128
acres	1949... 19,263	Share tenants.....number	1950... 766
	1944... 1,160		1945... 458
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,184	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 742
	1944 <sup>1</sup> .. 25,607		1945... 24
acres	1949... 24,382	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 404
	1944... 8,741		1945... 870
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 3,762	Croppers.....number	1950... 121
	1944... 4,220		1945... 61
acres	1949... 11,579	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 29
	1944... 8,741		1945... 29
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 18	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 92
	1944... 9	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres	1949... 3,753	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 368
	1944... 874		1945... 138
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... ..	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 3,236
	1949... ..		1945... 1,406
acres	1949... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 3,226
	1949... ..		1945... 3-54
	1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 186
	1944... ..		1945... 186
	1944... ..	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 478
	1944... ..		1945... 2,224
	1944... ..	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 748
	1944... ..		1945... 56
	1944... ..	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 26
	1944... ..		1945... 99
	1944... ..	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 121
	1944... ..		1945... 12
	1944... ..	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 52
	1944... ..		1945... 54
	1944... ..	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 2
	1944... ..		1945... 4
	1944... ..	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 1
	1944... ..		1945... 1
	1944... ..	Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1
	1944... ..		1945... 1
	1944... ..	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 1
	1944... ..		1945... 1
	1944... ..	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 12
	1944... ..		1945... 12
	1944... ..	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 52
	1944... ..		1945... 54
	1944... ..	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 2
	1944... ..		1945... 4
	1944... ..		1945... 1
	1944... ..	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1
	1944... ..		1945... 1

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,357	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	609	General farms.....number 1950...	1,008
.....number 1950.....	1,462	.....1945.....	659
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	811	.....number 1950.....	1,008
.....1945.....	257	.....1945.....	344
.....number 1950.....	1,008	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	811
.....1945.....	344	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	257
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	785	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	1,008
.....number 1950.....	980	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,008
.....number 1950.....	10		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	10	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,980
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	17	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	1
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,677	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	1,581	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	2
.....number 1950.....	1,739	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	1,281
.....1945.....	1,617	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	1,381
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,481
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	988	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	82
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	502	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	82
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,260	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	527		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	286	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,136.58
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	4,550.08
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,685	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,668.54
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,988	.....1944.....	3,657.08
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	532	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,624.31
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	278	.....1944.....	3,564.61
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	21.21
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	66.01
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,824	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	21.81
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	276	.....1944.....	24.31
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	391	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1.01
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	.....1944.....	2.11
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,448.34
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	883.71
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	857	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	187.31
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,838	.....1944.....	102.91
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	773	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	101.51
		.....1944.....	259.54
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,159.51
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	521.21
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,995	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19.64
.....persons 1950.....	6,255	.....1944.....	9.21
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,934		
.....persons 1950.....	3,759	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,288	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,31
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,728	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,41
.....persons 1950.....	728	.....1945.....	3,01
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,288	.....number 1950.....	4,41
.....persons 1950.....	768	.....1945.....	6,11
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,11
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		.....1945.....	2,51
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,124	.....number 1950.....	3,81
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,259	.....1945.....	5,01
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,268		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	101,048	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
.....dollars 1949.....	1,714	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,61
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	806,780	.....1945.....	3,91
.....dollars 1949.....	3,357	.....number 1950.....	38,91
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	364,760	.....1945.....	54,81
.....dollars 1949.....	2,311	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,61
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,733	.....1945.....	3,91
.....dollars 1949.....	152,582	.....number 1950.....	21,45
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,367	.....1945.....	34,61
.....dollars 1949.....	268,521	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,21
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	448	.....number 1950.....	8,71
.....dollars 1949.....	87,479	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,01
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,331	.....number 1950.....	7,31
.....dollars 1949.....	72,823	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,01
		.....number 1950.....	2,91
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,21
No sales.....number 1950.....	338	.....number 1950.....	7,15
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	517	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	19
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	364	.....1944.....	379,72
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	384	.....gallons 1949.....	217,64
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	1,006	.....dollars 1949.....	187,12
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	920	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	681	.....1944.....	17
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	213	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	2,56
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	56	.....1944.....	9
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	36	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	48	.....dollars 1949.....	
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	2,516	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,28
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	22	.....1945.....	3,88
Cotton.....number 1950.....	2,431	.....number 1950.....	29,09
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	63	.....1945.....	39,80
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,78
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	12,97
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	36	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,27
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	16,12
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,68
		.....1945.....	3,44
		.....number 1950.....	3,54
		.....1945.....	10,00

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	44	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	1,635	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1945.....	609	1944.....	19
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	150
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	43	1944.....	150
number 1950.....	1,116	bushels 1949.....	1949.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	41	1944.....	1949.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	35	tons..green weight 1949.....	1949.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	914	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1950.....	397	acres 1949.....	48
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	25	tons cut 1949.....	1949.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	202	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	29	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	519	acres 1949.....	48
number 1950.....	19	tons cut 1949.....	1949.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Small grains:	
1944.....	636	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number shorn 1949.....	2,609	1944.....	32
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,299	acres 1949.....	277
1944.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	615
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...		bushels 1949.....	7,921
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		15,490	1944.....
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4,225	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1945.....	4,462	1944.....	25
number 1950.....	169,193	acres 1949.....	117
1945.....	234,294	1944.....	183
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	287	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1949.....	11,848	1944.....	9
dollars 1949.....	14,130	acres 1949.....	3,705
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,958	1944.....	874
dozens 1949.....	230,814	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	44,166
dollars 1949.....	80,406	1944.....	5,762
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	208	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	935	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,568
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	241	acres grown alone 1949.....	194
1944.....	85	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	876
number 1949.....	1,917	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	28,083
1944.....	1,003	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	48,264
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	252
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	1,974
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,497	acres grown alone 1949.....	25
dollars 1949.....	1,145,995	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,529
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,823	bushels 1949.....	14,584
1944.....	1,812	1944.....	83,572
number 1949.....	9,895	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	10,452	acres grown alone 1949.....	16
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	722	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	48
number 1949.....	3,919	tons 1949.....	46
dollars 1949.....	403,955	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,477	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	738
number 1949.....	5,976	acres grown alone 1949.....	55
dollars 1949.....	375,969	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	8,198
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,533	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,388	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1,701
number 1949.....	15,353	acres grown alone 1949.....	98
1944.....	13,088	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	18,308
dollars 1949.....	346,569	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	138
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	acres grown alone 1949.....	64
1944.....	24	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	22
number 1949.....	635	acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	547
1944.....	384	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	62
dollars 1949.....	6,351	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	27
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	109	1944.....	13
number 1949.....	211	acres grown alone 1949.....	16
dollars 1949.....	13,151	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	48
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949.....	260
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	3,205	1944.....	104
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	362	Cowpeas harvested for green peas....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	547	acres grown alone 1949.....	1
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	10	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	7
1944.....	12	bu. in shells 1949.....	5
number 1949.....	13	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	30	acres grown alone 1949.....	8
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	354	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	9
1944.....	90	tons 1949.....	1949.....
number 1949.....	534	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	116	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	46
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	3,141	acres grown alone 1949.....	20
1944.....	3,929	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	290
number 1949.....	9,345	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	17,076	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	43
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949.....	22
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	20	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	200
dollars 1949.....	744	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	28
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949.....	48
Corn:		1944.....	17
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3,432	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1949.....
1944.....	4,122	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
acres 1949.....	37,861	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	51,378	1944.....	8
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	3,415	acres grown alone 1949.....	10
1944.....	4,116	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	10
acres 1949.....	37,263	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1949.....
1944.....	51,192	tons 1949.....	2,425
bushels 1949.....	791,914	pounds 1949.....	2,790
1944.....	993,496	1944.....	1949.....
Sorghums:		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	17	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	67	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	67	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1949.....
1944.....	19	tons 1949.....	4
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		acres grown alone 1949.....	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	31
		bushels 1949.....	19

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	711	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	13,424	acres 1949.....	(*) 2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	18	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 2
1944.....	14	acres 1949.....	54
acres 1949.....	182	acres 1949.....	200
1944.....	91	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	275	acres 1949.....	(*) 1
1944.....	158	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	92	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	303	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	11
acres 1949.....	3,581	acres 1944.....	50
1944.....	7,103	acres 1949.....	3
tons 1949.....	4,501	1944.....	18
1944.....	8,735	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	174	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	215	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	5
acres 1949.....	1,943	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	1,723	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	26
tons 1949.....	2,621	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	2,161	24-pt. crates 1949...	44
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	33	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,063
acres 1949.....	37	1945.....	351
tons 1949.....	37	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	231
1944.....	437	1945.....	170
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	7,682	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	74
acres 1949.....	6,038	1945.....	64
1944.....	8,254	trees of all ages..number 1950...	400
tons 1949.....	7,471	1945.....	215
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	284
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	116
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16
tons..green weight 1949.....		1944.....	61
Field crops (other):		1944.....	404
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,114
1944.....	1	1945.....	1,993
acres 1949.....	152	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,294
1944.....	35	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	699
pounds 1949.....	24,130	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,089
1944.....	10,500	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	368
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,023	1944.....	484
1944.....	2,400	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	1,194
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	98	1945.....	1,823
1944.....	865	trees of all ages..number 1950...	552
bushels 1949.....	11,270	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	642
1944.....	51,599	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,823
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,398	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,612
1944.....	2,757	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	145
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,534	1945.....	565
1944.....	1,092	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,445
bushels 1949.....	176,717	1945.....	3,763
1944.....	96,118	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	456
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,320	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	989
1944.....	3,698	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	767
acres 1949.....	31,264	1944.....	1,063
1944.....	26,904	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	635
bales 1949.....	23,029	1950.....	3,130
1944.....	24,068	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,222
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	73	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,908
acres 1949.....	84	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	60,240
gallons 1949.....	8,153	1950.....	28
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1945.....	24
1944.....	173	vines of all ages..number 1950...	87
acres 1949.....	3,734	1945.....	95
1944.....	2,938	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	71
tons 1949.....	67,546	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	16
1944.....	55,813	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	220
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	376
acres 1949.....	121	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	325
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	3,581	1950.....	3,512
1944.....	4,309	trees of all ages..number 1950...	757
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	14	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,755
1944.....	271	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	74,822
acres 1949.....	236	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	129
1944.....	481	1950.....	1,330
acres 1949.....	21,289	trees of all ages..number 1950...	358
1944.....	66,010	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	972
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	10	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	55,470
1944.....	20	1950.....	1
acres 1949.....	8	1945.....	4
1944.....	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	75
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1945.....	632
1944.....	44	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	75
1944.....	55	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	13,640
1944.....	9	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	5	1950.....	
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> 1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<sup>1</sup>Year 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/8 bushels harvested.

<sup>2</sup>Year 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/8 acre.

<sup>3</sup>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season, 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950.....	1,702	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	152
.....1945.....	1,562	.....1945.....	134
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	757,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	15
.....1945.....	22.7	.....1945.....	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	134,827	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	137
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	134,009	.....1945.....	127
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	4,544	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	353
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	10,542	.....1945.....	397
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	171,988	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	471
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	131,804	.....1945.....	460
.....1945.....	101.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	123
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	84.4	.....1945.....	104
.....1945.....		70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	207
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*.....	4,348	.....1945.....	208
.....1945.....	2,079	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	117
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	44.88	.....1945.....	111
.....1945.....	24.64	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	96
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945.....	86
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,168	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	46
.....1944.....	1,438	.....1945.....	29
.....acres 1949.....	18,081	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	23
.....1944.....	15,866	.....1945.....	27
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	711	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	63
.....1944.....	898	.....1945.....	39
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	281	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	30
.....1944.....	361	.....1945.....	22
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	85	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	21
.....1944.....	99	.....1945.....	10
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	57	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944.....	52	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	White operators.....number 1950.....	1,643
.....1944.....	21	.....1945.....	1,506
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	59
.....1944.....	7	.....1945.....	56
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	5	Full owners.....number 1950.....	1,327
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	509	.....1945.....	1,348
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	2,240	Part owners.....number 1950.....	130
.....acres 1949.....	12,057	.....1945.....	85
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	3,985	Managers.....number 1950.....	3
.....acres 1949.....	6,788	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	4,809	All tenants.....number 1950.....	242
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	991	.....1945.....	178
.....1944.....	520	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	14.2
.....acres 1949.....	51,056	.....1945.....	11.4
.....1944.....	21,853	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	82
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	740	.....1945.....	119
.....1944.....	485	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....	44,571	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	20,218	Share tenants.....number 1950.....	20
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	246	.....1945.....	10
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	815	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950.....	18
.....acres 1949.....	23,796	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	63,844	.....1945.....	9
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,599	Croppers.....number 1950.....	21
.....1944.....	812	.....1945.....	125
.....acres 1949.....	5,679	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	92
.....1944.....	1,779	.....1945.....	83
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	24	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944.....	5	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	189
.....acres 1949.....	4,259	.....1945.....	90
.....1944.....	634	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,214
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1945.....	528
.....acres 1949.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,214
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	4.63
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	1,641	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	543
.....1945.....	1,528	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	90
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	87	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	212
.....1945.....	29	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	818
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	1,246	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	97
.....1944.....	668	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	994	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
.....1944.....	668	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	806	.....number 1950.....	9
.....1944.....	622	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	
		.....number 1950.....	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
		.....number 1950.....	13
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	
		.....number 1950.....	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	
		.....number 1950.....	

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	574	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	129
.....1945.....	353	General farms.....number 1950...	45
.....number 1950.....	768	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	17
.....1945.....	369	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	25
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	255	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	1,394
.....1945.....	76	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	309		
.....1945.....	80		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	235		
.....number 1950.....	278		
.....1945.....	80		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30		
.....number 1950.....	30		
.....1945.....	1		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1		
.....number 1950.....	728		
.....1945.....	654		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	797		
.....number 1950.....	658		
.....1945.....			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	366		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	392		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	688		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	138		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	73		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	319
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	47	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	2
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	567	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	18
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	443	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	34
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	593	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	28
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	91
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	132
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	488	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,888
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	276	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	484
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	784	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	899
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
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.....	589	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,458,651
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	375	.....1944.....	721,467
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	781	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	390,860
		.....1944.....	178,047
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	325,672
		.....1944.....	107,251
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	16,713
		.....1944.....	28,781
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	36,212
		.....1944.....	33,305
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,753
		.....1944.....	5,700
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,017,431
		.....1944.....	533,541
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	222,925
		.....1944.....	69,954
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	148,017
		.....1944.....	187,867
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	646,489
		.....1944.....	275,710
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	45,660
		.....1944.....	12,879
		<b>FARM LABOR*</b>	
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,281
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,319	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,144
.....persons 1950.....	2,000	.....1945.....	1,174
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,301	.....number 1950.....	2,578
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,198	.....1945.....	2,732
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	325	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	343
.....persons 1950.....	699	.....1945.....	410
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	.....number 1950.....	486
.....persons 1950.....	103	.....1945.....	632
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,356
		.....1945.....	1,456
		.....number 1950.....	17,208
		.....1945.....	24,568
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,320
		.....1945.....	1,433
		.....number 1950.....	9,744
		.....1945.....	14,945
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,083
		.....number 1950.....	3,159
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	785
		.....number 1950.....	3,539
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	442
		.....number 1950.....	1,182
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	783
		.....number 1950.....	2,738
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	70
		.....1944.....	34
		.....gallons 1949.....	378,415
		.....1944.....	267,296
		.....dollars 1949.....	215,943
		.....1944.....	33
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	18
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	6,438
		.....1944.....	4,222
		.....dollars 1949.....	5,695
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	33
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,287
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,062
		.....1945.....	1,067
		.....number 1950.....	12,883
		.....1945.....	14,760
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	952
		.....number 1950.....	7,504
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	647
		.....number 1950.....	5,379
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	520
		.....1945.....	759
		.....number 1950.....	1,548
		.....1945.....	2,807

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued</b>	
sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	131	Sorghums--Continued	
1945.....	181	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup--Continued	
number 1950.....	29,944	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	22
1945.....	22,332	1944.....	9
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	67
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	128	1944.....	34
number 1950.....	21,823	bushels 1949.....	1,297
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	121	1944.....	680
1945.....	161	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	16,038	1944.....	
1945.....	48,561	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	95	tons--green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	5,790	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	114	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	26
number 1950.....	8,121	1944.....	76
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	109	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	164	tons cut 1949.....	96
number shorn 1949.....	28,560	Small grains:	
wool 1949.....	91,259	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
1944.....	209,681	1944.....	15
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949.....	373
		1944.....	163
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		bushels 1949.....	5,436
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,522	1944.....	3,980
1945.....	1,450	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	64
number 1950.....	63,691	1944.....	68
1945.....	76,830	acres 1949.....	363
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	876	1944.....	379
number 1949.....	30,382	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	23
dollars 1949.....	32,362	1944.....	5
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	511	acres 1949.....	4,252
dozens 1949.....	258,062	1944.....	684
dollars 1949.....	109,844	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	41,547
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	89	1944.....	6,674
number 1950.....	416	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	80	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	178
1944.....	14	acres grown alone 1949.....	807
number 1949.....	1,092	1944.....	157
1944.....	154	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	58
		1944.....	59
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	4
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,071	acres grown alone 1949.....	185
dollars 1949.....	602,714	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	755	bushels 1949.....	1,635
1944.....	590	1944.....	145
number 1949.....	5,164	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	140
1944.....	4,400	acres grown alone 1949.....	551
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	385	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	3
number 1949.....	1,812	tons 1949.....	718
dollars 1949.....	167,650	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	608	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1949.....	3,352	acres grown alone 1949.....	32
dollars 1949.....	202,118	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	54
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	633	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	246	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1949.....	7,188	acres grown alone 1949.....	39
1944.....	2,290	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1
dollars 1949.....	134,156	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	357
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	97	acres grown alone 1949.....	1,069
1944.....	16	1944.....	796
number 1949.....	11,566	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	244
1944.....	2,388	1944.....	464
dollars 1949.....	95,077	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	177
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	64	1944.....	123
number 1949.....	97	acres grown alone 1949.....	114
dollars 1949.....	3,713	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	95
		bushels 1949.....	1,615
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	1,805
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,098	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	166
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	143	acres grown alone 1949.....	129
number 1949.....	171	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	22
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	15	bu. in shells 1949.....	3,140
1944.....	47	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	64
number 1949.....	16	acres grown alone 1949.....	129
1944.....	193	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	181	tons 1949.....	141
1944.....	87	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949.....	155	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	75
1944.....	115	acres grown alone 1949.....	150
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,049	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	112
1944.....	1,025	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	3,876	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944.....	4,694	acres grown alone 1949.....	80
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	15
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	86	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	179
dollars 1949.....	964	acres grown alone 1949.....	467
		1944.....	307
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	5
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
Corn:		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	50
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	797	1944.....	19
1944.....	847	acres grown alone 1949.....	153
acres 1949.....	4,512	1944.....	23
1944.....	5,143	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	784	pounds 1949.....	54,196
1944.....	884	1944.....	7,925
acres 1949.....	4,315	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
1944.....	4,994	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	117
bushels 1949.....	85,400	acres grown alone 1949.....	204
1944.....	76,589	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1
Sorghums:		tons 1949.....	192
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	48	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	31	acres grown alone 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	143	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	178	bushels 1949.....	7

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Reported in small fractions.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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....	344	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949....	52
.....acres 1949....	3,298	.....acres 1949....	47
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949....	3	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949....	.....
.....acres 1949....	19	.....acres 1949....	.....
.....tons 1949....	34	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949....	1
.....1944....	.....	.....acres 1949....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	17	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949....	.....
.....acres 1949....	7	.....acres 1949....	.....
.....1944....	108	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949....	2
.....tons 1949....	47	.....acres 1949....	(*)
.....1944....	108	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949....	24
.....1944....	50	.....acres 1949....	28
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	186	.....1944....	15
.....acres 1949....	408	.....1944....	6
.....1944....	1,860	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949....	62
.....1944....	4,186	.....acres 1949....	95
.....tons 1949....	2,583	Other vegetables.....acres 1949....	11
.....1944....	3,487	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	56	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949....	3
.....acres 1949....	428	.....acres 1949....	2
.....1944....	.....	.....24-pt. crates 1949....	95
.....tons 1949....	459	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944....	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950....	941
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	126	.....1945....	71
.....acres 1949....	938	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ....	1,984
.....1944....	723	.....1945....	980
.....tons 1949....	901	Apples.....farms reporting 1950....	165
.....1944....	600	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ....	21
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949....	1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	928
.....acres 1949....	6	.....1945....	155
.....tons..green weight 1949....	20	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	820
Field crops (other):		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	106
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	3	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	10
.....1944....	6	.....1944....	16
.....acres 1949....	24	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950....	418
.....1944....	74	.....acres 1949....	583
.....pounds 1949....	3,560	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	4,109
.....1944....	11,850	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	2,010
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	398	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	2,099
.....1944....	568	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	223
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ....	148	.....1944....	1,656
.....1944....	586	Pears.....farms reporting 1950....	512
.....bushels 1949....	10,315	.....acres 1949....	364
.....1944....	27,203	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	2,985
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	417	.....1945....	3,877
.....1944....	831	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	875
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ....	268	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	2,111
.....1944....	846	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	4,030
.....bushels 1949....	19,111	.....1944....	5,261
.....1944....	58,184	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950....	205
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	181	.....acres 1949....	65
.....1944....	72	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,211
.....acres 1949....	559	.....1945....	599
.....1944....	258	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	472
.....bales 1949....	381	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	739
.....1944....	133	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	137
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949....	70	.....1944....	207
.....acres 1949....	55	Figs.....farms reporting 1950....	453
.....gallons 1949....	6,050	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	2,697
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,709
.....1944....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	986
.....acres 1949....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	10,014
.....1944....	.....	.....1945....	154
.....tons 1949....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950....	4
.....1944....	.....	.....acres 1949....	.....
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949....	3	.....vines of all ages..number 1950....	1,030
.....acres 1949....	8	.....1945....	410
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949....	1,319	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950....	451
.....1944....	1,473	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950....	629
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	129	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	2,451
.....1944....	208	.....1944....	75
.....acres 1949....	209	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950....	505
.....1944....	299	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	9,805
.....sold..dollars 1949....	16,713	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,251
.....1944....	28,781	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	6,554
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949....	42	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	140,336
.....acres 1949....	27	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950....	223
.....1944....	21	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,761
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949....	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	598
.....acres 1949....	8	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	1,165
.....1944....	1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	23,465
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949....	1	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950....	65
.....acres 1949....	6	.....acres 1949....	64
.....1944....	9	.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	95,663
.....1944....	5	.....1945....	50,963
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	19,178
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	76,694
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	342,933
		.....1944....	122,920
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950....	185
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,574
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,334
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950....	342
		.....quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ....	5
		.....1944 <sup>4</sup> ....	1,829

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>5</sup>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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,128	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	125
1945...	2,557	1945.....	43
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	528,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	39.9	1945.....	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	178,077	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	122
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	47,018	1945.....	41
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,510	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	332
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,645	1945.....	297
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	210,780	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	484
1945.....	220,083	1945.....	678
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	99.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	208
1945.....	85.4	1945.....	210
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,355	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	345
1945.....	1,985	1945.....	409
average per acre, dollars 1950*	34.41	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	258
1945.....	21.04	1945.....	302
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	155
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,725	1945.....	172
1944.....	2,252	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	71
acres 1949.....	57,863	1945.....	77
1944.....	57,146	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	40
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	571	1945.....	47
1944.....	245	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	30
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	427	1945.....	98
1944.....	610	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	25
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	541	1945.....	30
1944.....	739	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	14
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	255	1945.....	4
1944.....	493		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	109	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944.....	146	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	White operators.....number 1950...	1,249
1944.....	15	1945.....	1,539
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	877
1944.....	6	1945.....	1,018
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	589	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	927	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,403
acres 1949.....	25,316	1945.....	1,433
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	38,553	Part owners.....number 1950...	215
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	971	1945.....	45
acres 1949.....	27,187	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1944.....	19,187	1945.....	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	937	All tenants.....number 1950...	505
1944.....	648	1945.....	880
acres 1949.....	36,130	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	23.8
1944.....	24,210	1945.....	37.3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	927	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	103
1944.....	1,183	1945.....	143
acres 1949.....	51,558	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
1944.....	47,187	1945.....	45
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,052	Share tenants.....number 1950...	150
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,024	1945.....	375
acres 1949.....	28,044	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	149
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	25,457	1945.....	15
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,041	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	250
1944.....	2,180	1945.....	145
acres 1949.....	6,882	Croppers.....number 1950...	107
1944.....	8,543	1945.....	51
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Other tenants.....number 1950...	94
1944.....	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	4		
1944.....	.....	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	248
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	127
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,543
		1945.....	443
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,543
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.20
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	395
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	124
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	139
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	496
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	232
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	56
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		number 1950.....	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950.....	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950.....	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950.....	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950.....	.....

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b> -Continued		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b> -Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	565	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	
.....farms reporting 1945...	262	General farms.....number 1950...	
.....number 1950...	598	.....number 1950...	
.....number 1945...	274	.....number 1950...	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	228	.....number 1950...	
.....farms reporting 1945...	68	.....number 1950...	
.....number 1950...	241	.....number 1950...	
.....number 1945...	77	.....number 1950...	1,1
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	173		
.....number 1950...	181		
.....number 1950...	15		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
.....number 1950...	15		
.....number 1950...	45		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	45		
.....number 1950...	45		
.....number 1950...	677		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	409		
.....farms reporting 1945...	695		
.....number 1950...	418		
.....number 1945...	418		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	474		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	615		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	811		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	128		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	100		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	158	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,125	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	605	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	198	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	869	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,54
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	297	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	48
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	535	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	6
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	86	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	6
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	411	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,878,70
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	722	.....dollars 1944...	1,058,11
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	922	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,308,00
		.....dollars 1944...	800,20
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,241,72
		.....dollars 1944...	786,73
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	40,00
		.....dollars 1944...	44,00
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8,50
		.....dollars 1944...	12,60
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	17,70
		.....dollars 1944...	8,50
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	482,50
		.....dollars 1944...	250,40
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	115,50
		.....dollars 1944...	58,50
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	59,00
		.....dollars 1944...	59,50
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	308,00
		.....dollars 1944...	154,00
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	91,50
		.....dollars 1944...	27,50
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	1,1
		.....number 1945...	1,1
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	1,1
		.....number 1945...	2,1
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	14,1
		.....number 1945...	16,1
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....farms reporting 1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	7,1
		.....number 1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	10,1
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	5,1
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,1
		.....number 1950...	2,1
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	1,1
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,1
		.....number 1950...	2,1
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....farms reporting 1944...	
		.....gallons 1949...	226,1
		.....gallons 1944...	84,1
		.....dollars 1949...	107,1
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....farms reporting 1944...	
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	7,1
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	8,1
		.....dollars 1949...	3,1
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....dollars 1949...	4,1
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	7,1
		.....number 1945...	9,1
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
		.....number 1950...	3,1
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	3,1
		.....number 1950...	3,1
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....farms reporting 1945...	
		.....number 1950...	1,1
		.....number 1945...	1,1

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Sorghums—Continued	
1945....	3	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950....	75	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1945....	74	1944.....	158
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	8	1944.....	4,207
number 1950....	47	bushels 1949....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ....	3	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	8	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949....	
number 1950....	36	acres 1949....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ....	44	tons green weight 1949....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950....	8	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950....	11	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	8	acres 1949....	64
number 1950....	28	tons cut 1949....	65
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Small grains:	
1944....	3	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number shorn 1949....	33	1944....	29
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949....	187	acres 1949....	517
1944....	210	1944....	856
Average date of enumeration..... 1950....	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949....	5,152
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		18,850	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	1,951	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	102
1945....	2,139	1944....	219
number 1950....	59,779	acres 1949....	609
1945....	68,845	1944....	1,192
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949....	290	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
number 1949....	17,172	1944....	
dollars 1949....	17,952	acres 1949....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949....	505	1944....	
dozens 1949....	92,228	162-lb. barrels 1949....	
dollars 1949....	38,780	1944....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	84	Annual legumes:	
number 1950....	321	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	85
Turkeys raised <sup>2</sup> .....farms reporting 1949....	61	acres grown alone 1949....	219
1944....	27	1944 <sup>3</sup> ....	277
number 1949....	655	acres grown with other crops 1949....	18
1944....	415	1944 <sup>3</sup> ....	2
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres grown alone 1949....	
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	1,120	acres grown with other crops 1949....	
dollars 1949....	306,254	bushels 1949....	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	854	1944....	15
1944....	681	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	62
number 1949....	5,454	acres grown alone 1949....	134
1944....	5,921	acres grown with other crops 1949....	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949....	414	tons 1949....	156
number 1949....	1,248	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949....	119,817	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	659	acres grown alone 1949....	68
number 1949....	2,208	acres grown with other crops 1949....	12
dollars 1949....	115,467	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	612	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944....	544	acres grown alone 1949...	17
number 1949....	5,746	acres grown with other crops 1949....	6
1944....	1,960	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,019
dollars 1949....	64,297	acres grown alone 1949...	2,440
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	5	1944 <sup>3</sup> ....	5,642
1944....	3	acres grown with other crops 1949....	240
number 1949....	22	1944 <sup>3</sup> ....	885
1944....	30	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949....	568
dollars 1949....	180	1944....	1,150
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	80	acres grown alone 1949....	896
number 1949....	103	acres grown with other crops 1949....	49
dollars 1949....	6,513	bushels 1949....	5,281
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944....	15,875
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,547	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	667
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	122	acres grown alone 1949....	855
number 1949....	141	acres grown with other crops 1949....	30
1944....	11	bu. in shells 1949....	8,594
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949....	41	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	45
number 1949....	17	acres grown alone 1949....	131
1944....	65	acres grown with other crops 1949....	37
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	112	tons 1949....	129
1944....	72	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949....	124	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	150
1944....	78	acres grown alone 1949....	360
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	1,527	acres grown with other crops 1949....	61
1944....	1,799	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
number 1949....	5,944	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	54
1944....	4,855	acres grown alone 1949....	216
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown with other crops 1949....	85
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	28	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	512
dollars 1949....	1,585	acres grown alone 1949....	471
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1944....	900
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949....	1
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,490	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
1944....	2,112	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	127
acres 1949....	14,672	1944....	40
1944....	24,725	acres grown alone 1949....	112
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949....	1,477	1944 <sup>3</sup> ....	48
1944....	2,005	acres grown with other crops 1949....	
acres 1949....	14,580	pounds 1949....	24,896
1944....	25,189	1944....	7,998
bushels 1949....	259,549	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
1944....	137,558	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	237
Sorghums:		acres grown alone 1949....	344
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	58	acres grown with other crops 1949....	
1944....	37	tons 1949....	552
acres 1949....	250	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944....	96	acres grown alone 1949....	6
		acres grown with other crops 1949....	
		bushels 1949....	20

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	204	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1944.....	2,809	acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1944.....	75	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	75	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1944.....	75	acres 1949.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1944.....	88	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	91	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949.....	91	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1944.....	91	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	92	acres 1944.....	27
acres 1944.....	78	acres 1949.....	9
acres 1949.....	1,189	acres 1944.....	28
tons 1944.....	700	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	138
tons 1949.....	1,123	acres 1949.....	574
tons 1944.....	945	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1944.....	781	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949.....	842	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	842	24-pt. crates 1949.....	.....
tons 1944.....	842	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	61	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	894
acres 1949.....	727	acres 1945.....	235
acres 1944.....	395	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	215
tons 1949.....	543	acres 1945.....	331
tons 1944.....	418	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	481
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	482
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	2,897
tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,206
tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,560
Field crops (other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,687
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1944.....	2,904
acres 1944.....	7	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	580
acres 1949.....	4	acres 1945.....	651
pounds 1949.....	36	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	6,577
pounds 1944.....	100	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,708
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5,295	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,989
acres 1944.....	1,546	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,931
acres 1949.....	1,579	acres 1944.....	5,277
bushels 1949.....	114	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	591
bushels 1944.....	527	acres 1945.....	590
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,054
acres 1944.....	1,895	acres 1945.....	1,155
acres 1949.....	595	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	585
acres 1944.....	1,087	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	869
bushels 1949.....	50,885	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,106
bushels 1944.....	85,520	quantity harvested..bushels 1944.....	2,851
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,082	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	44
acres 1944.....	1,859	acres 1945.....	22
acres 1949.....	14,474	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	144
acres 1944.....	22,470	acres 1945.....	75
bales 1949.....	8,043	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	119
bales 1944.....	6,577	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	25
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	212	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	20
acres 1949.....	155	acres 1944.....	95
acres 1949.....	9,482	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	509
acres 1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,019
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	572
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	647
acres 1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	8,874
tons 1949.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	61
tons 1944.....	.....	acres 1945.....	15
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1950.....	165
acres 1949.....	11	acres 1945.....	49
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,897	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	88
acres 1944.....	2,199	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	76
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	144	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	406
acres 1949.....	155	acres 1944.....	324
acres 1944.....	610	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	355
sold..dollars 1949.....	448	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,285
sold..dollars 1944.....	40,022	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	421
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	44,085	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,864
acres 1944.....	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	27,598
acres 1949.....	5	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	71
acres 1944.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	199
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	81
acres 1949.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	118
acres 1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,880
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	11	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	.....
acres 1944.....	2	acres 1945.....	.....
acres 1949.....	18	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
acres 1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	.....
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

\*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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,018	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	263
.....1945...	2,280	.....1945...	286
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	538,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	16
.....1945...	35.1	.....1945...	15
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	143,381	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	247
.....1945...	8,523	.....1945...	703
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	76,262	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	883
.....1945...	19,508	.....1945...	439
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	188,658	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	471
.....1945...	193,628	.....1945...	121
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	93.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	98
.....1945...	84.9	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	154
Average size of farm.....acres 1950*	7,152	.....1945...	184
.....1945...	3,808	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	96
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	75.17	.....1945...	112
.....1945...	44.84	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	53
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*		.....1945...	68
.....1945...		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	30
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	45
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,629	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	26
.....1944...	1,997	.....1945...	13
.....acres 1949...	60,014	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	66
.....1944...	68,882	.....1945...	48
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	560	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	40
.....1944...	473	.....1945...	44
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	530	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	27
.....1944...	785	.....1945...	28
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	252		
.....1944...	393	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	140	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	198	White operators.....number 1950...	803
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	64	.....1945...	725
.....1944...	60	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,215
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	34	.....1945...	1,555
.....1944...	40	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,018
.....1944...	48	.....1945...	925
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	670	Part owners.....number 1950...	206
.....1944...	1,169	.....1945...	94
.....acres 1949...	25,713	Managers.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	13,253	.....1945...	10
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	405	All tenants.....number 1950...	790
.....1944...	11,862	.....1945...	1,251
.....acres 1949...	18,541	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.1
.....1944...	500	.....1945...	54.9
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	356	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	130
.....1944...	32,956	.....1945...	252
.....acres 1949...	24,339	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	533	.....1945...	162
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	573	Share tenants.....number 1950...	318
.....1944...	34,318	.....1945...	161
.....acres 1949...	26,198	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	224	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	344
.....1944...	805	.....1945...	653
.....acres 1949...	16,369	Croppers.....number 1950...	153
.....1944...	37,465	.....1945...	28
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,436	Other tenants.....number 1950...	101
.....1944...	1,756	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	52
.....acres 1949...	7,426		
.....1944...	5,459	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	189
.....1944...		.....1945...	141
.....acres 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,330
.....1944...		.....1945...	338
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,330
.....acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.68
		.....1945...	307
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	82
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	115
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	418
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	96
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	60
		.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	2
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	85
		.....number 1950...	102
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		.....number 1950...	22
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	416	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	82
.....1945.....	314	General farms.....number 1950...	21
.....number 1950.....	491	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	402	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	263	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	15
.....1945.....	172	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,114
.....number 1950.....	590		
.....1945.....	403		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	246		
number 1950.....	566		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	18		
number 1950.....	20		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20		
number 1950.....	4		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	646		
.....1945.....	472		
.....number 1950.....	878		
.....1945.....	500		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	737		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	409		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	615		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	190		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	67		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	914
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	211	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	35
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	606	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	29
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	484	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	45
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	595	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	141
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	313
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	351
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	505	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,104
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	165	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	322
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	291	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	782
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	77	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	421		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	996		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	441		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,783,024
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,489	1944.....	3,054,595
persons 1950.....	3,285	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,058,090
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,456	1944.....	2,526,500
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,356	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,035,966
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	617	1944.....	2,317,868
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,057	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,499
persons 1950.....	182	1944.....	32,436
persons 1950.....	872	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,625
		1944.....	175,896
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		1944.....	300
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	701,270
		1944.....	512,722
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	159,869
		1944.....	114,986
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	26,640
		1944.....	34,046
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	514,761
		1944.....	363,690
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	23,664
		1944.....	15,373
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,207
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	696
		1945.....	697
		number 1950.....	1,206
		1945.....	1,356
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	870
		1945.....	1,114
		number 1950.....	1,700
		1945.....	2,931
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,339
		1945.....	1,575
		number 1950.....	21,900
		1945.....	26,408
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,301
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,523
		number 1950.....	11,118
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	17,003
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,022
		number 1950.....	3,390
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	663
		number 1950.....	3,466
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	483
		number 1950.....	2,805
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	855
		number 1950.....	4,511
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	29
		1944.....	94
		gallons 1949.....	254,435
		1944.....	304,778
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	145,019
		1944.....	18
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	7
		1944.....	23,167
		dollars 1949.....	1,825
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	13,738
		1949.....	22
		dollars 1949.....	1,112
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,326
		1945.....	1,377
		number 1950.....	11,004
		1945.....	12,962
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,110
		number 1950.....	7,005
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	657
		number 1950.....	3,999
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	466
		1945.....	766
		number 1950.....	1,058
		1945.....	1,639

<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		Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>			<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting	1950...	12	Sorghums—Continued	
	1945...	8	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
	number 1950...	670	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting	1949... 5
	1945...	202		1944... 67
Sheep and lambs born before			acres 1949...	67
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting	1950...	11		1944... 1,925
	number 1950...	419	bushels 1949...	2
Ewes.....farms reporting	1950...	11	acres 1949...	24
	1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	7	tons..green weight 1949...	200
	number 1950...	379		
	1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	137	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting	1950...	8	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting	1949... 49
	number 1950...	40		acres 1949... 87
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting	1950...	8	tons cut 1949...	67
	number 1950...	251		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting	1949...	6	Small grains:	
	1944...	7	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting	1949... 38
Wool shorn.....pounds	1949...	363		1944... 71
	1944...	1,365	acres 1949...	2,087
Average date of enumeration.....	1950...	595	bushels 1949...	8,491
		Apr.15-Apr.28		64,567
				209,942
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>			Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting	1949... 34
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting	1950...	1,564		1944... 55
	1945...	2,017	acres 1949...	335
	number 1950...	44,863		1944... 666
	1945...	68,228	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting	1949... ..
Chickens sold.....farms reporting	1949...	162		1944... ..
	number 1949...	6,801	acres 1949...	1944... ..
	dollars 1949...	7,158		1944... ..
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting	1949...	187	162-lb. barrels 1949...	1944... ..
	dozens 1949...	36,505		
	dollars 1949...	16,670	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting	1950...	107	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 65
	number 1950...	590		acres grown alone 1949... 308
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting	1949...	110		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 1,600
	1944...	60	acres grown with other crops 1949...	398
	number 1949...	1,294		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 754
	1944...	487	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting	1949... 5
				1944... 91
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>			acres grown alone 1949...	28
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules			acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	765	bushels 1949...	414
	dollars 1949...	513,797		1944... 3,712
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	558	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting	1949... 33
	1944...	416		acres grown alone 1949... 136
	number 1949...	4,796	acres grown with other crops 1949...	112
	1944...	6,063	tons 1949...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting	1949...	253	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
	number 1949...	1,795	for silage.....farms reporting	1949... 21
	dollars 1949...	188,751		acres grown alone 1949... 61
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	449	acres grown with other crops 1949...	188
	number 1949...	3,001	Soybeans plowed under for green	
	dollars 1949...	213,839	manure.....farms reporting	1949... 14
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	453		acres grown alone 1949... 83
	1944...	229	acres grown with other crops 1949...	207
	number 1949...	5,736		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 569
	1944...	3,121	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 1,062
	dollars 1949...	108,191		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 1,377
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	5	acres grown with other crops 1949...	441
	1944...	6		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 610
	number 1949...	184	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting	1949... 515
	1944...	90		1944... 367
	dollars 1949...	1,586	acres grown alone 1949...	494
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	19	acres grown with other crops 1949...	269
	number 1949...	26		bushels 1949... 4,898
	dollars 1949...	1,430		1944... 2,705
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>			Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting	1949... 322
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	1,296		acres grown alone 1949... 240
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	37	acres grown with other crops 1949...	111
	number 1949...	30	bu. in shells 1949...	4,027
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting	1949...	3	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting	1949... 57
	1944...	32		acres grown alone 1949... 130
	number 1949...	3		acres grown with other crops 1949...
	1944...	45	tons 1949...	124
Calves butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	35	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
	1944...	13	for silage.....farms reporting	1949... 40
	number 1949...	47		acres grown alone 1949... 90
	1944...	16	acres grown with other crops 1949...	48
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	1,293	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
	1944...	1,334	manure.....farms reporting	1949... 25
	number 1949...	3,190		acres grown alone 1949... 108
	1944...	3,515	acres grown with other crops 1949...	13
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from			Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 298
animals butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	7		acres grown alone 1949... 345
	dollars 1949...	306		1944... 534
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>			acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
Corn:			Peanuts harvested for picking or	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949...	1,106	threshing.....farms reporting	1949... 298
	1944...	1,347		1944... 34
	acres 1949...	8,159	acres grown alone 1949...	124
	1944...	14,232		1944 <sup>3</sup> ... 58
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting	1949...	1,078	acres grown with other crops 1949...	42,607
	1944...	1,342	pounds 1949...	15,550
	acres 1949...	7,909		
	1944...	14,137	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
	bushels 1949...	153,713	or forage.....farms reporting	1949... 95
	1944...	185,003		acres grown alone 1949... 98
Sorghums:			acres grown with other crops 1949...	95
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting	1949...	54	tons 1949...	2
	1944...	67		acres grown alone 1949... 9
	acres 1949...	178	acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
	1944...	153	bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Hay from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	213	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949.....	8,969	acres 1949.....	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	8
separating).....farms reporting 1949...	101	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	125	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949.....	6,538	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	6,426	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	13,357	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	10,946	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	1	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	19
acres 1949.....	674	1944.....	30
1944.....	50	acres 1949.....	7
tons 1949.....	975	1944.....	44
1944.....	50	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Lepedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	62	acres 1949.....	11
1944.....	23	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	19
acres 1949.....	714		
1944.....	507	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	681	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	509	acres 1949.....	
Data, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		24-pt. crates 1949.....	
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2		
1944.....	2	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	95	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	53	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	502
tons 1949.....	155	acres 1945.....	173
1944.....	52	acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,632
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	55	1945.....	966
acres 1949.....	1,111	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	278
1944.....	3,171	acres 1945.....	89
tons 1949.....	1,411	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,677
1944.....	4,087	1945.....	1,111
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	933
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	744
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	269
		1944.....	379
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	401
Lepedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	280
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,487
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,346
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,141
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,634
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		1944.....	6,319
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	288	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	291
1944.....	256	acres 1945.....	112
acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	78	trees of all ages..number 1950...	908
1944.....	88	1945.....	54 <sup>3</sup>
bushels 1949.....	6,196	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	317
1944.....	7,306	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	591
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,166
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	661	1944.....	865
1944.....	547	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	112
acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	489	acres 1945.....	40
1944.....	403	trees of all ages..number 1950...	299
bushels 1949.....	35,049	1945.....	206
1944.....	30,395	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	207
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	92
1944.....	1,199	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	140
acres 1949.....	1,697	1944.....	61
1944.....	35,418	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	148
bales 1949.....	29,715	trees of all ages..number 1950...	498
1944.....	28,335	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	271
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	227
syrup.....farms reporting 1949...	136	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,759
acres 1949.....	82	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	73
gallons 1949.....	5,091	acres 1945.....	5
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	380
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	147
acres 1949.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	162
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	218
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,040
1944.....		1944.....	440
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		Improved pecans (budded, grafted,	
acres 1949.....		or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	130
Vegetables harvested for home use		trees of all ages..number 1950...	13,584
(oth. than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	936	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	167
1944.....	1,732	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15,417
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	80,451
1944.....	23	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	18
acres 1949.....	63	trees of all ages..number 1950...	113
1944.....	66	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	16
sold..dollars 1949.....	296	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	97
1944.....	7,499	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,605
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	32,436	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	18	acres 1945.....	
acres 1949.....	18	trees of all ages..number 1950...	100
1944.....	8	1945.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	30	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	100
1944.....	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	18	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	2	1944.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Oranges, including tangerines and	
1944.....	13	mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	12	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,400	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	583
.....1945...	4,534	.....1945...	709
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	570,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	68
.....1945...	50.0	.....1945...	120
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	157,667	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	515
.....1945...	131,480	.....1945...	589
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	31,823	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	1,546
.....1945...	35,833	.....1945...	2,236
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	285,137	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	435
.....1945...	289,152	.....1945...	632
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	83.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	204
.....1945...	63.8	.....1945...	244
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	8.103	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	160
.....1945...	3,958	.....1945...	193
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	102.46	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	104
.....1945...	62.07	.....1945...	129
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	83
.....1945...		.....1945...	98
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	40
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,848	.....1945...	55
.....1944...	4,027	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	33
.....acres 1949...	96,249	.....1945...	31
.....1944...	101,259	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	81
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	729	.....1945...	108
.....1944...	954	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	81
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,165	.....1945...	61
.....1944...	1,833	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	50
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	471	.....1945...	38
.....1944...	740		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	255	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	265	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	93	White operators.....number 1950...	1,070
.....1944...	101	.....1945...	1,327
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2,330
.....1944...	58	.....1945...	3,207
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	95	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	76	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,092
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	825	.....1945...	1,288
.....1944...	844	Part owners.....number 1950...	185
.....acres 1949...	52,735	.....1945...	162
.....1944...	46,220	Managers.....number 1950...	26
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	362	.....1945...	13
.....acres 1949...	22,238	All tenants.....number 1950...	2,097
.....1944...	21,369	.....1945...	3,071
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	721	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	61.7
.....1944...	680	.....1945...	67.7
.....acres 1949...	48,642	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	275
.....1944...	41,273	.....1945...	443
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	365	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	421	.....1945...	437
.....acres 1949...	25,209	Share tenants.....number 1950...	702
.....1944...	25,155	.....1945...	452
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	481	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	827	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1,192
.....acres 1949...	28,367	.....1945...	1,648
.....1944...	42,813	Croppers.....number 1950...	168
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,729	.....1945...	278
.....1944...	2,913	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	72
.....acres 1949...	11,697	.....1945...	96
.....1944...	11,063	Other tenants.....number 1950...	
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	20	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	492
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	393
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,322
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	876
.....acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,322
		.....1945...	5,75
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	637
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	150
		.....1945...	260
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	683
		.....1945...	211
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	33
		.....1945...	57
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		.....1945...	70
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	15
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	142
		.....1945...	144
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	18
		.....1945...	21
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....1945...	12
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Furrow silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	788	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	12
1945.....	502	number 1950.....	2
number 1950.....	1,015	General farms.....number 1950.....	2
1945.....	609	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	496	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	266	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	1
number 1950.....	1,082	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,15
1945.....	535		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	410	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
number 1950.....	954	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,24
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	98	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
number 1950.....	103	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	7
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	23	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	111
number 1950.....	25	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	37
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,335	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	96
1945.....	1,232	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	678
number 1950.....	1,765	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,13
1945.....	1,321	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	33
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	80
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,654	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	347	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	923	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,935,321
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	317	1944.....	5,176,892
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	159	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,324,703
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		1944.....	4,064,438
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,116,887
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	375	1944.....	3,738,888
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,885	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	42,967
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	622	1944.....	66,338
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	430	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	51,731
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	1944.....	167,012
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	113,113
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,140	1944.....	92,200
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	445	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,597,879
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	821	1944.....	1,100,431
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	687,074
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.9	1944.....	537,391
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	114,780
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,300	1944.....	105,521
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	645	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	796,021
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,304	1944.....	457,519
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,739
Week preceding enumeration:		1944.....	12,003
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,820	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
persons 1950.....	5,932	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,648
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,781	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,128
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,570	1945.....	1,220
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,198	number 1950.....	2,552
persons 1950.....	1,667	1945.....	2,424
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	343	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,098
persons 1950.....	1,695	1945.....	1,743
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		number 1950.....	2,615
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,329	1945.....	4,183
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	958	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	347	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,849
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	208,022	1945.....	2,797
dollars 1949.....	863	number 1950.....	29,763
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,893,786	1945.....	40,066
dollars 1949.....	1,760	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,748
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	662,382	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	2,592
dollars 1949.....	773	number 1950.....	17,142
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,104	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	19,091
dollars 1949.....	278,143	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,42
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	578	number 1950.....	6,90
dollars 1949.....	390,096	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	81
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	279	number 1950.....	4,47
dollars 1949.....	237,921	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	62
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	232	number 1950.....	2,82
dollars 1949.....	70,978	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	87
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		number 1950.....	5,32
No sales.....number 1950.....	407	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	398	1944.....	13
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	160	gallons 1949.....	1,372,68
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	185	1944.....	1,480,85
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	507	dollars 1949.....	671,38
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	460	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	673	1944.....	1
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	304	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	20,17
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	112	1944.....	8,76
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	54	dollars 1949.....	11,85
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	140	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		dollars 1949.....	3,81
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,991	<b>HOGS</b>	
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1,986	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,09
Cotton.....number 1950.....	5	1945.....	2,21
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	number 1950.....	9,67
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	1945.....	10,44
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,58
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	64	number 1950.....	5,70
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	19	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
		number 1950.....	3,91
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	58
		number 1945.....	70
		1950.....	1,01
		1945.....	1,31

<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		Parish total	Item	Parish total
SHEEP AND WOOL			SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting	1950...	28	Sorghums--Continued	
	1945...	25	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup--Continued	
	number 1950...	492	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting	1949... 10
	1945...	399		1944... 5
Sheep and lambs born before				1949... 67
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting	1950...	28		1944... 80
	number 1950...	301		1949... 1,247
Ewes.....farms reporting	1950...	26		1944... 1,070
	1945 <sup>1</sup> ..	16	Cut for silage.....farms reporting	1949... ..
	number 1950...	252		1944... ..
	1945 <sup>1</sup> ..	248		tons green weight 1949... ..
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting	1950...	18	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
	number 1950...	49	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting	1949... 49
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting	1950...	21		1944... 142
	number 1950...	191		tons cut 1949... 179
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting	1949...	14	Small grains:	
	1944...	17	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting	1949... 47
	number shorn 1949...	213		1944... 71
Wool shorn.....pounds	1949...	915		1949... 2,622
	1944...	1,392		1944... 5,857
Average date of enumeration.....	1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28		bushels 1949... 85,833
				1944... 170,560
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting	1949... 26
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting	1950...	2,737		1944... 76
	1945...	3,510		1949... 442
	number 1950...	81,286		1944... 701
	1945...	99,208	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting	1949... ..
Chickens sold.....farms reporting	1949...	232		1944... ..
	number 1949...	24,268		1949... ..
	dollars 1949...	26,195		1944... ..
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting	1949...	337		162-lb. barrels 1949... ..
	dozens 1949...	156,249		1944... ..
	dollars 1949...	72,899	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting	1950...	367	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 41
	number 1950...	1,616		1944... 907
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting	1949...	341		1944 <sup>2</sup> .. 789
	1944...	206		acres grown with other crops 1949... 220
	number 1949...	4,241		1944 <sup>2</sup> .. 134
	1944...	3,686	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting	1949... 5
				1944... 27
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE				acres grown alone 1949... 63
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules				acres grown with other crops 1949... 2
sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	939		bushels 1949... 936
	dollars 1949...	792,630		1944... 13
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	692		acres grown alone 1949... 339
	1944...	687		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..
	number 1949...	7,959		tons 1949... 353
	1944...	8,539	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting	1949... 13
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting	1949...	343		1944... 247
	number 1949...	2,947		acres grown alone 1949... 371
	dollars 1949...	351,334		acres grown with other crops 1949... 28
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	540		bushels 1949... 8,258
	number 1949...	5,012		1944... 14,818
	dollars 1949...	318,718	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	397	manure.....farms reporting	1949... 16
	1944...	344		1944... 461
	number 1949...	3,738		acres grown alone 1949... 91
	1944...	3,595		acres grown with other crops 1949... 605
	dollars 1949...	96,504	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 1,604
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	10		1944 <sup>2</sup> .. 3,025
	1944...	6		acres grown with other crops 1949... 247
	number 1949...	155		1944 <sup>2</sup> .. 1,306
	1944...	49	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting	1949... 371
	dollars 1949...	1,665		1944... 726
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting	1949...	50		acres grown alone 1949... 567
	number 1949...	101		acres grown with other crops 1949... 28
	dollars 1949...	24,409		bushels 1949... 8,258
				1944... 14,818
FARM SLAUGHTER			Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting	1949... 386
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	1,733		1944... 711
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	111		acres grown with other crops 1949... 150
	number 1949...	176		bu. in shells 1949... 11,896
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting	1949...	10	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting	1949... 15
	1944...	42		1944... 28
	number 1949...	15		acres grown alone 1949... ..
	1944...	64		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..
Calves butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	102		tons 1949... 24
	1944...	69	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
	number 1949...	161	for silage.....farms reporting	1949... 24
	1944...	78		1944... 139
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	1,695		acres grown with other crops 1949... 33
	1944...	2,107	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
	number 1949...	3,496	manure.....farms reporting	1949... 29
	1944...	4,830		acres grown alone 1949... 159
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from				acres grown with other crops 1949... 36
animals butchered.....farms reporting	1949...	11	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 215
	dollars 1949...	665		1944... 413
				1944... 1,041
				acres grown with other crops 1949... 2
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED			Peanuts harvested for picking or	
Corn:			threshing.....farms reporting	1949... 215
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949...	1,854		1944... 241
	1944...	2,058		acres grown alone 1949... 254
	acres 1949...	13,237		1944 <sup>2</sup> .. 358
	1944...	20,541		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting	1949...	1,841		pounds 1949... 47,380
	1944...	1,572		1944... 87,216
	acres 1949...	13,085	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
	1944...	16,801	or forage.....farms reporting	1949... 73
	bushels 1949...	313,944		1949... 93
	1944...	180,871		acres grown with other crops 1949... 2
Sorghums:				tons 1949... 96
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting	1949...	57	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting	1949... 6
	1944...	128		1944... 9
	acres 1949...	209		acres grown alone 1949... ..
	1944...	552		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..
				bushels 1949... 41

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	275	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	10,300	acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	126	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	116	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	4,874	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	4,627	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	9,492	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	8,136	acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	12	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	385	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	373	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	518	1944...	
1944...	378	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	37	acres 1949...	
1944...	24	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	1,300		
1944...	531	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	2,570	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	502	acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10	24-pt. crates 1949...	
1944...	4		
acres 1949...	119	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	31	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
tons 1949...	103	acres 1945...	
1944...	30	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	127	1945...	
acres 1949...	3,423	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	5,146	1945...	
tons 1949...	4,747	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	4,453	1945...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
tons..green weight 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945...	
1944...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	118	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
pounds 1949...	20,800	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	337	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	516	1945...	
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	123	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	379	1945...	
bushels 1949...	7,722	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	18,518	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	699	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944...	1,243	1944...	
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	776	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	1,419	1945...	
bushels 1949...	46,790	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	83,017	1945...	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,364	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	3,282	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	63,018	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944...	54,035	1944...	
bales 1949...	50,394	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	33,394	1945...	
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	38	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	30	1945...	
gallons 1949...	2,600	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949...		1944...	
1944...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
tons 1949...		1945...	
1944...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	
acres 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,663	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944...	3,875	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	81	1945...	
1944...	151	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	420	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	719	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	42,967	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944...	66,338	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	46	1945...	
1944...	95	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	70	1945...	
1944...	143	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	29	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	48	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949...	12	1944...	
1944...	69	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1945...	
1944...	36	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	43	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	60	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.



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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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,896	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	684
1945...	1,598	1945...	520
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	706,560	1950...	188
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	56.8	1945...	153
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	133,233	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	496
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	224,204	1945...	387
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	100,017	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	422
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	56,068	1945...	368
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	401,386	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	172
1945...	199,464	1945...	226
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	211.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	64
1945...	124.8	1945...	64
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	19,771	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	66
1945...	4,886	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	66
average per acre, dollars 1950*	94.85	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	47
1945...	39.15	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	67
Land in farms according to use:		1945...	78
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	658	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	36
1944...	1,237	1945...	35
acres 1949...	74,907	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	126
1944...	62,734	1945...	85
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	277	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	85
1944...	739	1945...	42
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	88	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	63
1944...	97	1945...	36
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25		
1944...	58	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	41	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	59	White operators.....number 1950...	1,725
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1945...	1,460
1944...	73	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	171
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1945...	138
1944...	100	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	136	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,352
1944...	111	1945...	1,079
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	856	Part owners.....number 1950...	212
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	593	1945...	141
acres 1949...	178,038	Managers.....number 1950...	13
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	59,784	1945...	.....
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	135	All tenants.....number 1950...	319
acres 1949...	11,243	1945...	378
1944...	4,388	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	16.8
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	288	1945...	23.7
acres 1949...	324	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	50
1944...	30,417	1945...	57
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	156	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
acres 1949...	107	1945...	1
1944...	7,746	Share tenants.....number 1950...	180
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	305	1945...	266
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	355	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	179
acres 1949...	74,443	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	33,370	Croppers.....number 1950...	13
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,692	1945...	35
1944...	1,059	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	69
acres 1949...	20,785	1945...	19
1944...	4,747	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	21
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	313	.....number 1950...	48
1944...	364	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949...	70,905	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	371
1944...	55,724	1945...	138
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,433
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	551
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,426
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.90
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	864
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	435
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	402
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,138
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	356
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	9
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	57
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	132
		number 1950...	181
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	29
		number 1950...	31
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	7
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1950...	3

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	554	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	164
.....1945.....	364	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	757	.....1945.....	406
.....1945.....	406	.....number 1950.....	448
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	448	.....1945.....	326
.....1945.....	326	.....number 1950.....	851
.....number 1950.....	1,108	.....1945.....	548
.....1945.....	984	Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	388
.....number 1950.....	1,272	.....1945.....	756
.....1945.....	1,025	.....number 1950.....	70
Farms by class of work power:		.....1945.....	70
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	591	.....number 1950.....	19
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	313	.....1945.....	25
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	542	.....number 1950.....	1,108
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	329	.....1945.....	984
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	121	.....number 1950.....	1,272
.....1945.....	1,025	.....1945.....	1,025
<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.....	524
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	177	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	71
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	633	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	92
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	468	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	60
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	513	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	54
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	103
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	124
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,168	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,372
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	62	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	267
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	312	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1,085
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Kind of road on which farm is located:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,269,957
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	194	.....1944.....	2,595,597
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,270	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,303,096
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	289	.....1944.....	2,085,800
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,276,092
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	2,051,176
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,443	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5,015
.....persons 1950.....	2,313	.....1944.....	14,522
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,423	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,866
.....persons 1950.....	1,316	.....1944.....	19,996
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,316	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	18,031
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	424	.....1944.....	160
.....persons 1950.....	541	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,966,951
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	187	.....1944.....	503,762
.....persons 1950.....	456	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	310,742
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>		.....1944.....	144,103
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,542	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	264,040
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	393	.....1944.....	74,637
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	219	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,392,169
.....dollars 1949.....	311,042	.....1944.....	264,822
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	340	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
.....dollars 1949.....	540,194	.....1944.....	5,955
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,428	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....dollars 1949.....	680,445	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,233
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	783	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,130
.....dollars 1949.....	631,187	.....1945.....	1,182
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	729	.....number 1950.....	4,441
.....dollars 1949.....	366,848	.....1945.....	4,315
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	614	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	331
.....dollars 1949.....	454,794	.....1945.....	361
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	500	.....number 1950.....	626
.....dollars 1949.....	169,499	.....1945.....	686
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	228	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
.....dollars 1949.....	108,780	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,543
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....1945.....	1,447
No sales.....number 1950.....	572	.....number 1950.....	58,600
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	513	.....1945.....	35,666
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	124	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,439
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	123	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,43
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	123	.....number 1950.....	38,19
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	88	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	20,04
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	56	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,22
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	33	.....number 1950.....	3,92
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	39	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	79
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	69	.....number 1950.....	8,22
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	163	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	52
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950.....	3,66
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	287	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	77
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	227	.....number 1950.....	8,33
Cotton.....number 1950.....	34	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	6	.....gallons 1949.....	601,5
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	439,6
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	308,9
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	41	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	46	.....1944.....	1
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	2,9
		.....1944.....	10,5
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,6
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		.....1945.....	1,0
		.....number 1950.....	4,4
		.....1945.....	7,1
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950.....	2,8
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950.....	1,6
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945.....	.....
		.....number 1950.....	.....
		.....1945.....	1,1

<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 in 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	185	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	187	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	7,680	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....	16,042	1944.....	10
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	9
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	148	1944.....	18
number 1950.....	5,491	bushels 1949.....	73
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	142	1944.....	176
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	130	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	3,975	acres 1949.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	9,064	tons green weight 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	108	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	1,516	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	123	acres 1949.....	18
number 1950.....	2,159	tons cut 1949.....	14
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	112	Small grains:	
1944.....	114	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number shorn 1949.....	5,526	1944.....	36
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	22,054	acres 1949.....	360
1944.....	47,099	1944.....	404
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949.....	6,916
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	9,857
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,523	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1945.....	1,400	1944.....	61
number 1950.....	76,243	acres 1949.....	63
1945.....	81,997	1944.....	325
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	247	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	310
number 1949.....	128,722	1944.....	364
dollars 1949.....	147,650	acres 1949.....	70,016
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	596	1944.....	55,724
dozens 1949.....	228,989	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	691,716
dollars 1949.....	101,278	1944.....	380,551
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	211	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	1,874	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	209	acres grown alone 1949...	23
1944.....	227	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	33
number 1949.....	3,849	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	1,522	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	22
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	7
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	847	acres grown alone 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	1,378,844	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	711	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	604	1944.....	333
number 1949.....	19,377	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	6,306	acres grown alone 1949...	17
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	378	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949.....	4,700	tons 1949.....	25
dollars 1949.....	493,768	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	622	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	14,677	acres grown alone 1949...	6
dollars 1949.....	829,203	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	205	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	126	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	1,386	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	1,049	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	35,328	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	55
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres grown alone 1949...	37
1944.....	55	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	89
number 1949.....	2,135	acres grown with other crops 1949...	221
1944.....	841	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	187
dollars 1949.....	18,083	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	36
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1944.....	29
number 1949.....	105	acres grown alone 1949...	15
dollars 1949.....	2,462	acres grown with other crops 1949...	40
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949.....	176
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	816	1944.....	888
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	396	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	40
number 1949.....	714	acres grown alone 1949...	7
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	16	acres grown with other crops 1949...	61
1944.....	188	bu. in shells 1949... <sup>3</sup>	368
number 1949.....	28	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	282	acres grown alone 1949...	6
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	388	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	248	tons 1949...	4
number 1949.....	686	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	358	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	677	acres grown alone 1949...	6
1944.....	856	acres grown with other crops 1949...	86
number 1949.....	1,587	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	2,300	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949...	3
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	47	acres grown with other crops 1949...	34
dollars 1949...	2,460	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949...	12
Corn:		1944.....	129
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	173	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	403	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
acres 1949.....	763	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	2,229	1944.....	41
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	162	acres grown alone 1949...	6
1944.....	391	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	82
acres 1949.....	733	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	2,173	pounds 1949.....	1,220
bushels 1949.....	11,397	1944.....	18,160
1944.....	37,128	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghums:		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	9	acres grown alone 1949...	3
1944.....	16	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	27	tons 1949...	4
1944.....	28	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
		bushels 1949...	5

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	89	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....acres 1949...	2,726	.....acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
.....1944.....	30	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	26	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944.....	3	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	16	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	10	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	56	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	10	.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	1,573	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....1944.....	136	.....acres 1949...	30
.....acres 1949...	1,754	.....acres 1949...	3
.....1944.....	120	.....1944.....	13
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	13
.....1944.....	7	.....acres 1949...	11
.....acres 1949...	57	.....acres 1949...	8
.....1944.....	76	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	51	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944.....	50	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	31	.....acres 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	1,009	.....24-pt. crates 1949...	306
.....1944.....	750	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949...	940	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	715
.....1944.....	343	.....1945.....	40
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	169
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	72
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1950.....	33
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	148
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	83
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	281
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	79
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	4
.....acres 1949...		.....1944.....	164
.....acres 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	105
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	313
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	413
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	265
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	188
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	20
.....acres 1949...		.....1944.....	649
.....acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	355
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	477
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,033
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	2,502
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,076
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	957
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	685
.....acres 1949...		.....1944.....	3,497
.....acres 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	99
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	147
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	704
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	1,151
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	374
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	390
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	7
.....acres 1949...		.....1944.....	243
.....acres 1949...		Figs.....farms reporting 1950.....	542
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,326
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,555
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,801
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	23,165
.....acres 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	130
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	174
.....acres 1949...		.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	538
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	539
.....acres 1949...		.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	322
.....acres 1949...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	276
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,223
.....acres 1949...		.....1944.....	1,680
.....acres 1949...		Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950.....	362
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,454
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,037
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,417
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	35,690
.....acres 1949...		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	60
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	337
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	77
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	260
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,310
.....acres 1949...		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	89
.....acres 1949...		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	56
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	53
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
.....acres 1949...		.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949...		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950.....	235
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,175
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,567
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	788
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	374
.....acres 1949...		.....1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	4,114

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season, 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,111	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	127
1945...	1,176	1945...	69
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	352,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	20
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	22.0	1945...	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	65,550	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	107
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	16,031	1945...	67
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,140	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	244
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,331	1945...	305
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	77,390	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	270
1945...	86,280	1945...	285
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	69.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	154
1945...	73.4	1945...	163
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	8,979	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	136
1945...	2,638	1945...	154
average per acre, dollars 1950*	66.72	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	71
1945...	35.95	1945...	86
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	47
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	855	1945...	44
1944...	1,088	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	15
acres 1949...	18,567	1945...	16
1944...	23,709	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	10
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	285	1945...	13
1944...	222	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	27
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	216	1945...	25
1944...	500	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	4
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	147	1945...	9
1944...	181	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	126	1945...	7
1944...	136		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	46	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	47	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	White operators.....number 1950...	876
1944...	4	1945...	888
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	235
1944...	8	1945...	236
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	436	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	95	Full owners.....number 1950...	772
acres 1949...	7,740	1945...	615
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	2,447	Part owners.....number 1950...	80
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting 1949...	200	1945...	86
acres 1949...	3,662	Managers.....number 1950...	2
1944...	6,500	1945...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	519	All tenants.....number 1950...	257
1944...	292	1945...	324
acres 1949...	27,280	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	25.1
1944...	16,895	1945...	27.6
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	289	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	20
1944...	456	1945...	23
acres 1949...	12,537	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944...	16,704	1945...	73
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	253	Share tenants.....number 1950...	70
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	570	1945...	73
acres 1949...	4,671	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	125
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	16,843	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	169
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	945	Croppers.....number 1950...	41
1944...	1,099	1945...	71
acres 1949...	2,985	Other tenants.....number 1950...	81
1944...	3,184	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	287
acres 1949...		1945...	58
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	829
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	95
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	829
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.09
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	178
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	68
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	405
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	182
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		number 1950...	13
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1950...	2
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	8
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
			8

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	346	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	172	General farms.....number 1950...	
.....number 1950.....	379	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	190	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	176	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	111	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	
.....number 1950.....	209	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	130		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	171		
.....number 1950.....	194		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	
.....number 1950.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	306	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	329	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	
.....number 1950.....	324	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	338	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950...	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	325	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	227	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	391	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	126		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	44	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,456,000
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944.....	893,000
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,025,000
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	125	.....1944.....	752,000
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	375	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,018,000
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	242	.....1944.....	752,000
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	382	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5,000
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944.....	4,000
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	17,000
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	546	.....1944.....	2,000
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	145	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	407,000
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	266	.....1944.....	153,000
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,000
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.7	.....1944.....	14,000
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,000
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	211	.....1944.....	86,000
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	418	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	540,000
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	490	.....1944.....	80,000
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,000
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		.....1944.....	5,000
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	909	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....persons 1950...	1,688	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	7
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	909	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Operators.....persons 1950...	854	.....1945.....	4
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	476	.....number 1950...	4
.....persons 1950...	760	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	4
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	48	.....1945.....	7
.....persons 1950...	74	.....number 1950...	1,1
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	991	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	9
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	490	.....1945.....	1,1
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	364	.....number 1950...	16,000
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	62,365	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
.....1949.....	400	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	4,1
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	197,290	.....number 1950...	8,1
.....dollars 1949...	825	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	156,785	.....number 1950...	1,1
.....dollars 1949...	424	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	42,110	.....number 1950...	1,1
.....dollars 1949...	553	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	17,142	.....number 1950...	1,1
.....dollars 1949...	266	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	26,158	.....number 1950...	1,1
.....dollars 1949...	120	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	17,000
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	25,585	.....1944.....	28,000
.....dollars 1949...	103	.....gallons 1949...	9,000
.....1949.....	4,610	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,1
		.....1944.....	1,1
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....dollars 1949...	1,1
No sales.....number 1950...	182	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	206	.....dollars 1949...	
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	77		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	62	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	124	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,1
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	158	.....1945.....	15,000
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	153	.....number 1950...	19,000
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	82	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	10,000
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	85	.....number 1950...	20,000
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	20	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	5,000
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	12	.....number 1950...	1,1
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	3,000
		.....1945.....	1,1
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....1945.....	3,000
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	361		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	577		
Cotton.....number 1950...	4		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	4		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...			
Dairy farms.....number 1950...			
Poultry farms.....number 1950...			

<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 in 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	8	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950....	94	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1945....	249	1944.....	1
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949....	8
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	2	1944.....	1
number 1950....	50	bushels 1949....	125
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	2	1944....	25
1945 <sup>1</sup> ....	5	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949....	
number 1950....	42	acres 1949....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ....	116	tons green weight 1949....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950....	1	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950....	8	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949....	18
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	2	acres 1949....	57
number 1950....	44	tons cut 1949....	8
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949....	1	Small grains:	
1944....	5	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	15
number shorn 1949....	34	1944....	53
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949....	160	acres 1949....	208
1944....	330	1944....	750
Average date of enumeration..... 1950....	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949....	10,500
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944....	25,625
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	1,044	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949....	10
1945....	1,125	1944....	20
number 1950....	30,970	acres 1949....	25
1945....	39,478	1944....	105
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949....	175	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
number 1949....	5,005	1944....	
dollars 1949....	5,528	acres 1949....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949....	255	1944....	
dozens 1949....	28,355	162-lb. barrels 1949....	
dollars 1949....	9,465	1944....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	44	Annual legumes:	
number 1950....	290	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949....	577
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949....	49	acres grown alone 1949....	219
1944....	21	1944 <sup>2</sup> ....	248
number 1949....	434	acres grown with other crops 1949....	5,818
1944....	138	1944 <sup>2</sup> ....	4,020
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949....	15
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944....	25
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	699	acres grown alone 1949....	54
dollars 1949....	578,027	acres grown with other crops 1949....	81
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	451	bushels 1949....	756
1944....	255	1944....	582
number 1949....	2,158	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	43
1944....	1,802	acres grown alone 1949....	87
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949....	240	acres grown with other crops 1949....	55
number 1949....	990	tons 1949....	104
dollars 1949....	69,205	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	336	for silage.....farms reporting 1949....	298
number 1949....	1,168	acres grown alone 1949....	96
dollars 1949....	66,743	acres grown with other crops 1949....	3,612
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	541	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944....	155	manure.....farms reporting 1949....	12
number 1949....	8,101	acres grown alone 1949....	2
dollars 1949....	2,147	acres grown with other crops 1949....	142
217,617		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949....	245
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	1	acres grown alone 1949....	263
1944....	1	1944 <sup>2</sup> ....	1,222
number 1949....	10	acres grown with other crops 1949....	523
1944....	17	1944 <sup>2</sup> ....	465
dollars 1949....	75	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949....	111
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	19	1944....	168
number 1949....	87	acres grown alone 1949....	80
dollars 1949....	4,387	acres grown with other crops 1949....	58
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949....	1,016
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	727	1944....	1,617
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	25	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949....	131
number 1949....	32	acres grown alone 1949....	90
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949....	2	acres grown with other crops 1949....	50
1944....	13	bu. in shells 1949....	1,641
number 1949....	3	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	6
1944....	18	acres grown alone 1949....	8
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	23	acres grown with other crops 1949....	4
1944....	45	tons 1949....	10
number 1949....	29	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944....	67	for silage.....farms reporting 1949....	84
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	723	acres grown alone 1949....	78
1944....	969	acres grown with other crops 1949....	224
number 1949....	2,416	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
dollars 1949....	5,971	manure.....farms reporting 1949....	7
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949....	7
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949....	7
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949....	652	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949....	63
1944....	981	acres grown alone 1949....	82
acres 1949....	6,242	1944....	137
1944....	10,041	acres grown with other crops 1949....	1
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949....	614	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
1944....	975	threshing.....farms reporting 1949....	25
acres 1949....	5,818	1944....	28
bushels 1949....	9,853	acres grown alone 1949....	27
1944....	105,440	1944 <sup>3</sup> ....	43
109,094		acres grown with other crops 1949....	1
Sorghums:		pounds 1949....	10,285
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949....	21	1944....	9,829
1944....	7	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
acres 1949....	5	or forage.....farms reporting 1949....	55
1944....	10	acres grown alone 1949....	37
		acres grown with other crops 1949....	
		1944....	
		tons 1949....	51
		acres grown alone 1949....	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949....	
		bushels 1949....	2
			2

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	151	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949.....	2,115	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	5	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949.....	85	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....acres 1944.....	12	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949.....	101	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1944.....	14	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1944.....	28	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949.....	28	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....tons 1949.....	29	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....acres 1944.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	17
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	125	.....acres 1944.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	228	.....acres 1949.....	11
.....acres 1944.....	1,810	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....acres 1949.....	3,688	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....tons 1949.....	2,362	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
.....acres 1944.....	4,100		
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1949.....	3	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....acres 1944.....	45	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....tons 1949.....	32	.....24-pt. crates 1949...	18
.....acres 1944.....	14		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949.....	142	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	521
.....acres 1944.....	195	.....acres 1945.....	173
.....tons 1949.....	154	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	168
.....acres 1944.....	205	.....acres 1945.....	216
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	229
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1945.....	188
.....acres 1944.....	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,152
.....tons 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1945.....	928
.....acres 1944.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	607
.....tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	525
		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	451
Field crops (other):		.....bushels 1944.....	373
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1950...	288
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....acres 1945.....	377
.....acres 1944.....	107	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,508
.....pounds 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,978
.....acres 1944.....	54,600	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,350
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	357	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	416
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	755	.....bushels 1944.....	3,705
.....acres 1944.....	49	.....acres 1945.....	276
.....bushels 1949.....	611	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	200
.....acres 1944.....	5,380	.....acres 1945.....	684
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	34,871	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	853
.....acres 1949.....	385	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	527
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	753	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	523
.....acres 1944.....	188	.....bushels 1944.....	2,145
.....bushels 1949.....	724		
.....acres 1944.....	19,388	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	124
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	81,627	.....acres 1945.....	100
.....acres 1949.....	521	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	999
.....acres 1944.....	627	.....acres 1945.....	1,418
.....acres 1949.....	8,750	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	252
.....acres 1944.....	6,282	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	707
.....bales 1949.....	6,572	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	143
.....acres 1944.....	5,721	.....bushels 1944.....	539
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	220
.....acres 1949.....	30	.....acres 1945.....	806
.....gallons 1949.....	4,803	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	588
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	450
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,716
.....acres 1944.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950...	43
.....tons 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1945.....	1
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....acres 1945.....	184
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....acres 1945.....	3
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,027	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	107
.....acres 1944.....	1,089	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	77
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	383
.....acres 1949.....	39	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	190
.....acres 1944.....	13	.....acres 1945.....	2,179
.....acres 1949.....	38	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	429
.....acres 1944.....	965	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,750
.....acres 1949.....	4,945	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	80,092
.....acres 1944.....	5	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	101
.....acres 1949.....	10	.....acres 1945.....	595
.....acres 1944.....	4	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	100
.....acres 1949.....	6	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	495
.....acres 1944.....	1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,118
.....acres 1949.....	3	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....acres 1944.....	1	.....acres 1945.....	1
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)	.....acres 1945.....	50
.....acres 1944.....	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1944.....	1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
		.....bushels 1944.....	.....
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....acres 1945.....	1
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		.....quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	.....
		.....field boxes 1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>\*</sup>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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	592	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	48
.....1945...	823	.....1945...	106
.....1945...		.....1945...	6
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	924,180	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	44
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	18.0	.....1945...	42
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	94,035	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	62
.....1945...	55,851	.....1945...	119
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,400	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	198
.....1945...	15,321	.....1945...	80
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	113,788	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	154
.....1945...	281.6	.....1945...	55
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	138.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	88
.....1945...		.....1945...	61
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	13,051	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	85
.....1945...	8,065	.....1945...	52
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	49.00	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	52
.....1945...	45.86	.....1945...	52
.....1945...		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	34
.....1945...		.....1945...	29
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	19
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	555	.....1945...	26
.....1944...	546	.....1945...	17
.....acres 1949...	19,409	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	21,408	.....1945...	37
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	150	.....1945...	48
.....1944...	208	.....1945...	27
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	113	.....1945...	29
.....1944...	185	.....1945...	34
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	.....1945...	19
.....1944...	51		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	23	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	White operators.....number 1950...	550
.....1944...	17	.....1945...	743
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	42
.....1944...	35	.....1945...	60
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	29	Full owners.....number 1950...	333
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	351	.....1945...	461
.....1944...	197	Part owners.....number 1950...	108
.....acres 1949...	44,029	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	18,878	Managers.....number 1950...	5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	54	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	3,254	All tenants.....number 1950...	146
.....1944...	392	.....1945...	345
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	24.7
.....1944...	22	.....1945...	41.7
.....acres 1949...	379	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....1944...	335	.....1945...	11
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...		.....1945...	
.....acres 1949...	889	Share tenants.....number 1950...	87
.....1944...		.....1945...	211
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	538	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	82
.....1944...	657	.....1945...	5
.....acres 1949...	80,777	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....1944...	72,068	.....1945...	32
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	557	Croppers.....number 1950...	23
.....1944...	614	.....1945...	89
.....acres 1949...	18,198	Other tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....1944...	2,707	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	13
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	53	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	104	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	8
.....acres 1949...	14,975	.....1945...	14
.....1944...	16,115	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	533
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	118
.....acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	531
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.88
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	576	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	315
.....1945...	795	.....farms reporting 1950...	61
.....1950...	7	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	214
.....1945...	24	.....farms reporting 1950...	417
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	311	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	79
.....1949...	271	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	2	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1945...	201	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
.....1944...	1	.....farms reporting 1950...	42
.....1945...		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....number 1950...	10
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT <sup>1</sup> -Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	186	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	100
1945.....	177	General farms.....number 1950.....	5
number 1950.....	183	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
1945.....	185	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	123	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	5
1945.....	80	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	390
number 1950.....	182		
1945.....	128	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	123	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	202
number 1950.....	178	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).number 1950.....	13
number 1950.....	1	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).number 1950.....	18
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).number 1950.....	17
number 1950.....	1	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).number 1950.....	24
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	3	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).number 1950.....	80
number 1950.....	3	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).number 1950.....	50
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	399	Other farms.....number 1950.....	390
1945.....	392	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	194
number 1950.....	479	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	198
1945.....	421	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	75	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,870,109
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	82	1944.....	1,025,908
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	312	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,108,783
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	124	1944.....	788,888
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,102,659
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		1944.....	787,344
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	697
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	112	1944.....	210
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	228	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,457
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	1944.....	1,312
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	185	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	15	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	585,318
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	234,939
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	430	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,113
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	1944.....	9,586
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	16,820
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	14	1944.....	11,335
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	525,583
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	214,038
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	66	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	491	1944.....	100
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	HORSES AND MULES	
FARM LABOR*		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	508
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	485
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	450	number 1950.....	702
persons 1950.....	733	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,894
number 1950.....	442	number 1950.....	4,030
Family workers, including operator....farms reporting 1950...	442	number 1950.....	109
persons 1950.....	381	number 1950.....	115
Operators.....persons 1950.....	381	number 1950.....	220
Unpaid members of operator's family...farms reporting 1950...	174	number 1950.....	213
persons 1950.....	211	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950...	55	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	542
persons 1950.....	141	number 1945.....	790
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		number 1950.....	26,632
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	525	1945.....	36,993
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	180	Cows, including heifers that have calved.farms reporting 1950.....	533
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	84	number 1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	782
dollars 1949.....	31,089	number 1950.....	16,408
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	155	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	23,048
dollars 1949.....	195,413	number 1950.....	500
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	608	number 1950.....	2,019
dollars 1949.....	180,007	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	596
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	277	number 1950.....	4,187
dollars 1949.....	92,131	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	515
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	153	number 1950.....	2,488
dollars 1949.....	81,090	number 1950.....	403
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,589
dollars 1949.....	81,902	number 1950.....	25
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	77	number 1950.....	20
dollars 1949.....	35,866	Cream sold.....dollars 1949.....	27,910
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	33	farms reporting 1949.....	20,905
dollars 1949.....	30,400	1944.....	1
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	30
No sales.....number 1950.....	83	1944.....	.....
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	113	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	9
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	77	dollars 1949.....	161
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	62	HOGS	
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	62	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	318
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	98	number 1950.....	532
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	58	number 1950.....	1,561
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	29	number 1950.....	2,935
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	21	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	201
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	8	number 1950.....	613
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	12	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	227
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950.....	998
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	86	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	98
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	46	number 1945.....	239
Cotton.....number 1950.....	40	number 1950.....	239
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	495
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....		
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	11		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....		

<sup>1</sup>Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of 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.

\$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	106	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	1,761	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	3,092	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	91	1944.....	
number 1950.....	1,213	bushels 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	89	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	87	1944.....	
number 1950.....	1,000	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	2,445	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	66	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	213	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	77	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	548	acres 1949.....	10
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	51	tons cut 1949...	11
1944.....	165	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	1,165	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	4,616	1944.....	1
1944.....	9,526	acres 1949.....	96
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944.....	12
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	2,520
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	549	1944.....	320
1945.....	796	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	19,878	1944.....	1
1945.....	39,093	acres 1949.....	84
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1944.....	50
number 1949.....	1,067	1944.....	55
dollars 1949.....	1,638	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	104
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	223	acres 1949.....	14,975
dozens 1949.....	27,702	1944.....	16,115
dollars 1949.....	9,347	162-lb. barrels 1949...	180,657
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	56	1944.....	148,805
number 1950.....	459	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	57	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944.....	45	acres grown alone 1949.....	6
number 1949.....	1,574	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	11
1944.....	971	acres grown with other crops 1949...	126
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	6
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	407	1944.....	1
dollars 1949.....	523,697	acres grown alone 1949.....	4
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	389	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1944.....	279	bushels 1949.....	2
number 1949.....	6,888	1944.....	1
1944.....	5,896	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	227	acres grown alone 1949.....	10
number 1949.....	2,761	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
dollars 1949.....	277,450	tons 1949...	5
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	382	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949.....	4,127	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	251,918	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	61	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	18	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	414	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	122	acres grown alone 1949.....	6
dollars 1949.....	10,335	acres grown with other crops 1949...	112
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	52
1944.....	8	acres grown alone 1949...	5
number 1949.....	167	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	23
1944.....	60	acres grown with other crops 1949...	266
dollars 1949.....	1,318	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	17
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	30
number 1949.....	196	acres grown alone 1949.....	2
dollars 1949.....	2,676	acres grown with other crops 1949...	69
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949.....	281
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	391	1944.....	22
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	235	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	382	acres grown alone 1949.....	2
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	40	acres grown with other crops 1949...	47
1944.....	196	bu. in shells 1949...	157
number 1949.....	45	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	268	acres grown alone 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	214	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	60	tons 1949...	
number 1949.....	337	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	92	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	303	acres grown alone 1949.....	6
1944.....	527	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949.....	682	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,237	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	25
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949.....	1
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	21	acres grown with other crops 1949...	124
dollars 1949.....	153	1949.....	3
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	2
Corn:		1944.....	108
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	272	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	420	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
acres 1949.....	1,968	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	4,527	1944.....	2
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	288	acres grown alone 1949...	1
1944.....	416	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	76
acres 1949.....	1,924	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	4,507	pounds 1949...	500
bushels 1949.....	29,402	1944.....	19,375
1944.....	31,459	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghums:		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres grown alone 1949...	1
1944.....		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	10	tons 1949...	1
1944.....		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
		bushels 1949.....	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	50	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	1,214	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	5	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	5 <sup>1</sup>	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	21	acres 1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	4	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	512	acres 1944.....	4
1944.....	34	acres 1949.....	9
tons 1949.....	409	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	24		
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	161	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	313	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		24-pt. crates 1949.....	
1944.....	31		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	31	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	559	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	327
1944.....	577	acres 1945.....	1
tons 1949.....		acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	50
1944.....		acres 1945.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	7
acres 1949.....	5	acres 1945.....	
1944.....	36	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	12
Field crops (other).		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....	23	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
pounds 1949.....	4,800	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	107
1944.....		acres 1945.....	87
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	181	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	784
acres 1949.....	559	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	382
1944.....	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	402
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	194
1944.....		1944.....	88
bushels 1949.....	2,323	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	164
1944.....	6,087	acres 1945.....	134
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	59	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	762
acres 1949.....	113	acres 1945.....	843
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	78	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	283
1944.....	71	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	479
bushels 1949.....	6,914	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	563
1944.....	3,474	1944.....	1,154
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	170	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
acres 1949.....	14	acres 1945.....	
acres 1944.....	988	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	230
1944.....	85	acres 1945.....	
bales 1949.....	554	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	87
1944.....	32	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	143
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	214
acres 1949.....	3	1944.....	
gallons 1949.....	380	Figs.....farms reporting 1950.....	251
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,619
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	503
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,118
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	29,718
1944.....		1944.....	49
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	487	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	134
1944.....	785	acres 1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	37
acres 1949.....	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	97
1944.....	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,074
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	
1944.....	687	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950.....	96
acres 1949.....	210	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	597
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	106
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	491
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	5,676
acres 1949.....		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	247
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	22
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	225
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	910
1944.....		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950.....	225
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,829
1944.....		acres 1950.....	1,717
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,112
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,780
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..field boxes 1949.....	543
1944.....	(*)	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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
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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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,668	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	140
1945...	2,016	1945...	80
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	468,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	28.4	1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	88,340	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	133
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	51,225	1945.....	80
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,834	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	633
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,285	1945.....	795
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	133,114	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	375
1945...	114,997	1945.....	591
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	79.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	148
1945...	57.0	1945.....	238
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,096	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	128
1945...	2,074	1945.....	136
average per acre, dollars 1950*	58.86	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	72
1945...	36.36	1945.....	75
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	47
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,451	1945.....	32
1944...	1,920	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	25
acres 1949...	36,553	1945.....	13
1944...	41,014	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	11
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	292	1945.....	6
1944...	211	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	44
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	544	1945.....	28
1944...	954	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	25
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	314	1945.....	11
1944...	547	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	20
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	193	1945.....	11
1944...	147		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	63	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	44	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	32	White operators.....number 1950...	1,171
1944...	7	1945.....	1,307
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	497
1944...	10	1945.....	709
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	501	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	53	Full owners.....number 1950...	674
acres 1949...	15,855	1945.....	835
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	2,479	Part owners.....number 1950...	129
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	491	1945.....	12
acres 1949...	9,128	Managers.....number 1950...	8
1944...	7,092	1945.....	4
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	350	All tenants.....number 1950...	857
1944...	681	1945.....	1,165
acres 1949...	19,281	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	51.4
1944...	20,626	1945.....	57.8
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	475	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	39
1944...	323	1945.....	48
acres 1949...	42,206	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1.5
1944...	18,866	1945.....	2
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	259	Share tenants.....number 1950...	507
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	585	1945.....	630
acres 1949...	5,424	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	503
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	17,551	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	4
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,006	Croppers.....number 1950...	205
1944...	1,954	1945.....	436
acres 1949...	4,667	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	91
1944...	7,369	1945.....	49
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	36
1944.....	.....		55
acres 1949.....	.....	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	44
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	15
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
		1945.....	99
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.24
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	216
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	59
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	171
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	544
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	90
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	70
		number 1950...	79
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	4
		number 1950...	4
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		number 1950...	45
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	493	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	175
.....1945.....	126	General farms.....number 1950...	16
.....number 1950.....	554	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	143	.....number 1950.....	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	467	.....number 1950.....	502
.....1945.....	152		
.....number 1950.....	599	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....1945.....	192	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,171
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	462	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	7
.....number 1950.....	584	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	15
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	50
.....number 1950.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	186
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	441
.....number 1950.....	10	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	472
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	446	Other farms.....number 1950...	457
.....1945.....	201	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	235
.....number 1950.....	533	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	262
.....1945.....	211	Abnormal <sup>3</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...	416	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,582,242
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	124	.....1944.....	1,879,321
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	645	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,866,431
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	342	.....1944.....	1,532,498
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	141	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,860,970
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944.....	1,521,757
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	400
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	137	.....1944.....	2,345
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	532	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,061
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	502	.....1944.....	8,396
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	338	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	679,238
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	668	.....1944.....	311,519
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	142	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	21,430
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	221	.....1944.....	17,258
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	32,257
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.7	.....1944.....	102,804
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	625,551
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	399	.....1944.....	191,457
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	826	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	36,573
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	226	.....1944.....	35,304
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,142
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,274	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	925
.....persons 1950.....	2,014	.....1945.....	1,418
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,267	.....number 1950.....	2,032
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,252	.....1945.....	2,715
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	364	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	648
.....persons 1950.....	562	.....1945.....	658
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	52	.....number 1950.....	1,222
.....persons 1950.....	200	.....1945.....	1,219
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,286	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,130
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	951	.....1945.....	1,895
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	672	.....number 1950.....	16,732
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	86,226	.....1945.....	22,361
.....dollars 1949.....	706	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	264,623	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,889
.....dollars 1949.....	915	.....number 1950.....	9,920
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	129,725	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	12,140
.....dollars 1949.....	462	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	940
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	991	.....number 1950.....	2,340
.....dollars 1949.....	78,553	.....1945.....	487
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	559	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,155
.....dollars 1949.....	141,168	.....number 1950.....	369
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	259	.....number 1950.....	1,447
.....dollars 1949.....	51,233	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	779
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	319	.....number 1950.....	3,210
.....dollars 1949.....	21,423	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	6
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....1944.....	39
No sales.....number 1950...	145	gallons 1949.....	40,845
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	117	.....1944.....	28,300
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	88	dollars 1949.....	20,502
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	165	.....1944.....	9
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	343	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	275	.....1944.....	.....
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	277	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,047
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	155	.....1944.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	51	dollars 1949.....	683
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	30	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	22	.....dollars 1949.....	245
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	970	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,084
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,759
Cotton.....number 1950.....	970	.....number 1950.....	10,438
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	38
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,015
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	13,218
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	612
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	6,220
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	601
		.....1945.....	801
		.....number 1950.....	2,677
		.....1945.....	2,564

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	11	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	262	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1945.....	425	1944.....	22
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	200
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	bushels 1949.....	
number 1950.....	161	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	10	1944.....	
number 1950.....	116	acres 1949.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	321	1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	45	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950.....	101	acres 1949.....	78
1944.....	5	1944.....	23
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Small grains:	
1944.....	10	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	30
number shorn 1949.....	113	1944.....	51
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	401	acres 1949.....	772
1944.....	1,375	1944.....	1,675
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949.....	12,020
		1944.....	54,780
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,363	1944.....	40
1945.....	1,960	acres 1949.....	81
number 1950.....	47,290	1944.....	457
1945.....	69,253	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	177	1944.....	
number 1949.....	7,816	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	8,973	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	281	1944.....	
dozens 1949.....	53,719	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949.....	22,444	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	343
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	61	acres grown alone 1949...	907
number 1950.....	260	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	3,668
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	56	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,779
1944.....	29	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,563
number 1949.....	409	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944.....	289	1944.....	8
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres grown alone 1949...	407
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres grown with other crops 1949...	37
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	849	bushels 1949.....	8,438
dollars 1949.....	625,043	1944.....	371
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	547	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944.....	375	acres grown alone 1949...	129
number 1949.....	4,488	acres grown with other crops 1949...	17
1944.....	3,696	tons 1949...	137
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	296	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949.....	1,814	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	216
dollars 1949.....	173,947	acres grown alone 1949...	209
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	399	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,741
number 1949.....	2,674	Soybeans plowed under for green	
dollars 1949.....	202,114	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	108
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	631	acres grown alone 1949...	162
1944.....	480	acres grown with other crops 1949...	984
number 1949.....	10,730	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	250
1944.....	5,027	acres grown alone 1949...	359
dollars 1949.....	246,579	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	202
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres grown with other crops 1949...	890
1944.....	6	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	208
number 1949.....	87	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	50
1944.....	122	1944.....	51
dollars 1949.....	870	acres grown alone 1949...	153
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	20	acres grown with other crops 1949...	50
number 1949.....	32	bushels 1949...	944
dollars 1949.....	1,533	1944.....	750
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	47
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	892	acres grown alone 1949...	12
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	36	acres grown with other crops 1949...	50
number 1949.....	61	bu. in shells 1949...	810
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	7	acres grown alone 1949...	38
number 1949.....	1	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	10	tons 1949...	45
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	4	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	135
number 1949.....	60	acres grown alone 1949...	123
1944.....	5	acres grown with other crops 1949...	744
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	888	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,743	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1949.....	2,583	acres grown alone 1949...	33
1944.....	5,322	acres grown with other crops 1949...	45
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres grown alone 1949...	7
dollars 1949.....	309	1944.....	9
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
Corn:		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,134	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	1,897	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	11,617	acres grown alone 1949...	7
1944.....	18,064	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	6
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,131	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	1,852	pounds 1949.....	1,405
acres 1949.....	11,171	1944.....	1,600
1944.....	18,004	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
bushels 1949.....	213,576	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	213,891	acres grown alone 1949...	2
Sorghums:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	18	tons 1949...	2
1944.....	12	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	100	acres grown alone 1949...	3
1944.....	258	acres grown with other crops 1949...	17
		bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	207	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	4,044	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	3	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	11	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	14	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	14	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	15	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	183	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	172	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	305	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	250	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	146	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	169	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	3,042	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	2,509	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	5,235	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	3,655	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	24-pt. crates 1949...	
1944.....	2	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	14	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	199
1944.....	22	1945.....	11
tons 1949.....	22	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	178
1944.....	20	1945.....	5
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	48	Acres.....farms reporting 1950...	45
acres 1949.....	793	1945.....	38
1944.....	318	trees of all ages..number 1950...	131
tons 1949.....	1,020	1945.....	151
1944.....	372	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	165
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	26
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	24
tons..green weight 1949.....		1944.....	745
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	102
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	142
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	958
acres 1949.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	562
1944.....	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	396
pounds 1949.....	1,200	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	259
1944.....	161	1944.....	3,431
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,174	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	58
1944.....	24	1945.....	47
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	698	trees of all ages..number 1950...	207
1944.....	2,294	1945.....	172
bushels 1949.....	37,570	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	131
1944.....	257	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	75
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,168	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	237
1944.....	79	1944.....	527
708		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	51
bushels 1949.....	8,775	1945.....	35
1944.....	56,283	trees of all ages..number 1950...	477
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,282	1945.....	260
1944.....	1,713	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	125
acres 1949.....	18,551	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	342
1944.....	12,989	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	109
bales 1949.....	11,831	1944.....	131
1944.....	11,803	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	99
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	33	trees of all ages..number 1950...	358
acres 1949.....	16	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	176
gallons 1949.....	2,174	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	188
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,570
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	11
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
tons 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	23
1944.....		1945.....	
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	15
acres 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,126	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	97
1944.....	1,944	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	67
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,346
1944.....	21	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	135
acres 1949.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,211
1944.....	34	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,240
sold..dollars 1949.....	400	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	64
1944.....	2,345	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,328
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	209
1944.....	15	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,117
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	17,160
1944.....	28	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	3	1945.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944.....	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

\*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 Parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,568 1945... 2,777	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 109 1945... 111
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 490,240 1945... 64.6	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 13 1945... 32
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 64.6 1945... 225,044	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 96 1945... 79
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 125,987 1945... 4,623	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 401 1945... 388
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 38,740 1945... 316,914	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 483 1945... 614
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 285,845 1945... 123.4	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 256 1945... 297
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 102.9 1945... 5,397	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 367 1945... 393
Average size of farm.....acres	1950*... 5,397 1945... 2,028	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 311 1945... 362
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 43.64 1945... 19.70	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 193 1945... 214
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 19.70 1945... 2,107	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 102 1945... 121
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 96 1945... 72
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 2,107 1944... 2,607	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 164 1945... 155
acres	1949... 57,889 1944... 72,972	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 63 1945... 42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 404 1944... 323	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 23 1945... 8
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 438 1944... 396		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 528 1944... 757	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 513 1944... 916	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 190 1944... 190	White operators.....number	1950... 1,123 1945... 1,120
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 29 1944... 24	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1,445 1945... 1,657
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 663 1944... 837	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,101 1945... 1,130
acres	1949... 23,172 1944... 36,194	Part owners.....number	1950... 222 1945... 51
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,326 1944... 43,707	Managers.....number	1950... 3 1945... 3
acres	1949... 43,707 1944... 38,627	All tenants.....number	1950... 1,242 1945... 1,596
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,165 1944... 862	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 48.4 1945... 57.5
acres	1949... 49,282 1944... 28,732	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 235 1945... 401
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,093 1944... 1,200	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 16 1945... 1
acres	1949... 79,342 1944... 63,146	Share tenants.....number	1950... 472 1945... 448
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,257 1944... 1,207	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 469 1945... 3
acres	1949... 51,406 1944... 33,580	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 3 1945... 337
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,224 1944... 2,197	Croppers.....number	1950... 424 1945... 182
acres	1949... 12,116 1944... 12,594	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 322 1945... 140
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... 42
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 305 1945... 371
		Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,717 1945... 752
		From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,707 1945... 3,94
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 462 1945... 190
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 313 1945... 573
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 296 1945... 1
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 63 1945... 9
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 24
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 24 1945... 24
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		number	1950... .. 1945... ..

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	554	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	134
.....1945.....	296	General farms.....number 1950...	11
.....number 1950.....	591	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	310	.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	286	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	80	.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	315	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	86	.....number 1950.....	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	281	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,151
.....1945.....	309		
.....number 1950.....	5	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....1945.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,432
.....number 1950.....	1	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	12
.....1945.....	1	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	85
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	979	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	169
.....1945.....	760	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	614
.....number 1950.....	1,079	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	552
.....1945.....	784	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	1,136
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950...	420
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	600	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	715
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	524	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,162	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	231		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	51	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,996,677
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944.....	1,737,591
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,092,260
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	113	.....1944.....	1,216,620
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,117	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,071,221
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	894	.....1944.....	1,192,877
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	384	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	8,265
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	13,186
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	11,014
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	742	.....1944.....	10,547
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	174	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,760
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,006	.....1944.....	36
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	267	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	829,494
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.9	.....1944.....	466,851
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	368,456
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	523	.....1944.....	260,137
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	820	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	59,056
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,176	.....1944.....	74,581
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	401,988
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	132,133
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,221	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	74,963
.....persons 1950.....	3,926	.....1944.....	54,120
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,200		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,044	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,060	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,825
.....persons 1950.....	1,572	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,027
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	200	.....1945.....	893
.....persons 1950.....	310	.....number 1950.....	1,647
		.....1945.....	1,989
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,860
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,126	.....1945.....	2,877
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,253	.....number 1950.....	3,420
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	754		
.....dollars 1949.....	56,952	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	987	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,009
.....dollars 1949.....	198,907	.....1945.....	2,377
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,873	.....number 1950...	20,929
.....dollars 1949.....	416,945	.....1945.....	19,278
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	949	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066
.....dollars 1949.....	82,989	.....1945.....	2,339
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,225	.....number 1950...	11,211
.....dollars 1949.....	40,779	.....1945.....	11,335
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	499	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,832
.....dollars 1949.....	75,983	.....number 1950...	7,541
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	129	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,082
.....dollars 1949.....	17,631	.....number 1950...	3,917
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	565	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	913
.....dollars 1949.....	18,759	.....number 1950...	2,171
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,166
No sales.....number 1950...	385	.....number 1950...	3,680
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	330	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	99
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	197	.....1944.....	81
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	242	.....gallons 1949.....	748,485
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	408	.....1944.....	651,795
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	312	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	358,541
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	427	.....dollars 1949.....	88
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	126	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	8,176
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	73	.....1944.....	32,326
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	56	.....dollars 1949...	4,136
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	12	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	81
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....dollars 1949...	5,773
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1,195	<b>HOGS</b>	
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,773
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1,195	.....1945.....	2,229
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	8,797
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	10,547
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....farms reporting 1950...	1,507
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	72	.....number 1950...	4,876
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	5	.....farms reporting 1950...	861
		.....number 1950...	3,921
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	581
		.....1945.....	791
		.....number 1950...	828
		.....1945.....	1,242

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	1	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	42	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1945.....	50	1944.....	32
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	360
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	bushels 1949.....	3
number 1950.....	26	1944.....	22
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	162
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1	acres 1949.....	151
number 1950.....	20	tons..green weight 1949...	292
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	50	1949.....	194
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Small grains:	
number 1950.....	6	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	37
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	4	1944.....	35
number 1950.....	6	acres 1949.....	602
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	766
1944.....	1	bushels 1949.....	20,135
number 1949.....	125	1944.....	20,320
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	588	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	152
1944.....	100	1944.....	157
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	1,187
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	1,672
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,309	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	2,612	1944.....	
number 1950.....	70,678	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	83,233	1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	327	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	21,210	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	22,457	Annual legumes:	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	448	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	107
dozens 1949.....	78,725	acres grown alone 1949...	331
dollars 1949.....	34,818	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	525
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	129	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
number 1950.....	429	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	39
1944.....	118	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949.....	39	1944.....	4
1944.....	720	acres grown alone 1949...	7
1944.....	304	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		bushels 1949.....	14
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	210
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,217	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	90
dollars 1949.....	399,337	acres grown alone 1949...	274
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	935	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1944.....	501	tons 1949...	241
number 1949.....	4,610	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	3,232	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	530	acres grown alone 1949...	44
number 1949.....	1,774	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	182,864	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	703	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949.....	2,836	acres grown alone 1949...	6
dollars 1949.....	134,943	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	597	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,185
1944.....	290	acres grown alone 1949...	3,132
number 1949.....	3,729	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	4,328
1944.....	2,152	acres grown with other crops 1949...	223
dollars 1949.....	72,684	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	859
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	760
1944.....	1	1944.....	747
number 1949.....	27	acres grown alone 1949...	1,568
1944.....	15	acres grown with other crops 1949...	87
dollars 1949.....	178	bushels 1949...	10,097
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1944.....	7,130
number 1949.....	135	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	505
dollars 1949.....	8,668	acres grown alone 1949...	754
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,935	bu. in shells 1949...	6,989
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	250	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	56
number 1949.....	345	acres grown alone 1949...	163
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	15	acres grown with other crops 1949...	19
1944.....	42	tons 1949...	130
number 1949.....	18	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	65	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	141
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	237	acres grown alone 1949...	485
1944.....	58	acres grown with other crops 1949...	44
number 1949.....	327	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	62	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	38
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,901	acres grown alone 1949...	162
1944.....	2,385	acres grown with other crops 1949...	55
number 1949.....	5,155	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	462
1944.....	7,728	acres grown alone 1949...	640
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	920
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	38	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	2,177	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	284
Corn:		1944.....	100
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,860	acres grown alone 1949...	273
1944.....	2,328	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	192
acres 1949.....	20,114	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	29,103	pounds 1949...	54,872
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,835	1944.....	40,675
1944.....	2,295	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
acres 1949.....	19,859	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	284
1944.....	28,871	acres grown alone 1949...	372
bushels 1949.....	304,611	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	259,326	tons 1949...	370
Sorghums:		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	168	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	118	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	346	bushels 1949...	
1944.....	278		

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	279	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	3,589	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	7	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	7	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	8	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	10	1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	
1944.....	116	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	5	1944.....	
1944.....	136	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	2		
1944.....	111	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,256	24-pt. crates 1949...	
acres 1949...	58		
1944.....	1,380	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	37	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1945.....	
1944.....	3	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	
acres 1949...	588	1945.....	
1944.....	7	farms reporting 1950...	
tons 1949...	569	1945.....	
1944.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Other hay out.....farms reporting 1949...	131	1945.....	
1944.....	1,749	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	448	1945.....	
1944.....	1,710	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
tons 1949...	286	1944.....	
1944.....	286	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	
acres 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
tons..green weight 1949...		1945.....	
Field crops (other):		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	31	1944.....	
1944.....	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
pounds 1949...	8,900	1944.....	
1944.....	2,000	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	797	1944.....	
1944.....	300	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	89	1945.....	
1944.....	102	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
bushels 1949...	9,373	1945.....	
1944.....	5,626	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025	1944.....	
1944.....	868	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	467	1944.....	
1944.....	622	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
bushels 1949...	38,061	1944.....	
1944.....	34,658	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,682	1945.....	
1944.....	2,151	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	26,751	1945.....	
1944.....	33,205	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
bales 1949...	13,428	1944.....	
1944.....	9,907	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	224	1944.....	
acres 1949...	180	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
gallons 1949...	11,479	1944.....	
1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
tons 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		1944.....	
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	7	vines of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	11	1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,242	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	2,675	1944.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	36	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	75	1944.....	
acres 1949...	122	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	194	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	8,265	1950.....	
1944.....	13,186	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	1950.....	
1944.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	3	1944.....	
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	
1944.....	6	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949...	2	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	4	1950.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	6	1945.....	
acres 1949...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	10	1944.....	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1950.....	
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
		1950.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		1950.....	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		1949.....	
		1944.....	
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

\*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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,308	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	279
1945...	1,460	1945...	261
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	453,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	13
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	37.6	1945.....	266
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	91,911	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	261
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	58,031	1945.....	654
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,862	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	825
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	12,286	1945.....	125
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	170,518	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	109
1945...	170,454	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	58
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	130.4	1945.....	53
1945...	116.7	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	48
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	9,475	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	45
1945...	3,706	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	15
average per acre, dollars 1950*	60.52	1945.....	22
1945...	31.75	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	20
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	9
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,224	1945.....	4
1944...	1,330	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	22
acres 1949...	28,324	1945.....	15
1944...	31,787	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	18
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	402	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	35
1944...	394	1945.....	35
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	502		
1944...	635	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	150	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	146	White operators.....number 1950...	430
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	88	1945...	351
1944...	85	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	578
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	47	1945...	1,079
1944...	29	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Full owners.....number 1950...	416
1944...	15	1945...	377
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Part owners.....number 1950...	47
1944...	26	1945...	28
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	191	Managers.....number 1950...	12
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	89	1945...	16
acres 1949...	14,268	All tenants.....number 1950...	833
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	5,823	1945...	1,039
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	147	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	65.7
acres 1949...	6,506	1945...	71.2
1944...	13,502	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	39
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	205	1945...	61
1944...	109	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
acres 1949...	60,910	1945...	1
1944...	54,300	Share tenants.....number 1950...	294
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	186	1945...	599
1944...	285	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	291
acres 1949...	58,207	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
1944...	37,098	Croppers.....number 1950...	428
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	108	1945...	551
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	162	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	64
acres 1949...	16,288	1945...	47
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	16,943	Other tenants.....number 1950...	10
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	552	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	54
1944...	1,344		
acres 1949...	6,017	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	11,001	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	103
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	43
1944.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	850
acres 1949.....		1945...	303
1944.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	880
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	2.84
acres 1949.....		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	152
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	59
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	85
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	295
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	104
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	27
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		number 1950...	18
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	18
		number 1950...	46
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		number 1950...	7
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,222		
1945...	1,408		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	60		
1945...	50		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting 1949...	289		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	390		
1944...	205		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	192		
1944...	81		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	233	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	0
.....1945...	135	General farms.....number 1950...	13
.....number 1950...	294	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	153	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	241	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	343
.....1945...	149	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	343
.....number 1950...	384		
.....1945...	230	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	225	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	659
.....number 1950...	357	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	7
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	22	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	16
.....number 1950...	27	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	26
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	542	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	65
.....number 1950...	148	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	315
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	41.8	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	543
.....1945...	155	Other farms.....number 1950...	167
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	162
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	447	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	162
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	186	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	427	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	148	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,088,180
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944...	1,887,185
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,481,615
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944...	1,618,585
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,487,419
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	118	.....1944...	1,809,495
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	500	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,437
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	231	.....1944...	.....
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	220	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	21,260
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944...	9,090
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,500
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	501	.....1944...	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	20	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	629,127
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	70	.....1944...	248,525
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	14	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,031
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.6	.....1944...	27,735
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,006
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	375	.....1944...	14,153
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	578	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	601,042
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	96	.....1944...	206,033
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,437
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	77
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,072	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....persons 1950...	2,155	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	762
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,070	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	651
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,010	.....1945...	782
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	384	.....number 1950...	1,435
.....persons 1950...	612	.....1945...	1,030
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	61	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	415
.....persons 1950...	333	.....1945...	589
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		.....number 1950...	763
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	685	.....1945...	1,325
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	411	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	227	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	705
.....dollars 1949...	53,115	.....1945...	694
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	265	.....number 1950...	14,659
.....dollars 1949...	220,318	.....1945...	20,053
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	387	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	658
.....dollars 1949...	46,513	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	655
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	209	.....number 1950...	7,508
.....dollars 1949...	224,569	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> ...	11,792
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	403	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	488
.....dollars 1949...	44,382	.....number 1950...	1,470
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	283	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	206
.....dollars 1949...	104,633	.....number 1950...	2,442
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	149	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	201
.....dollars 1949...	60,678	.....number 1950...	2,928
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	135	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	585
.....dollars 1949...	24,979	.....number 1950...	1,885
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
No sales.....number 1950...	89	.....1944...	45
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	85	.....gallons 1949...	24,144
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	154	.....dollars 1949...	80,853
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	134	.....farms reporting 1949...	11,941
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	820	.....1944...	4
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	228	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	12
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	176	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	142
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	58	.....1944...	2,400
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	8	.....dollars 1949...	90
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	25	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	25	.....dollars 1949...	.....
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	846	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	775
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	5	.....1945...	901
Cotton.....number 1950...	841	.....number 1950...	10,200
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945...	9,890
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	608
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	6,285
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	568
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1950...	3,915
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	172
		.....1945...	448
		.....number 1950...	718
		.....1945...	2,004

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	5	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	40	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	38	1944.....	5
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	10
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	1944.....	11
number 1950.....	27	bushels 1949.....	800
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	2	1944.....	225
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	2	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	20	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	25	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	2	tons, green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	7	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950.....	13	acres 1949.....	15
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	tons cut 1949...	1
1944.....	2	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949.....	15	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	36
wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	45	1944.....	58
1944.....	60	acres 1949.....	1,550
Average date of enumeration..... 1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	4,198
		bushels 1949.....	52,268
		1944.....	122,562
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	983	1944.....	7
1945.....	1,164	acres 1949.....	30
number 1950.....	58,080	1944.....	58
1945.....	37,181	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	64	1944.....	
number 1949.....	4,068	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	4,842	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	97	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	25,658	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	11,091	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	17	1944.....	
number 1950.....	76	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	301
number 1949.....	13	acres grown alone 1949.....	662
1944.....	128	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,442
1944.....	151	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5,218
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,638
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	15
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	462	acres grown alone 1949.....	121
dollars 1949.....	600,866	acres grown with other crops 1949...	74
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	275	bushels 1949.....	5,275
1944.....	184	1944.....	8,561
number 1949.....	5,555	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	3,452	acres grown alone 1949...	174
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	140	acres grown with other crops 1949...	89
number 1949.....	5,158	tons 1949...	255
dollars 1949.....	548,746	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	228	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	147
number 1949.....	2,402	acres grown alone 1949...	505
dollars 1949.....	155,098	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,001
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	329	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	167	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	135
number 1949.....	5,509	acres grown alone 1949...	202
1944.....	2,973	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,054
dollars 1949.....	95,834	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	58
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres grown alone 1949...	544
1944.....	10	acres grown with other crops 1949...	660
number 1949.....	10	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	255
1944.....	10	1944.....	196
dollars 1949.....	19	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1944.....	55
number 1949.....	30	acres grown alone 1949...	285
dollars 1949.....	990	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
		bushels 1949.....	5,405
		1944.....	565
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	600	acres grown alone 1949...	2
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	29	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
number 1949.....	50	bu. in shells 1949...	42
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	3	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	9	acres grown alone 1949...	10
number 1949.....	6	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
1944.....	9	tons 1949...	14
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	3	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1949.....	44	acres grown alone 1949...	59
1944.....	3	acres grown with other crops 1949...	109
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	592	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	847	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1949.....	1,851	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944.....	2,532	acres grown with other crops 1949...	126
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		1944.....	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	2
		acres grown alone 1949...	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		pounds 1949.....	
		1944.....	250
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949.....	
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	5
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	10

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	107	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	2,711	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	3	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	30	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	36	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	30	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	99	acres 1949.....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	32	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	58	1944.....	2
tons 1949.....	32	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	51	1944.....	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	86	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	85	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	2,048	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	1,747	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	2,111	1944.....	.....
1944.....	2,886	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	101	24-pt. crates 1949.....	.....
1944.....	25		
tons 1949.....	142	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	42	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	23
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945.....	29
acres 1949.....	428	acres 1945.....	184
1944.....	191	1945.....	474
tons 1949.....	298	farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	154	acres 1945.....	15
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	103
tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	.....
		1944.....	7
field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	118
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,070
acres 1949.....	142	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,015
1944.....	75	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	55
pounds 1949.....	16,200	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2
1944.....	12,000	1944.....	1,152
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	2
1944.....	458	1945.....	61
acres 1949.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3
1944.....	76	1945.....	234
bushels 1949.....	346	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
1944.....	5,680	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	76	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16
1944.....	434	1944.....	527
acres 1949.....	28	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
1944.....	74	1945.....	78
bushels 1949.....	2,214	1945.....	936
1944.....	8,921	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,107	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
1944.....	1,168	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	14,846	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	.....
1944.....	12,484	1944.....	768
bales 1949.....	9,165	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	15,312	1950.....	3
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	22	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	19	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3
gallons 1949.....	2,686	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	500
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	11
tons 1949.....	.....	1945.....	57
1944.....	.....	vines of all ages..number 1950...	.....
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
		1944.....	180
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	758	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	8
1944.....	1,542	1950.....	131
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	131
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,960
sold..dollars 1949.....	1,437	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	10
1944.....	.....	1950.....	2,551
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	215
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,136
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	120,648
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	.....
acres 1949.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	.....
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
1944.....	.....	1944.....	.....
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		1950.....	.....
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	.....
		1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

<sup>5</sup>Reported in small fractions.



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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,689	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	158
1945...	3,085	1945...	138
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	571,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	57.6	1945...	23
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	242,577	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	146
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	108,933	1945...	115
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	10,246	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	687
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,593	1945...	935
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	329,163	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	604
1945...	244,405	1945...	877
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	122.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	237
1945...	79.2	1945...	246
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	5,401	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	316
1945...	2,042	1945...	337
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	44.20	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	197
1945...	25.78	1945...	194
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	132
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,133	1945...	123
1944...	2,912	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	63
acres 1949...	45,599	1945...	60
1944...	57,327	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	45
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	535	1945...	30
1944...	599	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	126
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	761	1945...	81
1944...	1,172	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	72
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	478	1945...	42
1944...	728	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	52
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	250	1945...	22
1944...	330		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	69	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	58	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	White operators.....number 1950...	1,167
1944...	23	1945...	1,124
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,522
1944...	12	1945...	1,961
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,410	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	531	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,371
acres 1949...	89,927	1945...	1,454
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	25,019	Part owners.....number 1950...	266
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	527	1945...	76
acres 1949...	22,203	Managers.....number 1950...	8
1944...	25,122	1945...	3
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,112	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,044
1944...	854	1945...	1,552
acres 1949...	80,590	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	38.8
1944...	41,382	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	50.3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	545	1945...	166
1944...	655	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	304
acres 1949...	47,935	1945...	5
1944...	28,000	Share tenants.....number 1950...	452
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	524
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	518	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	445
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,495	1945...	7
acres 1949...	33,162	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	282
1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	59,237	1945...	578
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland,		Croppers.....number 1950...	139
etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,156	1945...	146
1944...	2,550	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	55
acres 1949...	9,747	1945...	84
1944...	8,318	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944...		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	401
1944...		1945...	145
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,154
acres 1949...		1945...	341
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,149
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.29
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	485
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	211
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	188
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	513
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	102
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	19
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	129
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	48
		number 1950...	48
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1950...	2
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	606	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	179
.....number 1945.....	246	General farms.....number 1950.....	28
.....number 1945.....	660	.....number 1950.....	16
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	257	.....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1945.....	101	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,100
.....number 1945.....	358		
.....number 1945.....	122	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	242	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,594
.....number 1950.....	330	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	30
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	58
.....number 1950.....	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	69
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	169
.....number 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	545
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	794	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	723
.....number 1945.....	582	.....number 1950.....	1,095
.....number 1950.....	929	Other farms <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	361
.....number 1945.....	604	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	74
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	505	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	660	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,379,288
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,267	.....dollars 1944.....	1,800,441
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	190	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,050,774
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	67	.....dollars 1944.....	1,005,228
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,005,382
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	930,318
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	151	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	19,383
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,153	.....dollars 1944.....	63,315
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	869	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,686
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	435	.....dollars 1944.....	11,475
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	23,463
.....miles 1944.....	292	.....dollars 1944.....	320
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,238,173
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	703	.....dollars 1944.....	749,944
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	127	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,296,213
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,089	.....dollars 1944.....	467,659
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	292	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	62,345
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.0	.....dollars 1944.....	30,771
.....miles 1944.....	2.0	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	879,615
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	251,514
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	314	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	90,401
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	900	.....dollars 1944.....	42,269
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,377	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,083
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,601
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,148	.....number 1945.....	1,692
.....persons 1950.....	3,810	.....number 1950.....	3,178
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,107	.....number 1945.....	3,082
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,960	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,274
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	867	.....number 1945.....	1,626
.....persons 1950.....	1,358	.....number 1950.....	2,405
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	206	.....number 1945.....	3,230
.....persons 1950.....	492	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,066
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,071	.....farms reporting 1945...	2,323
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	995	.....number 1950.....	38,831
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	413	.....number 1945.....	35,305
.....dollars 1949.....	36,386	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,995
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	849	.....number 1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	2,442
.....dollars 1949.....	346,865	.....number 1950.....	22,539
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,806	.....number 1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	21,047
.....dollars 1949.....	1,015,049	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,617
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	606	.....number 1950.....	11,042
.....dollars 1949.....	510,092	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,027
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,264	.....number 1950.....	6,396
.....dollars 1949.....	49,779	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	726
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	520	.....number 1950.....	2,841
.....dollars 1949.....	97,062	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,393
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	172	.....number 1950.....	7,055
.....dollars 1949.....	35,139	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	146
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	338	.....farms reporting 1944.....	98
.....dollars 1945.....	20,154	.....gallons 1949.....	2,666,563
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....dollars 1944.....	1,323,302
No sales.....number 1950.....	366	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,293,719
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	368	.....farms reporting 1944.....	11
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	210	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	2
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	235	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	1,427
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	465	.....dollars 1949.....	1,900
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	347	.....dollars 1949.....	884
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	372	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	26
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	124	.....dollars 1949.....	1,610
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	65	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	49	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,401
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	88	.....number 1945.....	2,187
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950.....	5,306
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1,231	.....number 1945.....	10,437
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,109
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1,221	.....number 1950.....	2,887
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	10	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	617
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	24	.....number 1950.....	2,437
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1945.....	453
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	110	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,228
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	14	.....number 1945.....	590
		.....number 1945.....	1,762

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	15	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	689	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1945.....	479	1944.....	5
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949...	24
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	18	1944.....	8
number 1950.....	411	bushels 1949...	239
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	18	1944.....	131
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	9	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	326	acres 1949...	10
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	160	tons..green weight 1949...	80
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	85	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	121
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	15	acres 1949...	240
number 1950.....	278	tons cut 1949...	202
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	13		
1944.....	8	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	438	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	30
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	1,636	1944.....	11
1944.....	1,030	acres 1949...	428
Age date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	485
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		bushels 1949...	8,233
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,334	1944.....	11,682
1945.....	2,843	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	49
number 1950.....	62,637	1944.....	84
1945.....	81,918	acres 1949...	670
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	167	1944.....	824
number 1949...	25,697	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	24,801	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	228	acres 1949...	
dozens 1949...	68,378	162-lb. barrels 1949...	
dollars 1949...	33,987	1944.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	176	Annual legumes:	
number 1950...	672	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	53
Chickens raised.....farms reporting 1949...	158	acres grown alone 1949...	150
1944.....	49	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	774
number 1949...	1,243	acres grown with other crops 1949...	63
1944.....	378	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	245
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	30
Old alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,173	acres grown alone 1949...	4
dollars 1949...	876,384	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025	bushels 1949...	65
1944.....	846	1944.....	990
number 1949...	11,320	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	43
1944.....	6,214	acres grown alone 1949...	134
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	565	acres grown with other crops 1949...	60
number 1949...	4,696	tons 1949...	179
dollars 1949...	486,812	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	835	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	6,624	acres grown alone 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	350,981	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	312	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	309	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	1,668	acres grown alone 1949...	4
1944.....	1,939	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949...	32,748	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,023
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	acres grown alone 1949...	2,276
1944.....	8	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	4,148
number 1949...	148	acres grown with other crops 1949...	333
1944.....	198	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	686
dollars 1949...	1,618	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	720
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1944.....	1,009
number 1949...	83	acres grown alone 1949...	1,470
dollars 1949...	4,225	acres grown with other crops 1949...	139
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949...	8,267
Cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,574	1944.....	22,846
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	114	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	263
number 1949...	178	acres grown alone 1949...	282
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	6	acres grown with other crops 1949...	94
1944.....	57	bu. in shells 1949...	5,034
number 1949...	12	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	37
1944.....	74	acres grown alone 1949...	108
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	109	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
1944.....	83	tons 1949...	105
number 1949...	166	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	92	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	53
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,536	acres grown alone 1949...	194
1944.....	2,084	acres grown with other crops 1949...	72
number 1949...	3,386	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	5,624	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	58
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949...	222
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	16	acres grown with other crops 1949...	22
dollars 1949...	1,591	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	456
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949...	587
Corn:		1944.....	1,452
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,769	acres grown with other crops 1949...	21
1944.....	2,289	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
acres 1949...	12,739	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	259
1944.....	19,203	1944.....	201
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,762	acres grown alone 1949...	201
1944.....	2,223	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	284
acres 1949...	12,603	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
1944.....	18,470	pounds 1949...	39,972
bushels 1949...	203,228	1944.....	46,495
1944.....	138,190	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
Sorghums:		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	151
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	135	acres grown alone 1949...	163
1944.....	223	acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
acres 1949...	274	tons 1949...	153
1944.....	621	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
		bushels 1949...	20

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crop

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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...	236	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	4,397	acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	22	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944.....	12	acres 1949...	
acres 1949.....	305	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944.....	150	acres 1949...	
tons 1949.....	373	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944.....	190	acres 1949...	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944.....	4	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949.....	51	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1944.....	144	acres 1944.....	42
tons 1949.....	30	acres 1949.....	15
acres 1944.....	145	acres 1944.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	128	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1944.....	28	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	2,183	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3
acres 1944.....	463		
tons 1949.....	2,195	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1944.....	434	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21	acres 1949.....	
acres 1944.....	4	24-pt. crates 1949...	
acres 1949.....	359		
acres 1944.....	14	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	346	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	30
acres 1944.....	9	acres 1945.....	20
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	80	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	30
acres 1949.....	1,418	acres 1945.....	30
acres 1944.....	1,757	Acres.....farms reporting 1950...	10
tons 1949.....	1,508	acres 1945.....	11
acres 1944.....	2,126	trees of all ages..number 1950...	42
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	30
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	20
tons..green weight 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	18
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7
		acres 1944.....	37
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1945.....	10
acres 1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,65
acres 1949.....	38	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,90
acres 1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,77
pounds 1949.....	12,000	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,05
acres 1944.....		acres 1944.....	3,13
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	424	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	17
acres 1944.....	653	acres 1945.....	28
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	176	trees of all ages..number 1950...	88
acres 1944.....	363	acres 1945.....	1,82
bushels 1949.....	9,162	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	30
acres 1944.....	16,074	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	53
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,041	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,22
acres 1944.....	1,772	acres 1944.....	3,63
acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	811	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	61
acres 1944.....	1,269	acres 1945.....	68
bushels 1949.....	47,994	trees of all ages..number 1950...	43
acres 1944.....	77,824	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	45
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,651	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	280
acres 1944.....	2,376	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	75
acres 1949.....	22,221	acres 1944.....	223
acres 1944.....	24,747	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	19
bales 1949.....	13,620	trees of all ages..number 1950...	54
acres 1944.....	8,193	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	211
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	116	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	314
acres 1949.....	88	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,07
gallons 1949.....	6,653	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	34
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	11
acres 1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	114
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	31
acres 1944.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	62
tons 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	52
acres 1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	229
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres 1944.....	40
acres 1949.....	11	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	147
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,112	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,787
acres 1944.....	2,908	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,123
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	87	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,642
acres 1944.....	248	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14,489
acres 1949.....	164	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	46
acres 1944.....	408	trees of all ages..number 1950...	52
acres 1949.....	19,383	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	72
acres 1944.....	63,315	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	446
acres 1949.....	6	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,881
acres 1944.....	48	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	4	acres 1945.....	
acres 1944.....	69	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	4	acres 1945.....	
acres 1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	
acres 1944.....	(*)	acres 1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

\*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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,981	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	491
1945...	1,956	1945...	347
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	295,680	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	23
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	59.2	1945...	19
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	134,452	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	468
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	37,477	1945...	328
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,609	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	603
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,611	1945...	709
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	174,927	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	222
1945...	172,798	1945...	230
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	88.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	148
1945...	88.3	1945...	171
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	10,253	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	122
1945...	4,772	1945...	108
average per acre, dollars 1950*	131.35	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	104
1945...	54.02	1945...	118
Land and in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	61
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,036	1945...	74
1944...	1,662	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	40
acres 1949...	19,335	1945...	37
1944...	33,214	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	29
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	617	1945...	24
1944...	894	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	97
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	229	1945...	69
1944...	411	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	43
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	75	1945...	43
1944...	163	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	21
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	1945...	26
1944...	92		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	45	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	White operators.....number 1950...	1,406
1944...	28	1945...	1,324
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	575
1944...	29	1945...	632
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,057	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	401	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,493
acres 1949...	51,853	1945...	1,297
1944...	14,995	Part owners.....number 1950...	166
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	247	1945...	141
acres 1949...	5,802	Managers.....number 1950...	12
1944...	2,199	1945...	10
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	846	All tenants.....number 1950...	310
acres 1949...	887	1945...	508
1944...	42,315	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.6
51,854	1945...	1945...	26.0
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	252	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	155
acres 1949...	121	1945...	319
1944...	15,583	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
7,135	1945...	1945...	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	606	Share tenants.....number 1950...	37
1944...	1,203	1945...	74
acres 1949...	34,392	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	37
1944...	59,604	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	40
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,798	Croppers.....number 1950...	103
1944...	1,930	1945...	76
acres 1949...	5,647	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	11
1944...	3,797	1945...	31
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	45
1944...	2		
acres 1949...	14	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	14	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	537
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	198
acres 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,680
1944...	.....	1945...	1,197
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,675
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.36
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	938
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	311
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	412
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,156
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	295
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		number 1950...	79
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1950...	2
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		number 1950...	20
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		number 1950...	9
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		number 1950...	14

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	387	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	168
1945.....	214	General farms.....number 1950.....	14
number 1950.....	587	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	6
1945.....	244	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	8
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	440	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	8
1945.....	174	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,631
number 1950.....	552		
1945.....	230	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	333	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	390
1945.....	472	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	78	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	44
1945.....	79	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	24
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	11	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	45
1945.....	11	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	142
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,377	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	130
1945.....	1,323	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,591
number 1950.....	1,636	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	425
1945.....	1,476	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1,160
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	6
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	502	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	430	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,299,989
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	627	1944.....	1,422,186
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	331	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	472,677
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	91	1944.....	463,185
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	306,162
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	323,003
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	269	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,484
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	755	1944.....	48,242
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	399	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	22,160
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	561	1944.....	65,638
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	114,871
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	26,300
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,316	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,794,747
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	1944.....	952,486
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	181	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	798,810
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	1944.....	497,695
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	122,287
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	122,548
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	757	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	873,650
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,132	1944.....	332,243
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	32,565
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		1944.....	6,515
Week preceding enumeration:		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,318	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,385
persons 1950.....	2,278	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,109
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,266	1945.....	1,196
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,156	number 1950.....	2,919
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	481	1945.....	2,534
persons 1950.....	700	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	723
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	225	1945.....	891
persons 1950.....	522	number 1950.....	1,166
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		1945.....	1,631
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,492	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	619	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,656
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	268	1945.....	1,727
1940.....	23,562	number 1950.....	35,753
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	524	1945.....	39,404
1940.....	290,633	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,588
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,313	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,664
1949.....	574,002	number 1950.....	21,340
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	705	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	28,042
1949.....	353,844	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,249
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	751	1950.....	6,722
1949.....	46,780	number 1950.....	787
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	449	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,845
1949.....	120,003	number 1950.....	528
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	206	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,237
1949.....	38,312	number 1950.....	970
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	150	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,331
1949.....	15,541	number 1950.....	86
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	92
No sales.....number 1950.....	518	1944.....	1,542,161
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	642	1944.....	827,330
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	208	dollars 1949.....	798,029
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	145	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	183	1944.....	3
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	78	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	212
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	88	1944.....	765
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	26	dollars 1949.....	137
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	20	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	20
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	23	1949.....	644
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	50	<b>HOGS</b>	
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	767
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	82	1945.....	1,094
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	50	number 1950.....	3,984
Cotton.....number 1950.....	32	1945.....	7,491
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	15	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	603
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	15	number 1950.....	2,408
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	282
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	50	number 1950.....	1,576
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	15	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	175
		1945.....	242
		1950.....	580
		1945.....	580

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	23	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	310	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	302	1944.....	1
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	4
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	23	1944.....	4
number 1950.....	208	bushels 1949.....	20
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	23	1944.....	32
1945.....	14	1944.....	3
number 1950.....	155	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	130
1945.....	169	acres 1949.....	1,110
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	15	tons..green weight 1949...	
number 1950.....	53	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	20	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	102	acres 1949.....	4
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	12	tons cut 1949...	3
1944.....	10		
number shorn 1949.....	154	Small grains:	
1949.....	798	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	1,015	1944.....	64
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	1,075
		1944.....	1,764
		bushels 1949.....	23,315
		1944.....	48,226
			11
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	155
		1944.....	147
		acres 1949.....	1,457
		1944.....	1
		Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		acres 1949.....	
		162-lb. barrels 1949.....	180
		1944.....	
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	45
		acres grown alone 1949...	421
		1944.....	852
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	461
		1944.....	404
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944.....	12
		acres grown alone 1949...	46
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
		bushels 1949...	1,592
		1944.....	853
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		acres grown alone 1949...	227
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	13
		tons 1949...	247
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
		acres grown alone 1949...	26
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	198
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		acres grown alone 1949...	122
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	232
		1944.....	110
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	90
		acres grown alone 1949...	83
		1944.....	289
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	316
		1944.....	27
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		acres grown alone 1949...	13
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	30
		bushels 1949...	272
		1944.....	326
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	59
		acres grown alone 1949...	22
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	71
		bu. in shells 1949...	687
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		acres grown alone 1949...	4
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
		tons 1949...	13
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
		acres grown alone 1949...	17
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	38
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	39
		acres grown alone 1949...	34
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	130
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	41
		acres grown alone 1949...	10
		1944.....	58
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	41
		1944.....	28
		acres grown alone 1949...	10
		1944.....	34
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		pounds 1949...	6,551
		1944.....	11,699
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
		bushels 1949...	38

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		Parish total	SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		Parish total
<b>Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:</b>			<b>Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued</b>		
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...		348	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...		6
acres 1949.....		6,219	acres 1949.....		6
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...		5	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...		5
1944.....		7	acres 1949.....		2
acres 1949.....		28	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...		3
1944.....		174	acres 1949.....		2
tons 1949.....		52	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...		3
1944.....		187	acres 1949.....	(*)	3
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		26	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...		7
1944.....		67	acres 1949...		4
acres 1949.....		814	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...		22
1944.....		1,173	1944.....		71
tons 1949.....		783	acres 1949.....		12
1944.....		1,255	1944.....		34
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		179	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...		14
1944.....		506	acres 1949...		7
acres 1949.....		2,296	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...		60
1944.....		7,824	<b>Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:</b>		
tons 1949.....		3,049	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...		13
1944.....		7,722	acres 1949...		10
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		11	24-pt. crates 1949...		567
1944.....		147	<b>Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:</b>		
acres 1949.....		219	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...		878
tons 1949.....		194	1945..		12
1944.....		158	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ..		1,291
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...		158	1945.....		687
acres 1949.....		2,908	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...		55
1944.....		1,770	1945.....		52
tons 1949.....		3,391	trees of all ages..number 1950...		218
1944.....		1,699	1945.....		252
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		136	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		136
acres 1949.....		11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...		82
1944.....		27	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...		24
tons..green weight 1949.....		109	1944.....		37
Field crops (other):		558	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...		74
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1,767	1945.....		103
1944.....		72,940	trees of all ages..number 1950...		400
acres 1949.....		247,194	1945.....		277
1944.....		48	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		123
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		147	trees of bearing age..number 1950...		83
1944.....		970	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...		212
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ..		789	1944.....		479
1944.....		1,029	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...		607
bushels 1949.....		55,691	1945.....		2,900
1944.....		80,742	trees of all ages..number 1950...		6,727
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		362	1945.....		872
1944.....		1,012	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		2,028
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ..		769	trees of bearing age..number 1950...		2,837
1944.....		1,029	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...		13,897
bushels 1949.....		55,691	1944.....		
1944.....		80,742	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...		196
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		245	1945.....		268
1944.....		529	trees of all ages..number 1950...		1,580
acres 1949.....		998	1945.....		3,348
1944.....		2,321	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		678
bales 1949.....		498	trees of bearing age..number 1950...		902
1944.....		1,284	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...		493
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		27	1944.....		417
acres 1949...		114	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...		569
gallons 1949.....		30,532	1950.....		2,584
1944.....		4	trees of all ages..number 1950...		884
acres 1949.....		10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		1,700
1944.....		449	trees of bearing age..number 1949...		38,259
tons 1949.....		371	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...		36
1944.....		10,411	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...		10
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		4,705	1945.....		343
acres 1949...		2	vines of all ages..number 1950...		79
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...		1,330	1945.....		64
1944.....		1,854	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...		279
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		54	vines of bearing age..number 1949...		14,505
1944.....		230	quantity harvested..pounds 1944.....		
acres 1949.....		174	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...		546
1944.....		469	1950.....		16,471
sold..dollars 1949.....		29,484	trees of all ages..number 1950...		1,107
1944.....		48,242	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		15,364
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		38	trees of bearing age..number 1950...		153,331
1944.....		136	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...		
acres 1949.....		46	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...		185
1944.....		125	1950.....		1,673
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		16	trees of all ages..number 1950...		266
1944.....		63	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		1,407
acres 1949.....		29	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...		30,347
1944.....		66	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...		3
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...		8	1945.....		2
1944.....		15	trees of all ages..number 1950...		6
acres 1949.....		6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		585
1944.....		9	trees of bearing age..number 1949...		4
			quantity harvested..pounds 1949...		2
			1944.....		2
			Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...		69
			1950.....		295
			trees of all ages..number 1950...		169
			trees not of bearing age..number 1950...		126
			trees of bearing age..number 1949 <sup>3</sup> ..		267
			quantity harvested..field boxes 1944 <sup>4</sup> ..		

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

\*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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,038	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 260
	1945... 2,302		1945... 295
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 276,480	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 5
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 68.8		1945... 1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 102,636	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 255
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 66,086		1945... 294
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 50,574	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 865
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 29,077		1945... 1,233
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 190,219	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 358
	1945... 146,405		1945... 409
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 83.5	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 172
	1945... 65.6		1945... 148
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*.. 5,558	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 146
	1945... 2,915		1945... 81
average per acre, dollars	1950*.. 67.41	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 62
	1945... 45.84		1945... 37
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 35
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,950		1945... 13
	1944... 2,211	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 17
acres	1949... 74,905		1945... 3
	1944... 67,684	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 16
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 305		1945... 11
	1944... 421	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 33
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 698		1945... 25
	1944... 945	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 24
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 440		1945... 22
	1944... 467	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 32
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 297		1945... 25
	1944... 244	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 111	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944... 65	White operators.....number	1950... 777
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 45		1945... 648
	1944... 25	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1,281
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 56		1945... 1,654
	1944... 48	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 390	Full owners.....number	1950... 565
	1944... 287		1945... 603
acres	1949... 11,787	Part owners.....number	1950... 163
	1944... 7,201		1945... 58
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 378	Managers.....number	1950... 25
	1944... 10,482		1945... 26
acres	1949... 10,692	All tenants.....number	1950... 1,289
	1944... 215		1945... 1,635
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 215	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 83.2
	1944... 211		1945... 71.0
acres	1949... 58,517	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 47
	1944... 12,998		1945... 39
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 481	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 52
	1944... 414		1945... 1
acres	1949... 58,805	Share tenants.....number	1950... 444
	1944... 25,602		1945... 403
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 279	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 459
	1944... 229		1945... 5
acres	1949... 6,676	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 711
	1944... 15,718		1945... 992
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 1,259	Croppers.....number	1950... 55
	1944... 1,998		1945... 200
acres	1949... 6,747	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 12
	1944... 8,510		1945... 45
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 2	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 12
	1944... 1,350		1945... 45
acres	1949... 1,350	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
	1944... 1,350	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 161
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 2		1945... 45
	1944... 1,350	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,042
acres	1949... 1,350		1945... 502
	1944... 1,350	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,041
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 5.06
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 254
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 21
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 120
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 455
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 124
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 11
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 87
			1945... 95
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 15
			1945... 16
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 35
			1945... 39
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 3
			1945... 3
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1
			1945... 1
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,650		
	1945... 2,194		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 54		
	1945... 39		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 399		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 650		
	1944... 109		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 216		
	1944... 10		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	450	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1
.....1945.....	239	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	546	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	286	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	450	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	187	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	792	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	382	.....number 1950.....	1
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	440	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	764		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	1	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	27	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	1
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	524	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	392	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	607	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	418	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	1
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950.....	1
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	780	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	146	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	660	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	1
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	324		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	128	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,241,96
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	3,776,40
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	197	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,534,11
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	854	.....1944.....	3,466,52
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	529	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,552,72
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	418	.....1944.....	2,425,58
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	71
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	1,58
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	965	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,17
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	160	.....1944.....	25,53
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	423	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	.....1944.....	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.7	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	645,68
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	307,68
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	375	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	35,54
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,117	.....1944.....	45,64
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	471	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	24,71
		.....1944.....	18,40
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	535,58
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	274,43
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,697	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,12
.....persons 1950.....	3,055	.....1944.....	4,82
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,675	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,600	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,07
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	498	.....1945.....	42
.....persons 1950.....	718	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	42
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	182	.....1945.....	52
.....persons 1950.....	737	.....number 1950.....	92
		.....1945.....	90
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,01
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,577	.....number 1950.....	2,58
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,212	.....1945.....	3,14
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	955		
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	178,806	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
.....dollars 1949.....	832	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,56
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	864,879	.....1945.....	1,54
.....dollars 1949.....	892	.....number 1950.....	9,75
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	135,831	.....1945.....	11,79
.....dollars 1949.....	584	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,00
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	210,874	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,54
.....dollars 1949.....	933	.....number 1950.....	5,23
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	100,774	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	5,12
.....dollars 1949.....	486	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	581
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	265,359	.....number 1950.....	2,28
.....dollars 1949.....	323	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	48
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	151,025	.....number 1950.....	1,57
.....dollars 1949.....	443	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	62
	54,616	.....number 1950.....	1,17
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	59
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,72
No sales.....number 1950.....	77	.....number 1950.....	1,72
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	107	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	105	.....1944.....	5
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	261	.....gallons 1949.....	150,73
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	451	.....1944.....	54,57
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	412	.....dollars 1949.....	81,12
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	321	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	166	.....1944.....	1
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	61	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	2,63
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	28	.....1944.....	1,54
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	49	.....dollars 1949.....	1,42
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,444	.....dollars 1949.....	3,00
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	4	<b>HOGS</b>	
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1,440	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,41
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1,440	.....1945.....	1,40
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	1,440	.....number 1950.....	10,19
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	1,440	.....1945.....	7,22
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	28	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,07
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	5,94
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	60
		.....number 1950.....	4,24
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	50
		.....1945.....	50
		.....number 1950.....	1,39
		.....1945.....	90

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	2	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	480	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1945.....	27	1944.....	2
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	153
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	1944.....	10
number 1950.....	227	bushels 1949.....	2,850
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	1944.....	150
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	2	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1950.....	217	acres 1949.....	26
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	22	tons green weight 1949...	190
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6		
number 1950.....	10	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1950.....	253	acres 1949.....	121
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	tons cut 1949...	27
1944.....	2		
number shorn 1949.....	207	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	606	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	52
1944.....	1,010	1944.....	176
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	2,530
		1944.....	10,418
		bushels 1949.....	26,530
		1944.....	224,640
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,845	1944.....	56
1945.....	1,878	acres 1949.....	525
number 1950.....	41,656	1944.....	224
1945.....	58,850	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	182	1944.....	1,180
number 1949.....	8,575	acres 1949.....	15,370
dollars 1949.....	9,129	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	278	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949.....	27,210	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	120
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	11,517	acres grown alone 1949...	4,287
number 1950.....	141	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	591
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	657	acres grown with other crops 1949...	631
1944.....	117	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	105
number 1949.....	51	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	44
1944.....	1,072	1944.....	10
1944.....	567	acres grown alone 1949...	3,521
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
		bushels 1949.....	47,255
		1944.....	6,410
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24
		acres grown alone 1949...	520
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
		tons 1949...	375
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	31
		acres grown alone 1949...	151
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	448
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	32
		acres grown alone 1949...	405
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	161
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	528
		acres grown alone 1949...	29
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	28
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	12
		1944.....	6
		acres grown alone 1949...	228
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949.....	577
		1944.....	34
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		acres grown alone 1949...	11
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
		bu. in shells 1949...	212
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres grown alone 1949...	134
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	8
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	27
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		acres grown alone 1949...	6
		1944.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949...	4
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		pounds 1949...	250
		1944.....	
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	1
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>UNSPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Hay crops including sorghum annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Hay from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	412	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	7,560	acres 1949...	(*)
Meadow cut for hay (or for		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
concentrating).....farms reporting 1949...	78	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	187	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	561	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	857	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	788	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,711	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	5	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	528	acres 1944...	3
1944.....	458	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949.....	584	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	472	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Mopoke cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	74	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	120	acres 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1,269	Other vegetables.....	
1944.....	2,994	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	1,299	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	3,557	acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		24-pt. crates 1949...	
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	15	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949.....	109	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	519
1944.....	170	1945...	54
tons 1949.....	86	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	614
1944.....	180	1945...	158
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	290	1945...	189
acres 1949...	5,210	1945...	159
1944...	7,047	trees of all ages..number 1950...	840
tons 1949...	7,857	1945...	616
1944...	5,805	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	598
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	242
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	245
1944...		1944...	80
tons..green weight 1949...		1944...	752
Field crops (other):		1945...	572
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,885
1944...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,360
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,525
1944...	50	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	95
pounds 1949...		1944...	1,540
1944...	7,500	1944...	227
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		1945...	166
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	322	trees of all ages..number 1950...	702
1944...	305	1945...	596
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	14	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	588
1944...	55	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	344
bushels 1949...	2,629	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	595
1944...	3,117	1944...	410
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	157
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	442	1945...	144
1944...	520	trees of all ages..number 1950...	794
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	588	1945...	652
1944...	84	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	484
bushels 1949...	5,495	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	510
1944...	7,699	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	236
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,854	1944...	143
1944...	2,160	1944...	253
acres 1949...	42,658	1945...	849
1944...	30,124	trees of all ages..number 1950...	551
bales 1949...	21,004	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	458
1944...	27,558	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15,622
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	57
sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945...	52
acres 1949...	6	1950...	133
gallons 1949...	584	1945...	167
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	98
1944...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	35
acres 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	219
1944...		quantity harvested..pounds 1944...	222
tons 1949...		Improved pecans (budded, grafted,	
1944...		or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	164
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,226
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	756
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,540
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	150,001
Vegetables harvested for home use		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	167
(other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,439	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,339
1944...	1,369	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,448
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	15	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,630
1944...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	51,974
acres 1949...	7	1945...	1
1944...	54	1945...	1
sold..dollars 1949...	711	1945...	2
1944...	1,885	1945...	6
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6
1944...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944...	(*)	1944...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Oranges, including tangerines and	
1944...		mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
acres 1949...	3	1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	
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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

<sup>5</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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,669	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	168
.....1945...	2,098	.....1945...	246
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	290,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	84.5	.....1945...	75
and owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	209,609	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	157
and rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	46,571	.....1945...	171
and managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	12,489	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	541
and rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,131	.....1945...	868
and in farms.....acres 1950...	245,588	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	316
.....1945...	286,052	.....1945...	347
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	147.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	112.5	.....1945...	162
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,305	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	108
.....1945...	2,884	.....1945...	108
average per acre, dollars 1950*	43.38	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	94
.....1945...	25.63	.....1945...	89
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	53
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,418	.....1945...	61
.....1944...	1,764	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	35
acres 1949...	41,841	.....1945...	29
.....1944...	48,388	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	28
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	402	.....1945...	18
.....1944...	286	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	72
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	422	.....1945...	89
.....1944...	575	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	50
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	345	.....1945...	43
.....1944...	571	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	44
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	180	.....1945...	38
.....1944...	243		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	29	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	52	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	White operators.....number 1950...	508
.....1944...	18	.....1945...	598
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,168
.....1944...	19	.....1945...	1,500
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	442	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944*	86	Full owners.....number 1950...	774
acres 1949...	84,016	.....1945...	822
.....1944*	13,585	Part owners.....number 1950...	118
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	390	.....1945...	84
acres 1949...	12,611	Managers.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	11,037	.....1945...	6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	541	All tenants.....number 1950...	776
.....1944...	433	.....1945...	1,186
acres 1949...	54,082	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	46.5
.....1944...	64,085	.....1945...	56.5
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	289	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	177
.....1944...	191	.....1945...	354
acres 1949...	28,412	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....1944...	18,313	.....1945...	805
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	686	Share tenants.....number 1950...	886
.....1944*	832	.....1945...	305
acres 1949...	61,744	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944*	75,402	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,468	Croppers.....number 1950...	200
.....1944...	2,049	.....1945...	425
acres 1949...	7,932	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	91
.....1944...	5,842	.....1945...	11
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	75
		.....1945...	16
		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	121
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	165
acres 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	784
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	343
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	784
acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.73
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	286
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	102
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	92
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	246
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	54
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	19
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	33
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		.....number 1950...	74
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		.....number 1950...	15
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		.....number 1950...	7
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		.....number 1950...	45

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	286	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	131
.....1945.....	197	General farms.....number 1950...	82
.....number 1950.....	351	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	35
.....1945.....	223	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	164	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	26
.....1945.....	87	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	983
.....number 1950.....	831		
.....1945.....	132	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	153	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	709
.....number 1950.....	805	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	24
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950.....	11	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	41
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	68
.....number 1950.....	15	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	122
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	494	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	442
.....1945.....	448	Other farms.....number 1950...	960
.....number 1950.....	569	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	345
.....1945.....	469	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	611
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950...	2
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	260	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	399	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,222,089
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	840	.....1944.....	1,983,615
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	157	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	667,679
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	18	.....1944.....	1,073,920
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	621,478
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	166	.....1944.....	961,222
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	714	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	15,800
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	430	.....1944.....	93,371
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	263	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	28,366
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	12,293
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,015
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,016	.....1944.....	911
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,459,987
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	293	.....1944.....	803,596
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	659,185
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5	.....1944.....	362,478
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	65,351
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	326	.....1944.....	59,277
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	919	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	735,443
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	309	.....1944.....	381,837
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	94,423
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	56,079
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,844	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....persons 1950.....	2,740	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,327
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,380	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,008
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,210	.....number 1945.....	1,115
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	741	.....number 1950.....	2,171
.....persons 1950.....	1,090	.....1945.....	2,316
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	136	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,021
.....persons 1950.....	440	.....number 1945.....	1,157
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		.....number 1950.....	1,965
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,480	.....1945.....	2,443
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	592	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	181	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,300
.....dollars 1949.....	59,294	.....1945.....	1,620
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	537	.....number 1950.....	31,474
.....dollars 1949.....	354,593	.....1945.....	27,007
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,074	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,278
.....dollars 1949.....	538,681	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,280
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	841	.....number 1950.....	19,184
.....dollars 1949.....	213,806	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	25,623
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	891	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,015
.....dollars 1949.....	54,044	.....number 1950.....	5,632
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	838	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	758
.....dollars 1949.....	86,265	.....number 1950.....	4,717
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	124	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	611
.....dollars 1949.....	37,688	.....number 1950.....	2,875
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	312	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	841
.....dollars 1949.....	14,706	.....number 1950.....	4,756
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	68
No sales.....number 1950...	125	.....1944.....	57
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	498	.....gallons 1949.....	1,832,535
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	239	.....1944.....	1,146,664
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	234	.....dollars 1949.....	658,672
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	243	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	125	.....1944.....	.....
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	58	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	591
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	62	.....1944.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	11	.....dollars 1949.....	370
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	36	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	48	.....dollars 1949.....	123
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	419	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,170
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,643
Cotton.....number 1950.....	419	.....number 1950.....	3,152
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	8,598
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	.....farms reporting 1950...	1,047
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950.....	3,182
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	64	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	513
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,970
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	423
		.....1945.....	670
		.....number 1950.....	609
		.....1945.....	977

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	21	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	254	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	369	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	18	1944.....	
number 1950.....	160	bushels 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	1944.....	
1945.....	15	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	187	1944.....	
1945.....	276	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	13	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	23	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	15	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	94	acres 1949.....	17
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	13	tons cut 1949.....	3
1944.....	15		
number shorn 1949.....	186	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	570	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944.....	1,076	1944.....	48
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	2,204
		1944.....	2,687
		bushels 1949.....	31,435
		1944.....	59,272
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,508	1944.....	39
1945.....	1,907	acres 1949.....	478
number 1950.....	47,217	1944.....	400
1945.....	57,867	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	145	1944.....	
number 1949.....	15,011	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	16,385	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	485	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	94,983	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	45,013	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	45	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	26
number 1950.....	182	acres grown alone 1949...	147
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	41	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	55
1944.....	11	acres grown with other crops 1949...	211
number 1949.....	643	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	187
1944.....	638	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		1944.....	12
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
		bushels 1949...	67
		1944.....	416
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		acres grown alone 1949...	34
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
		tons 1949...	74
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
		acres grown alone 1949...	112
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	135
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	49
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	257
		acres grown alone 1949...	689
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	151
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	645
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,121
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	197
		1944.....	47
		acres grown alone 1949...	207
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	188
		bushels 1949...	3,156
		1944.....	272
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	186
		acres grown alone 1949...	187
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	64
		bu. in shells 1949...	3,694
		Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		acres grown alone 1949...	155
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
		tons 1949...	164
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	34
		acres grown alone 1949...	69
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	169
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	24
		acres grown alone 1949...	21
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	221
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	183
		acres grown alone 1949...	43
		1944.....	42
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	183
		1944.....	25
		acres grown alone 1949...	43
		1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	34
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		pounds 1949...	34,736
		1944.....	7,895
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	3
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		acres grown alone 1949...	4
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	59
		bushels 1949...	110

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	347	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	13,468	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 1
acres 1949.....	28	acres 1949.....	(*) 1
tons 1949.....	29	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	26	acres 1949...	26
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	22	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	1,291	acres 1949...	(*) 1
1944.....	686	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
tons 1949.....	2,100	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	978	acres 1949...	7
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	285	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	18
acres 1949.....	319	acres 1949...	10
1944.....	4,892	acres 1949...	6
tons 1949.....	5,963	1944.....	2
1944.....	5,185	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grains cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	43	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	32	acres 1949...	
tons 1949.....	99	24-pt. crates 1949...	
1944.....	7,255	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	415	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	508
1944.....	7,905	acres 1950...	69
tons 1949.....	403	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	814
1944.....	7,905	1945...	372
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	403	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	42
acres 1949.....	403	1945...	69
tons..green weight 1949.....	403	trees of all ages..number 1950...	118
Field crops (other):		1945...	280
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	48	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	72
1944.....	340	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	45
acres 1949...	718	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	10
1944.....	5,280	1944.....	62
pounds 1949...	108,373	1944.....	97
1944.....	669,356	1945...	287
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	694	trees of all ages..number 1950...	636
1944.....	1,318	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	420
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	302	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	216
1944.....	1,476	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	110
bushels 1949...	22,053	1944.....	530
1944.....	107,503	1945...	167
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,122	trees of all ages..number 1950...	402
1944.....	1,370	1945...	1,494
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,137	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	108
1944.....	1,258	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	508
bushels 1949...	108,787	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,410
1944.....	108,121	1944.....	4,439
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	977	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	43
1944.....	1,323	1945...	60
acres 1949...	7,140	trees of all ages..number 1950...	247
1944.....	9,861	1945...	696
bales 1949...	2,838	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	41
1944.....	5,404	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	308
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	307	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	121
acres 1949...	185	1944.....	390
gallons 1949...	17,375	1945...	268
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,165
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	191
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	974
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,434
tons 1949...		1944.....	9
1944.....		1945...	2
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	28
acres 1949...		1945...	3
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,414	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	17
1944.....	1,905	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	11
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	146	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	90
1944.....	381	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	208
acres 1949...	158	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,232
1944.....	656	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	500
1944.....	15,600	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,752
1944.....	99,898	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	81,430
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	116	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	171
1944.....	282	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,327
acres 1949...	107	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	216
1944.....	342	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,141
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	48,501
1944.....	7	1944.....	6
acres 1949...	102	1945...	5
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	46,208
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	12,052
1944.....	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	18,996
acres 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	29,412
1944.....	26	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	302,000
		1944.....	12,975
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

<sup>5</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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 3,892 1945... 7,966	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 382 1945... 179
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 430,060	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 99 1945... 19
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 48.8	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 283 1945... 160
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 153,855	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 1,674 1945... 1,812
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 101,810	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 887 1945... 1,259
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 6,655	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 303 1945... 297
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 82,427	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 217 1945... 169
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 209,693 1945... 176,088	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 143 1945... 94
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 53.9 1945... 44.4	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 64 1945... 41
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 5,543 1945... 2,726	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 47 1945... 33
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 102.60 1945... 61.39	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 39 1945... 18
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 88 1945... 41
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 3,183 1944... 3,755	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 28 1945... 16
acres	1949... 89,404 1944... 106,781	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 10 1945... 5
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 549 1944... 338	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1,293 1944... 1,317	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 727 1944... 1,235	White operators.....number	1950... 3,042 1945... 3,103
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 301 1944... 551	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 860 1945... 863
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 159 1944... 173	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 101 1944... 70	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,531 1945... 1,297
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 53 1944... 51	Part owners.....number	1950... 274 1945... 89
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1,918 1944... 1,045	Managers.....number	1950... 9 1945... 9
acres	1949... 55,853 1944... 12,555	All tenants.....number	1950... 2,078 1945... 2,580
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting	1949... 503 1944... 13,929	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 53.4 1945... 65.1
acres	1949... 18,611 1944... 345	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 87 1945... 88
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 301 1944... 12,391	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 34 1945... 10
acres	1949... 10,545 1944... 375	Share tenants.....number	1950... 1,699 1945... 2,001
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 182 1944... 18,089	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 1,685 1945... 14
acres	1949... 3,976 1944... 845	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 175 1945... 321
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,304 1944... 11,589	Croppers.....number	1950... 83 1945... 160
acres	1949... 17,241 1944... 3,487	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 15 1945... 68
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 3,487 1944... 3,576	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres	1949... 8,428 1944... 6,397	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 99 1945... 51
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 1,077 1944... 1,140	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,692 1945... 138
acres	1949... 50,293 1944... 45,488	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,677 1945... 3,51
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 88	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 510 1945... 170
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 479 1945... 1,154
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 3,785 1945... 3,776	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 282 1945... 10
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 40 1945... 145	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 35 1945... 84
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 984	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 92 1945... 10
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,368 1944... 915	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 682 1944... 61	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 82

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,023	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	171
.....1945.....	376	General farms.....number 1950...	165
.....number 1950...	1,139	.....number 1950...	109
.....1945.....	401	.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	558	.....number 1950...	54
.....1945.....	292	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,033
.....number 1950...	812		
.....1945.....	395		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	508		
.....number 1950...	773		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....			
.....number 1950.....			
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	34		
.....number 1950.....	39		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,348		
.....1945.....	715		
.....number 1950.....	1,406		
.....1945.....	729		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	648		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	247		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,467		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	415		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	115		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,659
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	896	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	16
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,079	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	87
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	641	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	115
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	191	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	391
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	1,265
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	953
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,029	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,033
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	460	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	454
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	805	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	579
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	427		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,984		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,345		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,053,334
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	5,436	.....1944.....	5,084,665
.....persons 1950...	5,419	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	6,063,203
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,425	.....1944.....	4,625,505
Operators.....persons 1950...	3,265	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,068,037
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,126	.....1944.....	4,611,021
.....persons 1950...	1,722	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,115
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	275	.....1944.....	8,886
.....persons 1950...	432	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,863
		.....1944.....	4,766
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,300
		.....1944.....	750
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	947,922
		.....1944.....	425,555
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	44,427
		.....1944.....	6,740
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	120,719
		.....1944.....	152,089
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	782,776
		.....1944.....	265,694
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	37,207
		.....1944.....	3,657
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	3,163
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	2,777
		.....1945.....	3,432
		.....number 1950...	5,765
		.....1945.....	9,010
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,692
		.....1945.....	1,821
		.....number 1950...	3,065
		.....1945.....	3,252
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	3,097
		.....1945.....	3,771
		.....number 1950...	55,865
		.....1945.....	40,423
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	3,066
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	3,742
		.....number 1950...	20,478
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	24,489
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,844
		.....number 1950...	6,930
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,526
		.....number 1950...	4,934
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	873
		.....number 1950...	2,028
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,172
		.....number 1950...	6,457
		.....farms reporting 1949...	34
		.....1944.....	17
		.....gallons 1949...	85,830
		.....1944.....	36,760
		.....dollars 1949...	44,213
		.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		.....1944.....	2
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	173
		.....1944.....	302
		.....dollars 1949...	104
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		.....dollars 1949...	110
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	3,111
		.....1945.....	3,541
		.....number 1950...	20,820
		.....1945.....	28,094
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,630
		.....number 1950...	9,221
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	2,072
		.....number 1950...	11,589
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,551
		.....1945.....	2,268
		.....number 1950...	2,765
		.....1945.....	4,847

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	97	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	59	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	947	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....	2,568	1944.....	2
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	68	1944.....	52
number 1950.....	647	bushels 1949.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	1944.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	37	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	458	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,498	tons green weight 1949.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	60	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	189	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	60	acres 1949.....	4
number 1950.....	300	tons cut 1949.....	3
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Small grains:	
1944.....	36	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949.....	640	1944.....	9
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	3,285	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	7,606	1944.....	94
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949.....	90
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	1,610
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	3,529	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1945.....	3,855	1944.....	27
number 1950.....	183,336	acres 1949.....	71
1945.....	178,447	1944.....	105
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	588	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,075
number 1949.....	20,189	1944.....	1,140
dollars 1949.....	25,196	acres 1949.....	49,881
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,910	1944.....	45,486
dozens 1949.....	260,976	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	582,020
dollars 1949.....	85,758	1944.....	418,442
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	102	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	451	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	532
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	111	acres grown alone 1949.....	48
1944.....	10	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	258
number 1949.....	820	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	2,078
1944.....	88	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	11,350
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	261
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,139	acres grown alone 1949.....	.....
dollars 1949.....	778,357	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	10
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,587	bushels 1949.....	50
1944.....	1,019	1944.....	2,586
number 1949.....	8,167	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	5,818	acres grown alone 1949.....	16
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	471	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	18
number 1949.....	1,946	tons 1949.....	28
dollars 1949.....	173,114	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,431	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	149
number 1949.....	8,221	acres grown alone 1949.....	12
dollars 1949.....	577,282	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	931
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,270	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	787	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	156
number 1949.....	9,803	acres grown alone 1949.....	20
1944.....	4,097	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,119
dollars 1949.....	217,368	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	213
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres grown alone 1949.....	120
1944.....	22	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	217
number 1949.....	364	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	609
1944.....	1,270	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	117
dollars 1949.....	5,270	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	39
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	90	1944.....	21
number 1949.....	199	acres grown alone 1949.....	14
dollars 1949.....	7,323	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	45
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949.....	450
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,979	1944.....	180
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	857	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	85
number 1949.....	843	acres grown alone 1949.....	42
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	188	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	107
1944.....	708	bu. in shells 1949.....	2,299
number 1949.....	172	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	738	acres grown alone 1949.....	14
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	701	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	21
1944.....	559	tons 1949.....	35
number 1949.....	671	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	680	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	75
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,909	acres grown alone 1949.....	56
1944.....	3,564	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	208
number 1949.....	9,929	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	13,487	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	47
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown alone 1949.....	14
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	175	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	228
dollars 1949.....	2,862	bushels 1949.....	40
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown alone 1949.....	55
Corn:		1944.....	247
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,685	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1944.....	3,087	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1949.....	12,016	1944.....	10
1944.....	30,050	acres grown alone 1949.....	8
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,588	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	14
1944.....	3,085	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	11,442	pounds 1949.....	3,570
1944.....	29,831	1944.....	2,850
bushels 1949.....	210,375	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
1944.....	359,059	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Sorghums:		acres grown alone 1949.....	59
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	.....
1944.....	4	tons 1949.....	52
acres 1949.....	6	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	4	acres grown alone 1949.....	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	29
		bushels 1949.....	2

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	204	Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
acres 1949...	1,258	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....acres 1949...	1
1944...	6	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	50	.....acres 1949...	1
1944...	25	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	58	.....acres 1949...	2
1944...	34	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....acres 1949...	
1944...	77	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....acres 1949...	151	.....acres 1949...	1
1944...	303	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	11
.....tons 1949...	141	.....acres 1949...	29
1944...	354	.....acres 1949...	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	155	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944...	478	.....acres 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	985	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4
1944...	1,945		
.....tons 1949...	1,277	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	2,399	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....acres 1949...	
1944...	1	.....24-pt. crates 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	5		
1944...	10	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....tons 1949...	5	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	63
1944...	6	.....acres 1945...	6
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	69
.....acres 1949...	107	.....acres 1945...	1
1944...	301	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	23
.....tons 1949...	108	.....acres 1945...	63
1944...	243	.....acres 1950...	35
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	30
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	6
.....tons, green weight 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Field crops (other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....acres 1944...	
1944...	7	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	22
.....acres 1949...	35	.....acres 1945...	35
1944...	28	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,126
.....pounds 1949...	7,150	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	542
1944...	7,000	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	585
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	201	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	637
1944...	377	.....acres 1944...	391
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	55	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	293
1944...	422	.....acres 1945...	29
.....bushels 1949...	5,453	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,822
1944...	26,186	.....acres 1945...	3
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,360	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	49
1944...	2,190	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	628
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	3,992	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,341
1944...	5,575	.....acres 1944...	327
.....bushels 1949...	297,867		
1944...	282,254	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	137
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,494	.....acres 1945...	
1944...	3,235	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,167
.....acres 1949...	21,542	.....acres 1945...	
1944...	23,028	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	335
.....bales 1949...	16,100	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	841
1944...	16,615	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	294
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	36	.....acres 1944...	
.....acres 1949...	30	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	445
.....gallons 1949...	4,187	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,049
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	966
1944...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,063
.....acres 1949...	33	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	49,273
1944...	572	.....acres 1944...	
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	66
.....acres 1949...		.....acres 1945...	153
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,775	.....acres 1945...	
1944...	3,286	vines of all ages..number 1950...	10
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,358
1944...	112	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	35,386
.....acres 1949...	31	.....acres 1944...	
.....acres 1944...	143	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	122
.....sold..dollars 1949...	3,005	trees of all ages..number 1950...	654
1944...	8,958	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	161
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	677
1944...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	19,676
.....acres 1949...	4	.....acres 1944...	
1944...	8	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....acres 1945...	
1944...	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
.....acres 1949...	4	.....acres 1945...	
1944...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	3	.....acres 1944...	
1944...	3	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	124
	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	379
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	253
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	126
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	196
		.....acres 1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	29

<sup>1</sup>For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.  
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<sup>3</sup>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>\*</sup>Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE  
 FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Farms.....number 1950...	4,759	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	331
1945...	4,653	1945...	220
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	414,720	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	15
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	75.2	1945...	17
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	209,540	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	318
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	148,887	1945...	203
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,180	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	1,879
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	72,745	1945...	2,262
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	305,862	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	1,146
1945...	281,276	1945...	1,048
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	64.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	387
1945...	60.5	1945...	327
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	4,573	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	394
1945...	2,402	1945...	326
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	71.77	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	222
1945...	39.74	1945...	222
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	168
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4,368	1945...	135
1944...	4,445	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	92
acres 1949...	119,244	1945...	63
1944...	107,197	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	495	1945...	34
1944...	458	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	94
acres 1949...	1,407	1945...	77
1944...	1,847	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	35
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,256	1945...	37
1944...	1,312	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	19
acres 1949...	812	1945...	20
1944...	605		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	307	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
1944...	179	Farms by color of operator:	
acres 1949...	64	White operators.....number 1950...	2,959
1944...	41	1945...	2,741
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,780
1944...	23	1945...	1,512
acres 1949...	1,501	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	681	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,355
Woodland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	37,870	1945...	1,280
1944...	20,065	Part owners.....number 1950...	457
acres 1949...	648	1945...	128
1944...	20,065	Managers.....number 1950...	10
Woodland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	11,005	1945...	5
1944...	31,760	All tenants.....number 1950...	2,989
acres 1949...	1,318	1945...	5,240
1944...	857	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	82.0
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	87,277	1945...	69.6
1944...	46,784	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	69
acres 1949...	546	1945...	108
1944...	698	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	51
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	30,285	1945...	269
acres 1949...	30,550	Share tenants.....number 1950...	1,167
1944...	8	1945...	698
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	922	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	1,151
1944...	1,067	1945...	8
acres 1949...	22,298	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1,545
1944...	29,686	1945...	1,808
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,651	Croppers.....number 1950...	127
1944...	4,513	1945...	341
acres 1949...	15,865	Other tenants.....number 1950...	19
1944...	15,274	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	108
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
1944...	40	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	396
acres 1949...	1	1945...	111
1944...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	5,726
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	1,115
acres 1949...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	5,721
1944...	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.07
FARM OPERATORS		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,105
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	4,502	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	255
1945...	4,325	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	409
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	94	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,908
1945...	216	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	386
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold...operators reporting 1949...	680	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	28
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,080	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	82
1944...	216	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	158
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	541	number 1950...	161
1944...	69	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		number 1950...	21
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		number 1950...	88
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		number 1950...	126
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	7

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

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<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,077	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	22
1945.....	425	General farms.....number 1950...	3
number 1950.....	1,182	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	455	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,177	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	442	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	14
number 1950.....	1,488		
1945.....	574		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,147		
number 1950.....	1,440		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....		
number 1950.....	.....		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	48		
number 1950.....	48		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,632		
1945.....	646		
number 1950.....	1,756		
1945.....	679		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,779		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	371		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,408		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	850		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	351		
<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.....	5,94
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	429	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,178	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	1
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,877	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	24
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	441	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	67
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	1,15
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	74
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,643	Other farms.....number 1950.....	24
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	582	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,859	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	41
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	108	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.9		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	820		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,890		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,941		
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>3</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,285,84
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,951	1944.....	4,826,27
persons 1950.....	5,907	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,823,47
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,892	1944.....	4,417,43
Operators.....persons 1950.....	5,811	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,807,12
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	955	1944.....	4,406,27
persons 1950.....	1,551	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,434
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	260	1944.....	1,72
persons 1950.....	565	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,03
		1944.....	9,61
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,00
		1944.....	78
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,450,63
		1944.....	306,51
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	406,75
		1944.....	30,72
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	65,66
		1944.....	64,06
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,078,81
		1944.....	515,73
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,71
		1944.....	2,16
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,67
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,94
		1945.....	1,84
		number 1950.....	5,72
		1945.....	5,81
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,74
		1945.....	2,03
		number 1950.....	5,65
		1945.....	5,45
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,04
		1945.....	5,44
		number 1950.....	38,53
		1945.....	39,53
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,97
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	5,42
		number 1950.....	21,13
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	25,88
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,71
		number 1950.....	9,81
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,56
		number 1950.....	5,85
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,27
		number 1950.....	5,72
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,679
		number 1950.....	7,65
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	75
		1944.....	16
		gallons 1949.....	620,94
		1944.....	75,295
		dollars 1949.....	302,902
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	43
		1944.....	81
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	5,555
		1944.....	11,025
		dollars 1949.....	3,192
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	19
		1944.....	611
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,759
		1945.....	2,909
		number 1950.....	16,957
		1945.....	16,855
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,155
		number 1950.....	6,558
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,420
		number 1950.....	6,364
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	685
		1945.....	692
		number 1950.....	2,082
		1945.....	2,217

<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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<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	19	Sorghums—Continued	
1945... 22		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950... 520		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1945... 523		1944... 1	
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949... 283	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	19	1944... 1	
number 1950... 200		bushels 1949... 3,096	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	19	1944... 25	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ... 11		1944... 11	
number 1950... 178		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	179
1945 <sup>1</sup> ... 188		acres 1949... 1,543	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	14	tons..green weight 1949...	1,543
number 1950... 22		Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	18	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	54
number 1950... 120		acres 1949... 220	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	12	tons cut 1949...	209
1944... 10		Small grains:	
number shorn 1949... 139		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	181
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 728		1944... 469	
1944... 824		acres 1949... 5,297	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950... Apr.15-Apr.23		1944... 10,856	
		bushels 1949... 78,841	
		1944... 547,787	
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	5,997	1944... 52	
1945... 4,150		acres 1949... 480	
number 1950... 110,929		1944... 302	
1945... 152,553		Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	452	1944... ..	
number 1949... 17,712		acres 1949... ..	
dollars 1949... 17,558		1944... ..	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,022	162-lb. barrels 1949... ..	
dozens 1949... 125,420		1944... ..	
dollars 1949... 44,287		Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	108	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	597
number 1950... 478		acres grown alone 1949... 1,460	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	90	1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 860	
1944... 49		acres grown with other crops 1949... 5,580	
number 1949... 853		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 7,578	
1944... 598		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		1944... 9	
		acres grown alone 1949... 200	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 81	
		bushels 1949... 2,496	
		1944... 1,465	
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	34
		acres grown alone 1949... 284	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 42	
		tons 1949... 419	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	172
		acres grown alone 1949... 98	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 1,656	
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	375
		acres grown alone 1949... 878	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 3,821	
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	564
		acres grown alone 1949... 754	
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 432	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 2,537	
		1944 <sup>2</sup> ... 1,947	
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	114
		1944... 98	
		acres grown alone 1949... 251	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 191	
		bushels 1949... 2,025	
		1944... 1,005	
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	242
		acres grown alone 1949... 151	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 492	
		bu. in shells 1949... 5,719	
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
		acres grown alone 1949... 15	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 34	
		tons 1949... 35	
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	88
		acres grown alone 1949... 155	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 405	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	227
		acres grown alone 1949... 222	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 1,215	
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	85
		acres grown alone 1949... 18	
		1944... 47	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	58
		1944... 41	
		acres grown alone 1949... 7	
		1944 <sup>3</sup> ... 42	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
		pounds 1949... 9,937	
		1944... 5,937	
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres grown alone 1949... 3	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
		tons 1949... 4	
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres grown alone 1949... 3	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... 16	
		bushels 1949... 4	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,470	.....1945...	602
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	100,707	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	321
.....1945...	90,670	.....1945...	342
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	68.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	124
.....1945...	53.3	.....1945...	114
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	5,114	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	111
.....1945...	2,812	.....1945...	121
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	65.64	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	68
.....1945...	52.73	.....1945...	67
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	32
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	995	.....1945...	36
.....1944...	1,571	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	21
.....acres 1949...	20,578	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	23,666	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	11
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	475	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	799	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	24
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	305	.....1945...	15
.....1944...	469	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	7
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	101	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	180	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	14
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	57	.....1945...	12
.....1944...	80	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	24	White operators.....number 1950...	1,147
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	1,270
.....1944...	8	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	334
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....1945...	430
.....1944...	11	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	371	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,035
.....1944...	262	.....1945...	1,097
.....acres 1949...	8,427	Part owners.....number 1950...	102
.....1944...	4,373	.....1945...	53
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	219	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	2,840	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	2,380	All tenants.....number 1950...	342
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	622	.....1945...	548
.....acres 1949...	405	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	23.1
.....1944...	30,833	.....1945...	32.2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	16,514	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	36
.....acres 1949...	629	.....1945...	86
.....1944...	547	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	264	.....1945...	14
.....1944...	640	Share tenants.....number 1950...	34
.....acres 1949...	10,599	.....1945...	65
.....1944...	20,341	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	31
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,150	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....1944...	1,541	Croppers.....number 1950...	220
.....acres 1949...	4,348	.....1945...	372
.....1944...	2,881	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	51
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	11
.....acres 1949...	3	Other tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....1944...	3	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....acres 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	207
		.....1945...	63
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,043
		.....1945...	407
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,043
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.98
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	333
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	81
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	93
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	655
		Electric chok brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	114
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		.....number 1950...	15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	38
		.....number 1950...	39
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	2
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,439		
.....1945...	1,662		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	36		
.....1945...	32		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting 1949...	983		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	862		
.....1944...	817		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	610		
.....1944...	623		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	527	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	144
1945.....	276	General farms.....number 1950...	32
number 1950.....	580	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	291	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	4
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	163	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	27
1945.....	77	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,041
number 1950.....	247		
1945.....	119		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	148		
number 1950.....	231		
1945.....	10		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
number 1950.....	6		
1945.....	6		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	6		
number 1950.....	6		
1945.....	6		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	491		
1945.....	404		
number 1950.....	545		
1945.....	633		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	593		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	366		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	356		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	130		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	36		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	443
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	236	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	8
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	677	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	2
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	306	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	12
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	234	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	52
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	144
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	227
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	827	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,036
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	200	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	338
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	198	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	698
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:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	479		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	652		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	297		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,295,091
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,147	1944.....	1,006,414
persons 1950.....	1,910	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	693,503
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,141	1944.....	745,314
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,024	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	647,871
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	514	1944.....	654,108
persons 1950.....	671	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	20,768
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	90	1944.....	35,231
persons 1950.....	215	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	24,824
		1944.....	55,575
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	40
		1944.....	400
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	574,277
		1944.....	241,939
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	51,450
		1944.....	40,064
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	30,813
		1944.....	38,161
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	492,016
		1944.....	163,714
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	27,309
		1944.....	19,161
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	811
		1945.....	612
		number 1950.....	683
		1945.....	1,057
		number 1945.....	1,322
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	362
		1945.....	468
		number 1950.....	698
		1945.....	1,134
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,102
		1945.....	1,428
		number 1950.....	11,903
		1945.....	17,508
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,074
		1945.....	1,413
		number 1950.....	6,485
		1945.....	10,724
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	941
		number 1950.....	2,525
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	599
		number 1950.....	2,159
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	408
		number 1950.....	1,310
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	603
		number 1950.....	1,949
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		1944.....	82
		gallons 1949.....	80,469
		1944.....	71,527
		Cream sold.....dollars 1949...	51,347
		farms reporting 1949.....	3
		1944.....	23
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	35
		1944.....	2,135
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949...	18
		1944.....	85
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,023
		1945.....	1,229
		number 1950.....	11,586
		1945.....	17,566
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	916
		number 1950.....	6,779
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	602
		number 1950.....	4,807
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	583
		1945.....	1,025
		number 1950.....	1,445
		1945.....	3,763

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	9	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	10	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	149	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1945.....	417	1944.....	4
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	117
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	9	1944.....	21
number 1950.....	94	bushels 1949.....	2,018
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	9	1944.....	475
1945.....	5	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	81	1944.....	
1945.....	186	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	13	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
1945.....	16	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	1944.....	28
number 1950.....	55	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	7	tons cut 1949...	23
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Small grains:	
1944.....	74	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949.....	355	1944.....	26
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,079	acres 1949.....	8
1944.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	706
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...		bushels 1949.....	400
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	21,745
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,207	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	54
1945.....	1,573	1944.....	43
number 1950.....	28,844	acres 1949.....	249
1945.....	48,477	1944.....	294
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	179	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	12,574	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	12,658	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	227	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35,182	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	15,395	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	113	1944.....	
1945.....	416	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	92	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	296
1944.....	27	1949.....	103
number 1949.....	850	acres grown alone 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	326
1944.....	322	1949.....	1,958
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	3,421
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1949.....	1
solid alive.....farms reporting 1949...	854	1944.....	6
dollars 1949.....	486,402	acres grown alone 1949.....	(*)
1949.....	609	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1944.....	442	bushels 1949.....	1
number 1949.....	3,999	1944.....	32
1944.....	3,681	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	309	1944.....	56
number 1949.....	1,856	acres grown alone 1949.....	15
dollars 1949.....	193,673	acres grown with other crops 1949...	77
1944.....	512	tons 1949...	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,143	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949.....	128,451	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	242
dollars 1949.....	197	1949.....	35
1944.....	7,061	acres grown alone 1949...	1,663
number 1949.....	2,391	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	160,163	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	4	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	27
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	12
number 1949.....	130	acres grown alone 1949.....	280
1944.....	204	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	307
dollars 1949.....	1,104	1944.....	340
1944.....	35	acres grown alone 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	691
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1949.....	393
number 1949.....	3,011	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	562
dollars 1949.....		1944.....	114
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	185
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	787	1944.....	38
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres grown alone 1949.....	61
number 1949.....	94	acres grown with other crops 1949...	891
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	4	bushels 1949.....	3,020
1944.....	29	1944.....	223
number 1949.....	19	Cowpeas harvested for green peas....farms reporting 1949...	237
1944.....	61	1944.....	118
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	50	acres grown with other crops 1949...	4,108
1944.....	55	bu. in shells 1949.....	2
number 1949.....	75	1944.....	2
1944.....	80	acres grown alone 1949...	3
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	772	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
1944.....	1,143	tons 1949...	
number 1949.....	2,276	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	3,859	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	66
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	50
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	12	acres grown alone 1949...	149
dollars 1949.....	5,040	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Corn:		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	758	1944.....	13
1944.....	960	acres grown alone 1949.....	62
acres 1949.....	5,284	acres grown with other crops 1949...	71
1944.....	7,662	1944.....	106
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	739	acres grown with other crops 1949...	496
1944.....	935	1944.....	6
acres 1949.....	5,072	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	7,494	1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	110,607	acres grown alone 1944.....	
1944.....	110,637	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Sorghums:		1944.....	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	29	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
1944.....	54	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949.....	145	1944.....	53
1944.....	115	acres grown alone 1949.....	10
		1944 <sup>3</sup> ...	76
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		pounds 1949.....	5,300
		1944.....	9,189
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	52
		1944.....	80
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	86
		tons 1949.....	5
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	19
		acres grown alone 1949...	15
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949.....	

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
\*Reported in small fractions.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	178	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	26
acres 1949...	6,752	acres 1949...	26
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	9	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	10	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	424	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	60	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	342	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	117	acres 1949...	.....
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	39	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	2,111	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	1,110	1944.....	34
tons 1949...	2,423	acres 1949...	13
1944.....	1,335	1944.....	26
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	75
1944.....	20	acres 1949...	143
acres 1949...	243	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	72
1944.....	230		
tons 1949...	350	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	210	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1949...	(w)
1944.....	11	24-pt. crates 1949...	12
acres 1949...	50		
1944.....	162	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	57	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	448
1944.....	129	acres 1945...	163
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	115	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,540
1944.....	115	1945...	715
acres 1949...	3,956	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	172
1944.....	3,902	1945...	227
tons 1949...	4,499	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,253
1944.....	3,823	1945...	892
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	901
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	276
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	165
		1944.....	226
		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	276
		1945...	276
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	801
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,222
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,769
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,446
		1944.....	633
		1944.....	5,329
		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	248
		1945...	400
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,634
		1945...	1,379
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	485
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,187
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,653
		1944.....	3,973
		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	131
		1945...	155
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,043
		1945...	3,104
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	444
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	759
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	109
		1944.....	1,600
		Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	196
		1950...	967
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	718
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,439
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,439
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		1945...	600
		vines of all ages..number 1950...	163
		1945...	217
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	283
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,112
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	884
		1944.....	.....
		Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	176
		1950...	12,329
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	646
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11,683
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	82,557
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	97
		1950...	3,372
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	746
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,636
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	68,738
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		1945...	4,182
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
		1945...	4,182
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		1950...	8
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	.....
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>5</sup>Reported in small fractions.

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,069	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	121
.....1945...	1,308	.....1945...	61
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	376,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	15
.....1945...	35.7	.....1945...	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	70,374	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	105
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	52,418	.....1945...	60
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	28,908	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	163
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,422	.....1945...	281
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	134,218	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	209
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	125.6	.....1945...	324
.....1945...	103.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	139
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	13,903	.....1945...	206
.....1945...	7,708	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	135
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	115.74	.....1945...	173
.....1945...	74.30	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	100
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	74.30	.....1945...	128
.....1945...		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	62
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	56
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	901	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	25
.....1944...	1,222	.....1945...	30
.....acres 1949...	71,963	220 to 239 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1944...	89,123	.....1945...	13
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	96	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	67
.....1944...	52	.....1945...	49
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	66	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	19
.....1944...	104	.....1945...	15
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	121	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	198	.....1945...	17
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	221	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	343	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	205	White operators.....number 1950...	860
.....1944...	332	.....1945...	966
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	123	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	209
.....1944...	122	.....1945...	342
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	69	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	65	Full owners.....number 1950...	429
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	330	.....1945...	416
.....1944...	50	Part owners.....number 1950...	240
.....acres 1949...	9,714	.....1945...	244
.....1944...	1,936	Managers.....number 1950...	9
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	199	.....1945...	18
.....1944...	5,875	All tenants.....number 1950...	391
.....acres 1949...	1,100	.....1945...	630
.....1944...	43	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	86.5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....1945...	48.2
.....1944...	43	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	39
.....acres 1949...	4,452	.....1945...	42
.....1944...	3,778	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	14
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	113	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	52	Share tenants.....number 1950...	195
.....acres 1949...	11,907	.....1945...	372
.....1944...	2,625	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	195
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	394	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	108
.....1944...	622	.....1945...	209
.....acres 1949...	9,026	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
.....1944...	24,053	.....1945...	5
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	931	Other tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	923	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
.....acres 1949...	21,281	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	13,083	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	251
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	38	.....1945...	116
.....1944...	56	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	823
.....acres 1949...	6,764	.....1945...	398
.....1944...	5,990	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	828
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.01
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	367
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	112
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	281
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	558
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	166
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	33
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		.....number 1950...	10
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		.....number 1950...	7
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	27
		.....number 1950...	33
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	3
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	966		
.....1945...	1,203		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	74		
.....1945...	97		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	204		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	223		
.....1944...	121		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	157		
.....1944...	53		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	210	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	89
1945.....	242	General farms.....number 1950...	65
number 1950.....	304	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	56
1945.....	376	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	10
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	458	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	20
1945.....	250	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	291
number 1950.....	685		
1945.....	396		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	442	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
number 1950.....	662	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	281
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more)..number 1950.....	28
number 1950.....	15	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999)..number 1950.....	81
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	8	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999)..number 1950.....	148
number 1950.....	8	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999)..number 1950.....	184
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	776	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499)..number 1950.....	208
1945.....	746	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>2</sup> ..number 1950.....	167
number 1950.....	954	Other farms.....number 1950.....	246
1945.....	889	Part-time <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	70
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	176
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	221	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
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...	373	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	398	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,810,014
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	39	1944.....	4,483,296
		1949.....	4,808,793
		1944.....	5,920,494
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>4</sup></b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,114,857
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,785,247
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	116	1944.....	180,134
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	416	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	145,458
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	406	1944.....	8,597
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	135	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	85,836
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	1944.....	55,948
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,820
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	785	1944.....	1,000,007
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	46	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	566,611
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	80	1944.....	697,428
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	415,808
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.8	1944.....	415,808
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	50,500
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	288	1944.....	42,850
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	759	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	282,879
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	70	1944.....	106,769
		1949.....	858
		1944.....	2,827
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>5</sup></b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	801
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	971	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	414
persons 1950.....	2,718	1945.....	565
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	881	number 1950.....	872
Operators.....persons 1950.....	905	1945.....	1,138
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	272	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	742
persons 1950.....	413	1945.....	1,107
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	320	number 1950.....	2,177
persons 1950.....	1,395	1945.....	3,753
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>6</sup></b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	944	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	924
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	708	1945.....	1,221
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	415	number 1950.....	18,460
dollars 1949.....	95,202	1945.....	16,215
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	653	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	913
dollars 1949.....	1,546,819	1945 <sup>7</sup> .....	1,200
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	711	number 1950.....	7,632
dollars 1949.....	351,649	1945 <sup>7</sup> .....	9,172
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	572	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	884
dollars 1949.....	219,712	number 1950.....	4,922
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	501	1945.....	589
dollars 1949.....	68,367	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,670
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	597	number 1950.....	355
dollars 1949.....	887,770	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	924
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	427	number 1950.....	463
dollars 1949.....	178,214	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,054
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	408	number 1950.....	63
dollars 1949.....	83,234	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	60
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		1944.....	1,148,609
No sales.....number 1950...	75	gallons 1949.....	1,159,420
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	101	dollars 1949.....	657,070
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	43	1944.....	5
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	34	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	120	number 1950.....	210
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	83	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	800
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	160	1944.....	800
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	132	dollars 1949.....	800
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	108	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	6
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	104	dollars 1949.....	5
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	109		
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		<b>HOGS</b>	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	666	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	666
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	12	1945.....	1,080
Cotton.....number 1950...	34	number 1950.....	5,176
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	620	1945.....	7,548
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	608
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	2,653
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	48	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	2,897
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	778
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	584
		number 1950.....	1,484
		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.

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<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	37	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	36	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	388	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1945.....	320	1944.....	1
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	34	1944.....	1
number 1950.....	258	bushels 1949.....	10
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	29	1944.....	10
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	24	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	155	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	215	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	23	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	103	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	26	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	180	1944.....	20
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	13	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	18	tons cut 1949...	
number shorn 1949.....	174	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	923	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	700	1944.....	4
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949...	77
		1944.....	77
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		bushels 1949...	1,476
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	914	1944.....	1,749
1945.....	1,204	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number 1950.....	44,867	1944.....	13
1945.....	83,677	acres 1949...	77
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	110	1944.....	91
number 1949.....	18,474	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
dollars 1949.....	21,486	1944.....	56
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	445	acres 1949...	6,711
dozens 1949.....	67,357	1944.....	5,990
dollars 1949.....	26,781	162-lb. barrels 1949...	67,427
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	36	1944.....	62,343
number 1950.....	211	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	48	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	586
1944.....	51	acres grown alone 1949...	3,626
number 1949.....	545	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	3,545
1944.....	560	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12,275
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	29,494
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	23
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	510	acres grown alone 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	289,469	acres grown with other crops 1949...	163
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	360	bushels 1949...	46
1944.....	332	1944.....	206
number 1949...	3,256	acres grown with other crops 1949...	135
1944.....	2,680	tons 1949...	437
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	172	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	1,195	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	14
dollars 1949...	123,278	1944.....	34
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	307	acres grown alone 1949...	174
number 1949...	2,061	acres grown with other crops 1949...	554
dollars 1949...	96,598	1944.....	3,363
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	278	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12,564
1944.....	117	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	77
number 1949...	2,275	acres grown alone 1949...	68
1944.....	1,028	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	11
dollars 1949...	67,898	acres grown with other crops 1949...	605
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	76
1944.....	3	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	113	1944.....	3
1944.....	26	acres grown alone 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	1,310	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	bushels 1949...	2
number 1949...	18	1944.....	2
dollars 1949...	885	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres grown alone 1949...	26
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	645	bu. in shells 1949...	8
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	332	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
number 1949...	587	tons 1949...	2
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	7	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	18	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	18	1944.....	2
1944.....	105	acres grown alone 1949...	2
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	330	acres grown with other crops 1949...	55
1944.....	223	1944.....	577
number 1949...	569	acres grown alone 1949...	1
1944.....	359	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	569	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1944.....	908	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
number 1949...	1,645	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	55
1944.....	3,523	acres grown alone 1949...	577
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	26	acres grown alone 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	2,348	1944.....	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
Corn:		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	766	1944.....	1
1944.....	1,131	acres grown alone 1949...	1
acres 1949...	17,331	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	2
1944.....	30,934	acres grown with other crops 1949...	100
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	749	pounds 1949...	700
1944.....	1,123	1944.....	
acres 1949...	17,231	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
1944.....	30,434	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949...	255,457	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	374,114	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
Sorghums:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	3	acres grown alone 1949...	63
1944.....	4	bushels 1949...	
acres 1949...	20		
1944.....	18		

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

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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...	384	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	3,735	acres 1949.....	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	6	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	4	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	150
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1949.....	211
1944.....	3	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949.....	121	acres 1949.....	12
1944.....	40	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	221	1944.....	63
1944.....	87	acres 1949.....	13
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1944.....	100
1944.....	23	acres 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	246	1944.....	2
1944.....	238	acres 1949.....	244
1944.....	477	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	899	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	1	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	246	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	3	24-pt. crates 1949...	38
1944.....	490	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	432
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	296	1945.....	113
acres 1949.....	3,050	acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> .....	309
1944.....	8,132	1945.....	253
1944.....	3,427	1945.....	16
1944.....	10,499	1945.....	5
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	46
acres 1949.....		1945.....	37
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	46
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2
		1944.....	4
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	65
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	141
1944.....	19	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	275
acres 1949.....	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	210
1944.....	2,000	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	65
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	34
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	326	1944.....	47
1944.....	689	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	205
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	152	1945.....	226
1944.....	797	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,411
1944.....	9,688	1945.....	2,462
1944.....	36,694	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	536
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	816	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	678
1944.....	770	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,317
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	578	1944.....	2,025
1944.....	1,537	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
1944.....	32,784	1945.....	36
1944.....	50,324	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	182
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	327	1945.....	272
1944.....	376	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	91
acres 1949.....	2,542	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	91
1944.....	2,169	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	11
1944.....	1,426	1944.....	13
1944.....	1,448	Figs.....farms reporting 1950.....	310
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,613
acres 1949.....	32	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,002
gallons 1949.....	5,710	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,615
1944.....	787	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	31,331
1944.....	1,078	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
acres 1949.....	82,719	1945.....	7
1944.....	84,431	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	79
1944.....	561,646	1945.....	46
1944.....	609,557	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	26
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	501	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	53
acres 1949.....	2,385	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	341
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	561	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	148
1944.....	1,133	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,224
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	220	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,025
1944.....	281	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,199
acres 1949.....	827	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	19,176
1944.....	1,316	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	151
1944.....	130,136	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,636
1944.....	148,952	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	464
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,172
1944.....	34	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	30,219
acres 1949.....	20	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
1944.....	91	1945.....	
1944.....	13	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	34
acres 1949.....	18	1945.....	
1944.....	15	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
1944.....	192	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	32
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	5
1944.....	8	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	232
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	6,374
1944.....	42	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,646
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,228
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,779
		1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	2,200

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>5</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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 681 1945... 645	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 144 1945... 162
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 401,920 1945... 27.9	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 18 1945... 47
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 27.9 1945... 50,015	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 186 1945... 115
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 38,428 1945... 38,448	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 171 1945... 158
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 9,897 1945... 111,989	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 82 1945... 92
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 98,947 1945... 164.4	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 44 1945... 53
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 158.4 1945... 14,827	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 39 1945... 48
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 14,827 1945... 9,136	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 39 1945... 31
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 99.21 1945... 59.55	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 25 1945... 19
		180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 11
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... 2
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 498 1944... 492	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 33 1945... 18
		500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 17 1945... 14
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 162 1944... 153	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 28 1945... 20
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 91 1944... 91	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 44 1944... 67	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 58 1944... 63	White operators.....number	1950... 450 1945... 403
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 59 1944... 55	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 222 1945... 242
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 58 1944... 34	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 31 1944... 29	Full owners.....number	1950... 322 1945... 319
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 219 1944... 188	Part owners.....number	1950... 114 1945... 57
		Managers.....number	1950... 17 1945... 13
acres 1949... 18,716 1944... 14,726		All tenants.....number	1950... 227 1945... 256
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 187 1944... 8,222	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 33.8 1945... 39.7
		Cash tenants.....number	1950... 120 1945... 197
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 127 1944... 109	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 23 1945... 3
		Share tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... 55
acres 1949... 13,505 1944... 9,830		Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... 42
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 143 1944... 62	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 15 1945... 27
		Croppers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 15
acres 1949... 22,642 1944... 4,715		Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 15 1945... 12
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 121 1944... 305	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
		Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 99 1945... 44
acres 1949... 8,223 1944... 17,866		Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 558 1945... 339
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 573 1944... 605	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 558 1945... 5.88
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 275 1945... 107
acres 1949... 5,590 1944... 5,047		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 109 1945... 103
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 4 1944... 2	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 359 1945... 165
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 34 1945... 17
acres 1949... 1,538 1944... 558		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 32 1945... 33
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 4 1944... 2	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 2 1945... 2
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 27 1945... 27
acres 1949... 254 1944... 247		Grain combines.....number	1950... 3 1945... 5
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 2 1945... 2
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 586 1945... 626	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 3 1945... 3
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 85 1945... 19	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 380	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 304 1944... 278		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 254 1944... 247		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945.....	165 113 294 173	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry..... number 1950.....	48
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945.....	230 105 416 250	General farms..... number 1950.....	8
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945.....	230 397	Primarily crop..... number 1950.....	8
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945.....	6 11	Primarily livestock..... number 1950.....	8
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945.....	6 8	Crop and livestock..... number 1950.....	.....
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945.....	380 277 565 725	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms..... number 1950.....	89
Farms by class of work power:		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	178	Commercial farms..... number 1950.....	34
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more)..... number 1950.....	34
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	212	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999)..... number 1950.....	43
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	220	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999)..... number 1950.....	94
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999)..... number 1950.....	21
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499)..... number 1950.....	26
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199)..... number 1950.....	26
		Other farms..... number 1950.....	87
		Part-time <sup>1</sup> ..... number 1950.....	128
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold)..... number 1950.....	28
		Abnormal <sup>2</sup> ..... number 1950.....	1
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All farm products sold..... dollars 1949.....	3,242,628
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	110	..... dollars 1944.....	2,322,142
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	317	All crops sold..... dollars 1949.....	2,458,458
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	96	..... dollars 1944.....	2,074,487
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	147	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold..... dollars 1949.....	2,458,540
Average distance reported..... miles 1950.....	6	..... dollars 1944.....	2,021,627
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Vegetables sold..... dollars 1949.....	14,441
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	545	..... dollars 1944.....	24,933
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	Fruits and nuts sold..... dollars 1949.....	13,688
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	..... dollars 1944.....	28,847
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	4	Horticultural specialties sold..... dollars 1949.....	6,600
Average distance reported..... miles 1950.....	0.2	..... dollars 1944.....	.....
Kind of road on which farm is located:		All livestock and livestock products sold..... dollars 1949.....	785,624
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	..... dollars 1944.....	231,610
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	515	Dairy products sold..... dollars 1949.....	146,521
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	..... dollars 1944.....	44,345
		Poultry and poultry products sold..... dollars 1949.....	26,552
		..... dollars 1944.....	79,531
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold..... dollars 1949.....	568,127
		..... dollars 1944.....	165,281
		Forest products sold..... dollars 1949.....	15,442
		..... dollars 1944.....	25,721
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	55
Most preceding enumeration:		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	527	..... number 1945.....	1,025
Handy workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,877	Mules and male colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	75
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	508	..... number 1945.....	324
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	487	..... number 1945.....	32
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	218	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
..... persons 1950.....	347	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	48
..... persons 1945.....	165	..... number 1945.....	57
..... persons 1940.....	843	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	10,521
		..... number 1945.....	43
		..... number 1940.....	51
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,241
		..... number 1945.....	38
		..... number 1940.....	1,646
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	271
		..... number 1945.....	2,253
		..... number 1940.....	12
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,441
		..... number 1945.....	24
		..... number 1940.....	2,375
		Calved heep since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
		..... number 1945.....	12
		..... number 1940.....	276,021
		Whole milk sold..... gallons 1949.....	121,546
		..... gallons 1944.....	148,557
		Cream sold..... dollars 1949.....	1,195
		..... dollars 1944.....	688
		..... pounds of butterfat 1949.....	.....
		..... pounds 1944.....	.....
		Milk, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold..... dollars 1949.....	.....
		..... dollars 1944.....	159
		<b>PIGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	58
		..... number 1945.....	45
		..... number 1940.....	2,741
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	34
		..... number 1945.....	1,711
		..... number 1940.....	159
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	152
		..... number 1945.....	15
		..... number 1940.....	33
		Cows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	152
		..... number 1945.....	152
		..... number 1940.....	55

\*The term "farm" is defined as the place where the operator either reports 100 days or more of off-farm work or reports other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold. It includes buildings, land, and other farm community projects, etc. and does not include the land and buildings of the tenant or sharecropper.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	5	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	477	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	822	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	10	acres 1949.....	30
number 1950.....	280	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	bushels 1949.....	450
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	4	1944.....	
number 1950.....	285	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	150	acres 1949.....	65
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	tons..green weight 1949.....	390
number 1950.....	45	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	8	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	197	tons cut 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Small grains:	
1944.....	4	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
number shorn 1949.....	412	1944.....	2
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,744	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	725	1944.....	4
Average date of enumeration..... 1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949.....	50
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	33
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950.....	557	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
1945.....	570	1944.....	8
number 1950.....	29,439	acres 1949.....	178
1945.....	33,947	1944.....	280
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	55	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
number 1949.....	4,052	1944.....	2
dollars 1949.....	5,101	acres 1949.....	1,538
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	151	1944.....	556
dozens 1949.....	45,912	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	23,600
dollars 1949.....	19,538	1944.....	4,472
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	289	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	316
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....	38	acres grown alone 1949.....	1,530
1944.....	6	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,116
number 1949.....	365	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	6,534
1944.....	57	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	6,254
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	297	1944.....	1
dollars 1949.....	540,130	acres grown alone 1949.....	41
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	234	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	69	bushels 1949.....	372
number 1949.....	5,747	1944.....	3
1944.....	2,452	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	99
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949.....	101	acres grown alone 1949.....	386
number 1949.....	3,092	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	430
dollars 1949.....	338,336	tons 1949.....	513
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	202	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	25
number 1949.....	2,655	acres grown alone 1949.....	9
dollars 1949.....	155,777	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	164
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	233
1944.....	41	acres grown alone 1949.....	1,194
number 1949.....	1,738	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	5,940
1944.....	619	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	13
dollars 1949.....	42,415	acres grown alone 1949.....	46
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	190
1944.....	4	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	37
number 1949.....	244	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	233
1944.....	186	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
dollars 1949.....	1,351	1944.....	4
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	acres grown alone 1949.....	1
number 1949.....	32	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	1,651	bushels 1949.....	5
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	112
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	303	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	46	acres grown alone 1949.....	1
number 1949.....	90	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	bu. in shells 1949.....	3
1944.....	5	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
number 1949.....	3	acres grown alone 1949.....	5
1944.....	255	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	3
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	44	tons 1949.....	4
1944.....	15	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1949.....	87	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1944.....	241	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	295	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	12
1944.....	392	acres grown alone 1949.....	26
number 1949.....	703	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	34
1944.....	1,178	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	1944.....	15
dollars 1949.....	742	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Corn:		acres grown alone 1949.....	3
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	411	1944.....	13
1944.....	454	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	8,601	pounds 1949.....	830
1944.....	14,950	1944.....	1,900
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	409	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	436	acres grown alone 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	8,528	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	14,654	tons 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	170,311	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	316,548	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Sorghums:		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	bushels 1949.....	13
1944.....	1		
acres 1949.....	95		
1944.....	1		

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

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<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	316	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	24
1945.....	232	General farms.....number 1950.....	29
number 1950.....	349	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	19
1945.....	240	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	10
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	91	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	20
1945.....	35	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	793
number 1950.....	92		
1945.....	37	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	61	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	220
1945.....	62	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	10
1945.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	10
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	63
1945.....	291	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	132
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	322	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	773
1945.....	321	Other farms.....number 1950.....	191
1945.....	329	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	582
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	582
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	243	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	385	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	273	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	479,461
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	52	1944.....	826,977
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	40	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	233,715
		1944.....	543,953
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	209,187
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	455,817
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	23,083
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	401	1944.....	66,931
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,773
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	145	1944.....	22,559
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	73
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	626
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	400	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	187,779
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	1944.....	242,184
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	285	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	54,343
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	15	1944.....	74,282
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	27,482
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	95,180
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	230	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	105,994
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	261	1944.....	72,722
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	425	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	37,966
		1944.....	38,458
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	727
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	711	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	412
persons 1950.....	965	1945.....	462
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	706	number 1950.....	552
Operators.....persons 1950.....	641	1945.....	664
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	211	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	460
persons 1950.....	233	1945.....	949
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	41	number 1950.....	642
persons 1950.....	91	1945.....	1,465
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	861
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	656	1945.....	1,220
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	181	number 1950.....	4,826
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	85	1945.....	8,602
1943.....	4,235	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	840
1944.....	141	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,168
1949.....	37,230	number 1950.....	2,774
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	601	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	4,488
1948.....	112,855	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	877
1949.....	112,855	number 1950.....	2,048
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	316	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	452
dollars 1949.....	41,535	number 1950.....	949
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	356	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	285
dollars 1949.....	13,800	number 1950.....	543
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	136	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	763
dollars 1949.....	20,450	number 1950.....	763
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	36
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	2,085	1944.....	88
dollars 1949.....	1,600	gallons 1949.....	82,974
		1944.....	155,830
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	45
No sales.....number 1950.....	202	1944.....	4
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	380	pounds of butterfat 1949...	6,576
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	69	1944.....	2,040
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	109	dollars 1949...	3,650
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	100	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	32
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	64	1949.....	2,134
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	44		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	20	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	650
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	1,080
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	5	number 1950.....	5,247
		1945.....	9,111
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	554
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	103	number 1950.....	3,208
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	324
Cotton.....number 1950.....	102	number 1950.....	2,039
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	256
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	10	1945.....	334
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	525
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	34	1945.....	738
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....		

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950... ..	3	Sorghums—Continued	
.....number 1950... ..	18	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
.....number 1945... ..		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Sheep and lambs born before		.....acres 1944... ..	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... ..		.....bushels 1949... ..	
.....number 1950... ..		.....acres 1944... ..	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... ..		Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
.....number 1950... ..	2	.....acres 1949... ..	
.....number 1945 <sup>1</sup> ... ..	15	.....tons..green weight 1949... ..	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... ..		Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....number 1950... ..		for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	15
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 194 <sup>o</sup> .....farms reporting 1950... ..		.....acres 1949... ..	32
.....number 1950... ..		.....tons out 1949... ..	13
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... ..		Small grains:	
.....number shorn 1949... ..		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	14
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... ..		.....acres 1944... ..	
.....pounds 1944... ..		.....acres 1949... ..	134
Average date of enumeration.....1950... ..	Apr.15-Apr.28	.....bushels 1949... ..	2,501
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		.....acres 1944... ..	
Citizens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... ..	902	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... ..	41
.....number 1945... ..	1,280	.....acres 1944... ..	
.....number 1950... ..	24,301	.....acres 1949... ..	98
.....number 1945... ..	45,282	.....acres 1944... ..	180
Citizens sold.....farms reporting 1949... ..	196	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... ..	413
.....number 1949... ..	8,268	.....acres 1944... ..	
.....dollars 1949... ..	9,009	.....acres 1949... ..	
Citizens eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... ..	289	.....acres 1944... ..	
.....dozens 1949... ..	32,209	.....162-lb. barrels 1949... ..	
.....dollars 1949... ..	13,798	.....1944... ..	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... ..	38	Annual legumes:	
.....number 1950... ..	145	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	61
Chickens raised.....farms reporting 1949... ..	44	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	108
.....number 1944... ..	21	.....acres grown alone 1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	385
.....number 1949... ..	911	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	15
.....number 1944... ..	143	.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	3
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		.....acres grown alone 1944... ..	7
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	524	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	6
.....dollars 1949... ..	104,291	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	376	.....bushels 1949... ..	26
.....number 1944... ..	367	.....acres 1944... ..	1,097
.....number 1949... ..	918	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	45
.....number 1944... ..	1,280	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	67
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... ..	180	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	6
.....number 1949... ..	345	.....tons 1949... ..	71
.....dollars 1949... ..	32,803	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	291	for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	9
.....number 1949... ..	573	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	24
.....dollars 1949... ..	30,782	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	9
Eggs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	287	Soybeans plowed under for green	
.....number 1944... ..	221	manure.....farms reporting 1949... ..	4
.....number 1949... ..	2,167	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	11
.....dollars 1944... ..	1,659	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
.....dollars 1949... ..	38,202	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	338
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..		.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	798
.....number 1944... ..	1	.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	2,933
.....number 1949... ..		.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	66
.....dollars 1944... ..	14	.....acres 1944 <sup>2</sup> ... ..	52
.....dollars 1949... ..		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..	181
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... ..	46	.....acres grown alone 1944... ..	576
.....number 1949... ..	53	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	348
.....dollars 1949... ..	2,504	.....bushels 1949... ..	15
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		.....bushels 1944... ..	3,299
Cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	622	.....bushels 1944... ..	15,966
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	68	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..	151
.....number 1949... ..	84	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	216
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... ..	1	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	26
.....number 1944... ..	145	bu. in shells 1949... ..	2,530
.....number 1949... ..	1	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	27
.....dollars 1944... ..	554	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	87
.....dollars 1949... ..	67	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	1
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	21	.....tons 1949... ..	75
.....number 1944... ..	83	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....number 1949... ..	24	for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	33
.....dollars 1944... ..	612	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	100
.....dollars 1949... ..	1,149	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,727	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
.....number 1944... ..	3,680	manure.....farms reporting 1949... ..	15
.....number 1949... ..		.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	47
.....dollars 1944... ..		.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	22
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	140
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... ..	23	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	184
.....dollars 1949... ..	1,577	.....acres 1944... ..	542
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
Corn:		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	601	threshing.....farms reporting 1949... ..	81
.....acres 1944... ..	1,113	.....acres grown alone 1944... ..	32
.....acres 1949... ..	4,254	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	92
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... ..	10,685	.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>3</sup> ... ..	65
.....acres 1944... ..	598	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... ..	1,109	.....pounds 1949... ..	19,414
.....acres 1944... ..	4,231	.....pounds 1944... ..	10,370
.....bushels 1949... ..	10,610	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
.....bushels 1944... ..	74,605	or forage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	52
Sorghums:	95,290	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	70
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949... ..	15	.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
.....acres 1944... ..	70	.....tons 1949... ..	77
.....acres 1949... ..	32	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	3
.....acres 1944... ..	81	.....acres grown alone 1949... ..	5
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	1
		.....bushels 1949... ..	1 <sup>o</sup>

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	108	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949...	987	acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944...	1	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	12	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	10	acres 1949...	(*) 3
tons 1949...	12	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	24	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	6	acres 1949...	(*) 2
acres 1949...	6	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944...	5	acres 1949...	149
tons 1949...	5	1944...	10
1944...	.....	acres 1949...	123
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	75
1944...	13	acres 1949...	330
acres 1949...	145	1944...	15
1944...	52	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	180		
1944...	63	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	73	acres 1949...	(*) 1
acres 1949...	73	24-pt. crates 1949...	12
1944...	68		
tons 1949...	68	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	371
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	79	1945...	69
acres 1949...	750	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	102
1944...	607	1945...	135
tons 1949...	664	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	194
1944...	641	farms reporting 1950...	388
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,260
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	2,628
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	629
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	631
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	238
		1944...	2,308
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	231
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	509
1944...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,062
acres 1949...	41	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,266
1944...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,796
pounds 1949...	7,200	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	523
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3,000	1944...	8,571
1944...	880	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	196
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	125	1945...	334
1944...	868	trees of all ages..number 1950...	987
bushels 1949...	9,847	1945...	1,464
1944...	58,055	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	255
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	415	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	732
1944...	890	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	512
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	180	1944...	3,217
1944...	810	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	59
bushels 1949...	15,910	1945...	19
1944...	68,297	acres 1950...	304
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	317	1945...	120
1944...	909	trees of all ages..number 1950...	127
acres 1949...	2,261	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	177
1944...	6,974	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	32
bales 1949...	1,321	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	55
1944...	3,338	1944...	109
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	312
acres 1949...	31	1945...	177
gallons 1949...	2,808	trees of all ages..number 1950...	135
1944...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,854
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	47
1944...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12
tons 1949...	.....	1945...	134
1944...	.....	acres 1950...	70
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	102
1944...	.....	vines of all ages..number 1950...	32
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	130
1944...	.....	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	330
tons 1949...	.....	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
1944...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944...	.....
acres 1949...	.....	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	188
1944...	.....	1945...	1,042
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	798	trees of all ages..number 1950...	326
1944...	1,219	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	716
1944...	84	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,756
1944...	37	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	369	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	21
1944...	754	1945...	84
tons 1949...	23,083	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7
1944...	66,953	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	77
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	500
1944...	32	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4
acres 1949...	4	1945...	1
1944...	19	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,450
1944...	13	1945...	8
acres 1949...	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,450
1944...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
1944...	11	1944...	100
acres 1949...	10	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
1944...	3	1945...	.....
1944...	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
1944...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
1944...	11	quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	.....
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
 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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	254	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	104
.....1945...	820	.....1945...	154
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	261,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	28
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	12.0	.....1945...	55
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	12,858	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	76
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	19,409	.....1945...	99
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	116	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	76
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	825	.....1945...	92
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	31,540	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...	10,475	.....1945...	31
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	124.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	32.7	.....1945...	7
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	20,703	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	14
.....1945...	7,543	.....1945...	6
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	160.56	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	7
.....1945...	224.34	.....1945...	6
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	4
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	89	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	175	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	4
.....acres 1949...	2,195	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	2,663	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	3
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	120	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	2
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	18	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	3
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	15	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	8
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	10		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	7	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 139 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	White operators.....number 1950...	244
.....1944...	4	.....1945...	302
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	10
.....1944...	1	.....1945...	18
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	94	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	17	Full owners.....number 1950...	173
.....acres 1949...	5,648	.....1945...	206
.....1944...	496	Part owners.....number 1950...	21
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	38	.....1945...	37
.....1944...	562	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	242	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	57	All tenants.....number 1950...	52
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....1945...	73
.....1944...	5,352	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	20.5
.....acres 1949...	195	.....1945...	22.8
.....1944...	31	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	54
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	19	.....1945...	60
.....1944...	10,014	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	939	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	53	Share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	178	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	6,813	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	3,388	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	183	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	256	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	1,456	Croppers.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	2,557	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	.....	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	16
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	12
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	2
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	14
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>A</sup></b>	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	280	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	136
.....1945...	285	.....1945...	103
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	19	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	257
.....1945...	85	.....1945...	275
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	122	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	257
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	120	.....1945...	7,18
.....1944...	115	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	.....
.....1944...	115	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	86
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	108	.....1945...	75
.....1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	96
		.....1945...	190
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		.....1945...	11
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		.....1945...	1
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....1945...	1
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....1945...	14
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		.....1945...	11
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	19
		.....1945...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	119	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	17
.....1945.....	150	General farms.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	171	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	194	.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	98	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	50	.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	122	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	71	.....number 1950.....	148
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	93	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	102	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	122
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	20
.....number 1950.....	15	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	31
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	24
.....number 1950.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	18
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	13
.....1945.....	190	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	204	Other farms.....number 1950.....	152
.....1945.....	221	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	23
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	109
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	72	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	52	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,291,458
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	.....1944.....	1,607,181
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	204,089
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944.....	209,834
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,883
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	.....1944.....	2,884
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	188	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	55,411
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	.....1944.....	158,582
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	255
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	588
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	143,040
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	186	.....1944.....	48,030
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,086,787
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	.....1944.....	1,397,527
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	855,744
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2	.....1944.....	1,251,695
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	86,200
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	156	.....1944.....	45,365
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	87	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	214,823
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....		.....1944.....	100,047
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	600
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	228	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
.....persons 1950.....	478	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	115
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	211	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	82
.....persons 1950.....	190	.....1945.....	82
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	82	.....number 1950.....	345
.....persons 1950.....	107	.....1945.....	250
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	82	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	49
.....persons 1950.....	181	.....1945.....	94
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>4</sup></b>		.....number 1950.....	72
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	259	.....1945.....	184
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	115	<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	40	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	170
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	2,550	.....1945.....	263
.....dollars 1949.....	108	.....number 1950.....	5,972
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	252,778	.....1945.....	7,943
.....dollars 1949.....	193	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	157
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	579,398	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	258
.....dollars 1949.....	108	.....number 1950.....	5,227
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	108	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	5,897
.....dollars 1949.....	54,902	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	142
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	144	.....number 1950.....	2,541
.....dollars 1949.....	69,880	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	100
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	84	.....number 1950.....	781
.....dollars 1949.....	7,820	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	79
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	25	.....number 1950.....	1,397
.....dollars 1949.....	2,455	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	96
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....number 1950.....	587
No sales.....number 1950.....	49	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	62
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	60	.....1944.....	88
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	4	.....gallons 1949.....	1,476,502
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	13	.....1944.....	2,652,205
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	13	.....dollars 1949.....	824,744
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	9	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	13	.....1944.....	2
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	15	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	14,600
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	8	.....1944.....	5,274
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	19	.....dollars 1949.....	11,000
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	51	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....dollars 1949.....	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....		<b>HOGS</b>	
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	63
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	59
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	69
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	28	.....1945.....	1,081
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	48
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	50	.....number 1950.....	428
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	18	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	50
		.....number 1950.....	261
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	18
		.....1945.....	22
		.....number 1950.....	73
		.....1945.....	121

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	7	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	10	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	176	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	299	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	7	1944.....	
number 1950.....	125	bushels 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	6	1944.....	
1945.....	6	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	105	acres 1949.....	20
1945.....	140	tons..green weight 1949...	150
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6		
number 1950.....	18	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	For dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	58	acres 1949.....	
1949.....	58	tons cut 1949...	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	6		
1944.....	6	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949.....	153	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1949.....	490	1944.....	1
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,551	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1,551	1944.....	45
1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	425
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	160	1944.....	2
1945.....	281	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	12,898	1944.....	8
1945.....	24,849	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35	1944.....	
number 1949.....	14,452	acres 1949.....	
1949.....	17,906	1944.....	
Chickens eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	53	162-lb. barrels 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	52,088	1944.....	
1949.....	16,025		
1950.....	21	Annual legumes:	
1949.....	108	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1949.....	25	acres grown alone 1949...	84
1944.....	19	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	279
number 1949.....	399	acres grown with other crops 1949...	79
1944.....	176	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	42
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
		bushels 1949...	10
		1944.....	
		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949.....	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		For silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		acres grown alone 1949...	84
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	77
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		acres grown alone 1949...	115
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	315
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	34
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	78
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944.....	5
		acres grown alone 1949...	50
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
		bushels 1949...	831
		1944.....	128
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		acres grown alone 1949...	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
		bu. in shells 1949...	151
		Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		tons 1949...	2
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		For silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	9
		acres grown alone 1949...	56
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	17
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		pounds 1949...	
		1944.....	
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres grown alone 1949...	16
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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.....	44	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
acres 1949.....	1,018	acres 1949.....	13
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	42	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	128	acres 1949.....	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949.....	12
acres 1949.....	6	acres 1949.....	3
tons 1949.....	530	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	12
acres 1949.....	52	acres 1949.....	4
tons 1949.....	305	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	21
acres 1949.....	72	acres 1949.....	41
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	46
acres 1949.....	12	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	57
tons 1949.....	12	acres 1949.....	22
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	22
acres 1949.....	157	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	158	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	29	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	525	24-pt. crates 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	721	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	264	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....		acres 1945.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ..	
tons..green weight 1949.....		acres 1945.....	
Field crops (other):		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	7
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1945.....	15
acres 1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	15
acres 1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	13
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1944.....		acres 1944.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
acres 1949.....	14	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	27
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	57
acres 1944.....	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	41
bushels 1949.....	722	trees of bearing age..number 1949.....	15
acres 1944.....	475	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	54
acres 1949.....	10	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	82
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	8	trees of all ages..number 1945.....	1,368
acres 1944.....	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	13
bushels 1949.....	584	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	776
acres 1944.....	487	trees of bearing age..number 1949.....	232
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	52
acres 1949.....		acres 1944.....	67
acres 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	21
acres 1944.....		acres 1945.....	11
bales 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	21
acres 1944.....		acres 1945.....	119
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for syrup.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	255
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	23
gallons 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		acres 1944.....	2
acres 1949.....		Figs.....farms reporting 1950.....	66
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	692
acres 1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	415
tons 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	459
acres 1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	4,499
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	19
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	5
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	72	vines of all ages..number 1945.....	2
acres 1944.....	147	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	51	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	15
acres 1949.....	84	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	37
acres 1944.....	858	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950.....	20
sold..dollars 1949.....	1,847	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,250
acres 1944.....	55,411	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	569
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	156,582	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	281
acres 1949.....	10	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,507
acres 1944.....	88	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
acres 1944.....	24	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	178
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	97	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	64
acres 1949.....	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	114
acres 1944.....	28	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	295
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	250	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	445	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1944.....	19	acres 1945.....	
acres 1944.....	51	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1944.....	122	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1944.....	215	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
		acres 1944.....	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	500
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	436
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	84
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ..	103
		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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,553	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	229
.....1945...	1,237	.....1945...	99
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	421,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	84
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	83.5	.....1945...	11
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	203,420	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	145
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	176,258	.....1945...	88
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	40,458	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	247
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	68,452	.....1945...	180
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	351,684	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	173
.....1945...	292,818	.....1945...	167
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	226.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	70
.....1945...	236.7	.....1945...	75
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	22,877	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	99
.....1945...	11,106	.....1945...	78
average per acre, dollars 1950*	105.93	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	89
.....1945...	46.92	.....1945...	72
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	103
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025	.....1945...	73
.....1944...	1,055	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	53
acres 1949...	120,015	.....1945...	69
.....1944...	116,381	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	54
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	159	.....1945...	207
.....1944...	172	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	221
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	138	.....1945...	145
.....1944...	148	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	139
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	83	.....1945...	51
.....1944...	96	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	26
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	97		
.....1944...	99	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	137	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	99	White operators.....number 1950...	1,468
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	201	.....1945...	1,148
.....1944...	227	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	85
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	210	.....1945...	89
.....1944...	214	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,033	Full owners.....number 1950...	707
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	882	.....1945...	469
acres 1949...	151,091	Part owners.....number 1950...	349
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	123,180	.....1945...	263
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	95	Managers.....number 1950...	13
.....1944...	4,984	.....1945...	2
acres 1949...	13,980	All tenants.....number 1950...	484
.....1944...	227	.....1945...	503
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	134	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	31.2
.....1944...	134	.....1945...	40.7
acres 1949...	18,784	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
.....1944...	7,940	.....1945...	16
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	160	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	51	.....1945...	1
acres 1949...	11,796	Share tenants.....number 1950...	345
.....1944...	2,599	.....1945...	414
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	255	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	344
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	118	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949...	25,849	.....1945...	27
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	15,622	Croppers.....number 1950...	26
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,403	.....1945...	88
.....1944...	1,217	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	46
acres 1949...	19,165	.....1945...	44
.....1944...	13,116	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	783	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1944...	780	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	464
acres 1949...	113,407	.....1945...	194
.....1944...	109,839	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,320
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945...	310
acres 1949...	154	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,314
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.31
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	717
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	386
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	580
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,074
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	470
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	13
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	318
		.....number 1950...	433
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1950...	44
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1

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



Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	259	Sorghums—Continued	
1945...	220	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950...	3,418	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1945...	3,668	1944...	15
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949...	5
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	247	1944...	40
number 1950...	2,213	bushels 1949...	126
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	232	1944...	387
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	151	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	1,954	1944...	
1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	2,267	acres 1949...	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	141	tons green weight 1949...	
number 1950...	259	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	202	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950...	1,205	1944...	8
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	172	acres 1949...	
1944...	132	tons cut 1949...	7
number shorn 1949...	1,884	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	9,161	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944...	9,565	1944...	86
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	1,046
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944...	1,976
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,353	bushels 1949...	20,398
1945...	1,194	1944...	37,116
number 1950...	53,256	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1945...	55,508	1944...	11
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	122	acres 1949...	260
number 1949...	26,252	1944...	144
dollars 1949...	25,378	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	783
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	682	1944...	780
1944...	92,821	acres 1949...	112,995
dollars 1949...	31,697	1944...	109,839
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	138	162-lb. barrels 1949...	1,414,237
number 1950...	889	1944...	1,142,876
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	156	Annual legumes:	
1944...	38	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	2,253	acres grown alone 1949...	5
1944...	628	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	11
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	1
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	938	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	1,110,517	1944...	1
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	839	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944...	501	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	14,166	bushels 1949...	
1944...	9,122	1944...	20
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	414	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	4,028	acres grown alone 1949...	
dollars 1949...	432,468	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	753	tons 1949...	
number 1949...	10,138	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	631,715	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	248	1944...	
1944...	104	acres grown alone 1949...	
number 1949...	1,414	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	1,042	Soybeans plowed under for green	
dollars 1949...	31,903	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	97	1944...	5
1944...	59	acres grown alone 1949...	
number 1949...	766	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	1,101	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	2
dollars 1949...	8,044	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	30
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	57	acres grown alone 1949...	35
number 1949...	204	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	98
dollars 1949...	6,387	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	177
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,030	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas..... reporting 1949...	9
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	527	1944...	54
number 1949...	953	acres grown alone 1949...	6
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	30	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	61	bushels 1949...	62
number 1949...	36	1944...	459
1944...	76	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	505	acres grown alone 1949...	15
1944...	122	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
number 1949...	917	bu. in silos 1949...	323
dollars 1949...	184	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	849	acres grown alone 1949...	6
1944...	853	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	2,039	tons 1949...	10
1944...	2,514	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	76	1944...	
dollars 1949...	1,281	acres grown alone 1949...	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Corn:		1944...	5
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	142	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944...	232	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	574	1944...	8
1944...	1,245	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	126	1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	25
1944...	198	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	487	pounds 1949...	721
1944...	1,107	1944...	4,659
bushels 1949...	10,487	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
1944...	14,253	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Sorghums:		1944...	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	9	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944...	31	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	13	tons 1949...	
1944...	69	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	95	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	2,054	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....		acres 1949.....	1
1944.....		Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	1
1944.....		Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	238	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	191	acres 1944.....	4
1944.....		acres 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	77	1944.....	3
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,476	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....	19	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,928	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	23	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		24-pt. crates 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	30	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	925
tons 1949.....	30	1945.....	53
1944.....		acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	315
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	1945.....	159
acres 1949.....	346	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
1944.....	10	1945.....	5
tons 1949.....	331	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	19
1944.....	10	1945.....	21
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	14
acres 1949.....	30	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
tons..green weight 1949.....	175	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		1944.....	1
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	107
1944.....	1	1945.....	239
acres 1949.....	228	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	377
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	234
pounds 1949.....	25,850	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	143
1944.....	150	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	44
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	256	1944.....	265
1944.....	288	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	462
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	60	1945.....	368
1944.....	263	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,030
bushels 1949.....	5,833	1945.....	2,222
1944.....	9,794	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	855
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	288	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,175
1944.....	343	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,039
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,228	1944.....	2,717
1944.....	762	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	47
bushels 1949.....	96,313	1945.....	52
1944.....	54,637	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	147
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	178	1945.....	332
1944.....	306	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	76
acres 1949.....	1,090	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	71
1944.....	1,847	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	161
bales 1949.....	615	1944.....	27
1944.....	1,146	Figs.....farms reporting 1950.....	730
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	1945.....	3,605
acres 1949.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,097
gallons 1949.....	208	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,508
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	63,473
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	88
1944.....		1945.....	28
tons 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	381
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	342
acres 1949.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	108
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	273
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,130	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,841
1944.....	1,163	1944.....	1,813
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950.....	493
1944.....	23	1945.....	6,879
acres 1949.....	7	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	671
1944.....	28	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6,208
sold..dollars 1949.....	564	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	92,147
1944.....	1,752	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	52
1944.....	1	1945.....	312
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	60
1944.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	252
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,956
1944.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
1944.....	1	1945.....	7
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3
1944.....	2	1945.....	55
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	3
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....	6	1944.....	2
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950.....	385
		1945.....	2,502
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,598
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	904
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	676
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,585
		1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>\*</sup>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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,977 1945... 3,152	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 232 1945... 104
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 181,120 1945... 72.8	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 38 1945... 6
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 76,505 1945... 78,144	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 98 1945... 950
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 22,866 1945... 131,783	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 909 1945... 1,185
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 131,783 1945... 151,177	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 1,407 1945... 324
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 44.3 1945... 48.0	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 430 1945... 137
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 8,757 1945... 4,453	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 175 1945... 64
Land in farms.....acres	1950*.. 186.64 1945... 92.83	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 58 1945... 28
Average size of farm.....acres	1950*.. 44.3 1945... 48.0	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 13
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*.. 8,757 1945... 4,453	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 7 1945... 15
.....average per acre, dollars	1950*.. 186.64 1945... 92.83	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 12 1945... 21
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 13
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 2,607 1944... 3,001	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 12 1945... 3
.....acres	1949... 79,905 1944... 94,672	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 4 1945... 4
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 242 1944... 198	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 575 1944... 605	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 948 1944... 1,065	White operators.....number	1950... 2,066 1945... 2,187
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 643 1944... 865	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 911 1945... 965
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 135 1944... 206	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 44 1944... 42	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,058 1945... 967
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 20 1944... 20	Part owners.....number	1950... 260 1945... 282
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1,137 1944... 911	Managers.....number	1950... 11 1945... 12
.....acres	1949... 21,082 1944... 11,379	All tenants.....number	1950... 1,648 1945... 1,891
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 277 1944... 3,280	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 55.4 1945... 60.0
.....acres	1949... 3,598 1944... 137	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 54 1945... 63
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 142 1944... 3,589	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 50 1945... 1,126
.....acres	1949... 2,297 1944... 67	Share tenants.....number	1950... 1,047 1945... 31
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 74 1944... 1,818	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 1,036 1945... 11
.....acres	1949... 2,788 1944... 2,005	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 428 1945... 559
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,342 1944... 2,005	Croppers.....number	1950... 69 1945... 112
.....acres	1949... 13,501 1944... 29,285	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 10 1945... 59
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,660 1944... 3,037	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 10 1945... 59
.....acres	1949... 8,608 1944... 7,158	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 101 1944... 126	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 228 1945... 69
.....acres	1949... 7,344 1944... 7,680	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,681 1945... 441
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,681 1945... 3,900
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 851 1945... 168
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,873 1945... 3,025	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 851 1945... 168
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 68 1945... 78	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 726 1945... 1,076
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 544	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 198 1945... 20
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 253 1944... 411	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 81 1945... 26
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 342 1944... 123	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 27 1945... ..
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 22 1945... 22
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 22 1945... 22
		.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... ..
		.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>A</sup>-Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	379	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	123
1945.....	199	General farms.....number 1950.....	282
number 1950.....	425	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	206
1945.....	221	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	7
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	296	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	4
1945.....	118	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	565
number 1950.....	403		
*1945.....	169	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
farms reporting 1950.....	250	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,427
number 1950.....	330	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	12
1945.....	16	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	49
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	120
number 1950.....	41	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	476
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	1,151
number 1950.....	1,399	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	619
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	907	Other farms.....number 1950.....	29
1945.....	1,512	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	28
number 1950.....	965	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	288
Farms by class of work power:	422	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	166	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,092	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,341,020
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	276	1944.....	5,249,666
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,072,979
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	1944.....	4,609,302
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD<sup>A</sup></b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,869,522
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	742	1944.....	4,500,343
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,874	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	38,287
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	233	1944.....	32,611
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,976
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2	1944.....	44,247
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	66	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	151,190
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	1,759	1944.....	32,101
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	325	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,268,041
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	600	1944.....	637,978
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	541,371
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	0.5	1944.....	344,933
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	79,573
Kind of road on which farm is located:	421	1944.....	97,664
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,900	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	647,097
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	575	1944.....	195,361
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	575	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>A</sup></b>		1944.....	2,388
Week preceding enumeration:	2,706	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,127	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,544
persons 1950.....	2,673	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,568
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,613	number 1950.....	3,993
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,198	1945.....	5,652
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,858	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,171
persons 1950.....	268	1945.....	2,336
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	656	number 1950.....	5,662
persons 1950.....	656	1945.....	5,942
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>A</sup></b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,700	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	7,578
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,635	1945.....	2,966
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	817	number 1950.....	25,918
1945.....	71,615	1945.....	29,809
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,360	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,599
dollars 1949.....	1,162,683	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	2,944
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,206	number 1950.....	14,822
dollars 1949.....	498,485	1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	17,629
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,545	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,480
dollars 1949.....	266,090	number 1950.....	10,770
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,949	1945.....	1,443
dollars 1949.....	147,340	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,876
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	880	number 1950.....	938
dollars 1949.....	202,402	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,987
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	224	number 1950.....	1,647
dollars 1949.....	67,852	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,250
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	990	number 1950.....	117
dollars 1949.....	77,322	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	68
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		1944.....	1,114,122
No sales.....number 1950.....	119	gallons 1949.....	1,083,638
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	179	1944.....	538,547
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	151	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	136	1944.....	1
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	324	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	3,969
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	635	1944.....	60
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	776	dollars 1949.....	2,350
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	395	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	7
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	119	dollars 1949.....	474
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	82	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	61	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,338
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		1945.....	2,717
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,910	number 1950.....	17,124
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	67	1945.....	18,082
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1,441	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,190
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	402	number 1950.....	7,412
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	10	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,445
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	9,712
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	87	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,373
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	2,214
		number 1950.....	2,001
		1945.....	3,305

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	101	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	95	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	773	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1945.....	872	1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	91	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	488	bushels 1949.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	85	1944.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	53	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	336	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	406	tons green weight 1949.....	.....
Fans and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	59	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	152	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	67	acres 1949.....	7
number 1950.....	285	tons cut 1949.....	2
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Small grains:	
1944.....	50	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number shorn 1949.....	267	1944.....	6
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,158	acres 1949.....	25
1944.....	1,390	1944.....	92
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949.....	500
		1944.....	1,558
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,618	1944.....	3
1945.....	2,949	acres 1949.....	19
number 1950.....	97,715	1944.....	49
1945.....	138,600	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	98
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	441	1944.....	126
number 1949.....	17,892	acres 1949.....	7,104
dollars 1949.....	23,060	1944.....	7,680
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,352	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	83,421
dollars 1949.....	158,056	1944.....	79,729
1945.....	52,733	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	100	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,154
number 1950.....	1,367	acres grown alone 1949...	2,114
1944.....	99	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,625
number 1949.....	41	acres grown with other crops 1949...	9,499
1944.....	656	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	24,723
1944.....	229	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	16
		1944.....	168
		acres grown alone 1949...	7
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	54
		bushels 1949.....	346
		1944.....	560
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24
		acres grown alone 1949...	30
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	139
		tons 1949.....	115
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	374
		acres grown alone 1949...	89
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,176
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	766
		acres grown alone 1949...	1,988
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	6,130
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	390
		acres grown alone 1949...	478
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	107
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,939
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,731
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	9
		1944.....	11
		acres grown alone 1949...	15
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	25
		bushels 1949.....	232
		1944.....	89
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		bu. in shells 1949.....	7
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	20
		acres grown alone 1949...	47
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	52
		tons 1949...	.....
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	155
		acres grown alone 1949...	5
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,475
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	229
		acres grown alone 1949...	438
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,392
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	97
		acres grown alone 1949...	43
		1944.....	.....
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	97
		1944.....	.....
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	.....
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		pounds 1949.....	6,510
		1944.....	.....
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		tons 1949.....	.....
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
		bushels 1949.....	32

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	1,157	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	5,707	acres 1949...	8
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	8	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	27	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	34	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	43	acres 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	22
acres 1949...	221	acres 1949...	76
tons 1949...	291	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	14
acres 1949...	294	acres 1949...	22
tons 1949...	458	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	115	acres 1949...	11
acres 1949...	71	acres 1949...	11
tons 1949...	1,036	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	1,051	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949...	1,214	acres 1949...	166
acres 1949...	1,401	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	2	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	5	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	32	24-pt. crates 1949...	50
acres 1949...	8	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,001	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,151
acres 1949...	4,328	acres 1945...	25
acres 1949...	6,668	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	232
tons 1949...	5,460	acres 1945...	54
acres 1949...	10,624	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	24
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945...	9
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	171
tons..green weight 1949...		acres 1945...	16
Field crops (other):		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	55
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	116
acres 1949...	115	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	205
pounds 1949...	10,400	acres 1944...	275
acres 1944...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	549
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	581	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,222
acres 1949...	1,088	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	725
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	1,777	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	497
bushels 1949...	1,457	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	405
bushels 1949...	11,763	acres 1944...	457
acres 1944...	70,657	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	516
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,992	acres 1945...	594
acres 1949...	2,489	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,782
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	12,072	acres 1945...	2,330
bushels 1949...	12,432	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	866
bushels 1949...	1,127,067	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	916
acres 1944...	1,396,335	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,915
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,196	acres 1944...	1,979
acres 1949...	2,615	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	160
acres 1949...	22,653	acres 1945...	91
acres 1949...	23,905	trees of all ages..number 1950...	455
bales 1949...	13,755	acres 1945...	386
acres 1944...	18,153	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	265
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	190
acres 1949...	23	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	413
gallons 1949...	1,871	acres 1944...	16
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	320	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	770
acres 1949...	767	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,306
acres 1949...	7,363	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,962
acres 1949...	9,383	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,344
tons 1949...	141,210	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	74,472
acres 1944...	133,698	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	35
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	83	acres 1945...	39
acres 1949...	783	vines of all ages..number 1950...	159
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,193	acres 1945...	139
acres 1944...	2,576	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	33
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	109	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	126
acres 1949...	115	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,282
acres 1949...	373	acres 1944...	187
acres 1944...	395	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	391
sold..dollars 1949...	38,287	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,451
acres 1949...	32,611	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,059
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	14	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,392
acres 1949...	33	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	80,978
acres 1949...	27	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	188
acres 1949...	51	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,347
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	534
acres 1949...	54	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,813
acres 1949...	16	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	99,931
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	117	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	7
acres 1949...	12	acres 1945...	1,247
acres 1949...	9	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	37	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1944...	23	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		acres 1944...	125
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	681
		acres 1945...	5,340
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,109
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,231
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	2,890
		acres 1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	4,200

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

\*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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
.....number 1950...	1,058	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	114
.....number 1945...	1,159	.....number 1945...	50
Climate land area.....acres 1950...	740,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....acres 1945...	740,480	.....number 1945...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	34.0	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	69
.....percent 1945...	34.0	.....number 1945...	28
Owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	61,421	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	228
.....acres 1945...	61,421	.....number 1945...	225
Rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	88,713	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	204
.....acres 1945...	88,713	.....number 1945...	255
Managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	142,874	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	122
.....acres 1945...	142,874	.....number 1945...	144
Rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,914	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	105
.....acres 1945...	18,914	.....number 1945...	169
In farms.....acres 1950...	252,035	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	78
.....acres 1945...	252,035	.....number 1945...	69
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	238.3	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	55
.....acres 1945...	238.3	.....number 1945...	72
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,961	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	39
.....average per farm, dollars 1945*	10,461	.....number 1945...	37
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	77.37	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....average per acre, dollars 1945*	54.61	.....number 1945...	29
In farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	48
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	794	.....number 1945...	51
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,143	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	21
.....acres 1949...	61,940	.....number 1945...	25
.....acres 1944...	78,091	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	54
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	151	.....number 1945...	53
.....farms reporting 1944...	158		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	158	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....farms reporting 1944...	245	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	100	White operators.....number 1950...	1,037
.....farms reporting 1944...	199	.....number 1945...	1,180
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	144	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	21
.....farms reporting 1944...	263	.....number 1945...	29
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	125	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	165	Full owners.....number 1950...	516
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	71	.....number 1945...	415
.....farms reporting 1944...	70	Part owners.....number 1950...	223
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	47	.....number 1945...	255
.....farms reporting 1944...	47	Managers.....number 1950...	22
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	188	.....number 1945...	80
.....farms reporting 1944...	38	All tenants.....number 1950...	294
.....acres 1949...	11,734	.....number 1945...	461
.....acres 1944...	4,705	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	27.8
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	369	.....percent 1945...	39.8
.....farms reporting 1944...	5,153	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	33
.....acres 1949...	154	.....number 1945...	60
.....acres 1944...	221	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	56,045	.....number 1945...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...	28,843	Share tenants.....number 1950...	176
.....acres 1949...	405	.....number 1945...	519
.....acres 1944...	715	.....number 1945...	174
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	37,101	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....farms reporting 1944...	54,228	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	24
.....acres 1949...	225	Croppers.....number 1950...	16
.....acres 1944...	139	.....number 1945...	42
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	55,161	.....number 1945...	44
.....farms reporting 1944...	23,748	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	989	.....number 1945...	32
.....acres 1944...	1,140	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT</b>	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	32,735	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	177
.....farms reporting 1944...	27,287	.....farms reporting 1945...	154
.....acres 1949...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	961
.....acres 1944...	5	.....farms reporting 1945...	711
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	70	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	974
.....farms reporting 1944...	570	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.63
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	235
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	119
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	123
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	790
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	152
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	8
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	2
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	8
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Working on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,005		
.....operators reporting 1945...	1,105		
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	40		
.....operators reporting 1945...	49		
Other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	353		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	322		
.....operators reporting 1944...	137		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	254		
.....operators reporting 1944...	118		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	292	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	52
.....1945.....	301	General farms.....number 1950...	19
.....number 1950.....	425	.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	403	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	515	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	285	.....number 1950.....	9
.....number 1950.....	948	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	492		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	490		
.....number 1950.....	905		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15		
.....number 1950.....	15		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	23		
.....number 1950.....	28		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	632		
.....1945.....	555		
.....number 1950.....	1,058		
.....1945.....	889		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	269		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	103		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	203		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	445		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	36		
<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.....	617
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	429	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	32
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	411	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	47
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	155	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	86
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	89	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	144
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	113
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	182
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	903	Other farms.....number 1950.....	441
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	72
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	63	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	369
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	721	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,499,048
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	352	.....1944.....	4,317,667
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,100,548
		.....1944.....	4,016,610
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,933,456
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	5,772,678
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	904	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	144,578
.....persons 1950.....	2,804	.....1944.....	243,190
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	875	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,225
Operators.....persons 1950.....	850	.....1944.....	1,539
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	251	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	20,656
.....persons 1950.....	378	.....1944.....	1,158
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	236	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	395,567
.....persons 1950.....	1,575	.....1944.....	293,054
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,169
		.....1944.....	104,046
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	38,099
		.....1944.....	35,827
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	332,215
		.....1944.....	150,169
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,975
		.....1944.....	1,125
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	755
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	237
		.....number 1950.....	198
		.....1945.....	653
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	422
		.....number 1950.....	642
		.....1945.....	1,019
		.....number 1950.....	1,540
		.....1945.....	2,521
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	635
		.....1945.....	1,072
		.....number 1950.....	14,543
		.....1945.....	16,623
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	833
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,049
		.....number 1950.....	0,002
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	10,710
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	759
		.....number 1950.....	2,272
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	454
		.....number 1950.....	2,221
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	233
		.....number 1950.....	1,463
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	366
		.....number 1950.....	2,416
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	27
		.....1944.....	27
		.....gallons 1949.....	51,827
		.....1944.....	269,718
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	25,099
		.....1944.....	4
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	1,010
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
		.....dollars 1949.....	90
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	570
		.....1945.....	853
		.....number 1950.....	2,423
		.....1945.....	5,215
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	463
		.....number 1950.....	1,547
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	220
		.....number 1950.....	676
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	108
		.....1945.....	152
		.....number 1950.....	246
		.....1945.....	530

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	5	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	589	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	302	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	1944.....	
number 1950.....	184	bushels 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	2	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	156	1944.....	
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	174	acres 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	7	1944.....	
number 1950.....	28	tons..green weight 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	185	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	2
1944.....	2	acres 1949...	
number shorn 1949.....	175	tons cut 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	367	Small grains:	
1944.....	700	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	700	1944.....	5
1950.....	700	acres 1949...	40
1950.....	700	1944.....	185
1950.....	700	bushels 1949...	500
1950.....	700	1944.....	5,700
1950.....	700	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1950.....	700	1944.....	18
1950.....	700	acres 1949...	176
1950.....	700	1944.....	386
1950.....	700	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1950.....	700	1944.....	5
1950.....	700	acres 1949...	70
1950.....	700	1944.....	705
1950.....	700	162-lb. barrels 1949...	880
1950.....	700	1944.....	8,300
1950.....	700	Annual legumes:	
1950.....	700	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	563
1950.....	700	1944.....	2,687
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	3,242
1950.....	700	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	15,595
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	16,586
1950.....	700	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	4
1950.....	700	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1950.....	700	1944.....	80
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,250
1950.....	700	1944.....	56
1950.....	700	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	280
1950.....	700	1944.....	305
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	808
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,088
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	tons 1949...	
1950.....	700	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1950.....	700	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1950.....	700	1944.....	1
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	177
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1950.....	700	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	560
1950.....	700	1944.....	2,501
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	12,602
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	61
1950.....	700	1944.....	49
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	6
1950.....	700	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	615
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	159
1950.....	700	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	3
1950.....	700	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
1950.....	700	1944.....	17
1950.....	700	bushels 1949...	3
1950.....	700	1944.....	6
1950.....	700	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	21
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
1950.....	700	bu. in shells 1949...	39
1950.....	700	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50
1950.....	700	1944.....	123
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	123
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	tons 1949...	
1950.....	700	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1950.....	700	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
1950.....	700	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1950.....	700	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	68
1950.....	700	1944.....	18
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	460
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1950.....	700	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1950.....	700	1944.....	21
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	Peanuts harvested for picking or	
1950.....	700	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1950.....	700	1944.....	1
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	1
1950.....	700	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	1
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	pounds 1949...	600
1950.....	700	1944.....	160
1950.....	700	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
1950.....	700	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1950.....	700	1944.....	(*)
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	1944.....	
1950.....	700	tons 1949...	1
1950.....	700	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1950.....	700	1944.....	20
1950.....	700	acres grown alone 1949...	95
1950.....	700	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1950.....	700	1944.....	562
1950.....	700	bushels 1949...	

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Reported in small fractions.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	101	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....acres 1949...	1,885	.....acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	28
de-stating).....farms reporting 1949...	16	.....acres 1949...	80
.....1944...	19	.....acres 1949...	215
.....acres 1949...	85	.....acres 1949...	1,116
.....1944...	197	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....tons 1949...	144	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	286	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....acres 1949...	11
.....1944...	12	.....acres 1949...	11
.....acres 1949...	520	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	11
.....1944...	1,057	.....1944...	11
.....acres 1949...	494	.....acres 1949...	9
.....1944...	1,157	.....1944...	7
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	6	.....acres 1949...	58
.....1944...	.....	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949...	10	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	.....	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		.....acres 1949...	.....
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....24-pt. crates 1949...	.....
.....1944...	1	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949...	21	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
.....1944...	20	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	584
.....tons 1949...	21	.....1945...	14
.....1944...	35	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	71
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	71	.....acres 1945...	108
.....acres 1949...	1,475	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	1,394	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....tons 1949...	1,781	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	2,287	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	12
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	12
.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
Field crops (other):		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....pounds 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	594
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	227
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	129
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	548	.....1944...	37
.....1944...	915	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	150
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	910	.....1944...	139
.....1944...	7,555	.....1945...	79
.....bushels 1949...	45,328	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	918
.....1944...	279,481	.....1945...	655
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	244
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	158	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	672
.....1944...	128	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	526
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	162	.....1944...	446
.....1944...	176	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....bushels 1949...	10,841	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	8,712	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	178
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....1945...	177
.....1944...	10	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	67
.....acres 1949...	365	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	111
.....1944...	585	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	56
.....bales 1949...	189	.....1944...	15
.....1944...	525	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	266
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,159
sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	486
.....acres 1949...	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,699
.....gallons 1949...	100	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21,785
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	459	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14
.....1944...	642	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	4
.....acres 1949...	53,553	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	30,956	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	84
.....tons 1949...	578,878	.....1945...	24
.....1944...	619,815	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	14
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	255	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	29
.....acres 1949...	2,224	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	71
Vegetables harvested for home use		Improved pecans (budded, grafted,	
(other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	720	or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	74
.....1944...	1,114	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	598
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	272	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	141
.....1944...	627	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	457
.....acres 1949...	1,852	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,322
.....1944...	5,806	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	138
.....sold..dollars 1949...	144,576	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	619
.....1944...	245,180	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	191
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	29	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	425
.....1944...	97	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,719
.....acres 1949...	54	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1944...	258	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	28	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	28
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	119	.....1945...	40
.....acres 1949...	118	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	28
.....1944...	294	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
.....1944...	127	Oranges, including tangerines and	
.....acres 1949...	404	mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	418
.....1944...	868	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,521
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,099
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,654
		.....quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	1,865
		.....1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	686

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
\*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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	851	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	152
1945.....	628	1945.....	72
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	408,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	10
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	10.4	1945.....	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	38,404	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	142
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,116	1945.....	68
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	243
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,151	1945.....	194
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	42,869	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	192
1945.....	33,256	1945.....	151
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	49.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	82
1945.....	53.0	1945.....	57
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	8,837	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	78
1945.....	1,779	1945.....	71
average per acre, dollars 1950*	68.54	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	49
1945.....	33.59	1945.....	39
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	27
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	488	1945.....	19
1944.....	586	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	14
acres 1949...	5,483	1945.....	10
1944.....	6,243	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	270	1945.....	3
1944.....	256	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	10
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	137	1945.....	11
1944.....	210	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1945.....	1
1944.....	49	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1945.....	.....
1944.....	15	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	5	White operators.....number 1950...	802
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	574
1944.....	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	49
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	54
1944.....	.....	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	452	Full owners.....number 1950...	700
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	203	1945.....	552
acres 1949...	5,359	Part owners.....number 1950...	55
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,876	1945.....	18
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	190	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	3,231	1945.....	.....
acres 1949...	3,238	All tenants.....number 1950...	96
1944.....	211	1945.....	56
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	107	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.3
1944.....	107	1945.....	9.2
acres 1949...	6,672	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	23
1944.....	2,584	1945.....	42
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	388	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	370	1945.....	.....
acres 1949...	17,455	Share tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944.....	15,756	1945.....	11
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	115	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	183	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	1,962	1945.....	.....
1944 <sup>1</sup> .....	2,595	Croppers.....number 1950...	8
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	781	1945.....	2
1944.....	546	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
acres 1949...	2,207	1945.....	3
1944.....	969	Other tenants.....number 1950...	10
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
1944.....	.....	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
acres 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	126
1944.....	.....	1945.....	39
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	671
1944.....	.....	1945.....	155
acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	671
1944.....	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.54
Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	181
Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	16
Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	60
Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	386
Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	50
Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	5
Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	.....
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	5
Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	10
Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	.....

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	176	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	118
.....1945.....	138	General farms.....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	206	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	137	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	19	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	70	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	19	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	880
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	65		
.....number 1950.....	65	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	171
.....number 1950.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	891	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	82
.....1945.....	219	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	87
.....number 1950.....	316	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	90
.....1945.....	224	Other farms.....number 1950.....	800
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time.....number 1950.....	208
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	224	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	472
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	254	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	302		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	61	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	413,827
		.....1944.....	175,710
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	99,422
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	31,591
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	110	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	96,960
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	315	.....1944.....	41,978
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	285	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,085
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	166	.....1944.....	4,048
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,401
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	5,536
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	646	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	.....1944.....	45
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	55	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	302,142
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	110,759
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	38,628
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	17,889
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	286	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,230
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	525	.....1944.....	18,976
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	244,224
		.....1944.....	79,194
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,899
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	18,354
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	556		
.....persons 1950.....	827	<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	561	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	612
Operators.....persons 1950.....	521	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	545
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	156	.....1945.....	506
.....persons 1950.....	271	.....number 1950.....	587
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,023
.....persons 1950.....	35	.....1945.....	164
		.....number 1950.....	163
		.....1945.....	214
		.....1945.....	280
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	701	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	766
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	226	.....1945.....	617
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	161	.....number 1950.....	8,271
.....dollars 1949.....	8,436	.....1945.....	11,823
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	789
.....dollars 1949.....	82,980	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	605
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	601	.....number 1950.....	4,343
.....dollars 1949.....	189,180	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	7,885
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	311	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	613
.....dollars 1949.....	47,705	.....number 1950.....	1,394
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	381	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	413
.....dollars 1949.....	10,775	.....number 1950.....	1,630
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	86	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	275
.....dollars 1949.....	14,590	.....number 1950.....	318
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	50	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	488
.....dollars 1949.....	3,475	.....number 1950.....	1,380
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	55	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	19
.....dollars 1949.....	4,560	.....1944.....	21
		.....gallons 1949.....	64,388
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....1944.....	83,877
No sales.....number 1950.....	203	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	269	.....dollars 1949.....	87,986
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	97	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	.....
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	137	.....1944.....	909
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	51	.....dollars 1949.....	554
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	25	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk; and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	25	.....dollars 1949.....	88
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	25		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	32	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	1	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	659
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	11	.....1945.....	560
		.....number 1950.....	12,243
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....1945.....	16,128
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	43	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	618
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	8,677
Cotton.....number 1950.....	43	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	350
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	5,564
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	401
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	380
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....1950.....	1,535
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,817

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Wep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Sorghums—Continued	
.....farms reporting 1945...	4	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
.....number 1950...	80	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....number 1945...	121	.....acres 1944.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....bushels 1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		.....acres 1949.....	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	.....bushels 1949.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950...	58	.....acres 1944.....	.....
.....number 1950...	1	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945...	1	.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....number 1950...	45	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....number 1945...	10	.....tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....farms reporting 1950...	13	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....number 1950...	1	.....acres 1949.....	9
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	.....tons cut 1949.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950...	22		
.....number 1950...	1	Small grains:	
Wep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....farms reporting 1944...	1	.....farms reporting 1944...	2
.....number shorn 1949...	65	.....acres 1949...	12
.....number shorn 1944...	240	.....acres 1944...	11
.....pounds 1949...	40	.....bushels 1949...	280
.....pounds 1944...	40	.....bushels 1944...	800
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		.....farms reporting 1944...	20
		.....acres 1949...	7
		.....acres 1944...	96
		Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
		.....acres 1949...	.....
		.....acres 1944...	.....
		.....162-lb. barrels 1949...	.....
		.....162-lb. barrels 1944...	.....
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	90
		.....farms reporting 1949...	305
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	355
		.....acres grown alone 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	227
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	247
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	5
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		.....farms reporting 1944...	30
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	4
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	170
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	60
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38
		.....farms reporting 1944...	127
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	2
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	245
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	52
		.....farms reporting 1944...	93
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	163
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		.....farms reporting 1944...	55
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	58
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	176
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		.....farms reporting 1944...	257
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	687
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	189
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	441
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	73
		.....farms reporting 1944...	118
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	80
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	55
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	641
		.....bushels 1949...	2,386
		.....bushels 1944...	.....
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	57
		.....farms reporting 1944...	53
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	14
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,057
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	.....
		.....bu. in shells 1949...	6
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		.....farms reporting 1944...	6
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	4
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	.....
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	65
		.....farms reporting 1944...	94
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	84
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		.....farms reporting 1944...	25
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	32
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	49
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	61
		.....farms reporting 1944...	189
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	2
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	30
		.....farms reporting 1944...	45
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	33
		.....acres grown alone 1944 <sup>3</sup> ...	45
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	14,336
		.....pounds 1949...	5,905
		.....pounds 1944...	.....
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		.....farms reporting 1944...	27
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	.....
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	28
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	2
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		.....farms reporting 1944...	1
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	.....
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
		.....bushels 1949...	.....
		.....bushels 1944...	.....

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

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Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	94	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	896	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	5	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	13	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	14	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	14	acres 1949.....	1
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	3	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	42	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	24	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	63	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1944...	24
1944.....	11	acres 1944.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	44	acres 1944.....	4
1944.....	86	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	481	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	546	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	478	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	580	acres 1949.....	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	20	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	20	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	20	24-pt. crates 1949.....	
1944.....	46	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	46	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	308
acres 1949.....	343	acres 1945.....	38
1944.....	538	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	81
acres 1949.....	344	acres 1945.....	47
1944.....	518	acres 1950.....	125
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	131
acres 1949.....		acres 1950.....	652
1944.....		acres 1945.....	615
acres 1949.....		acres 1950.....	247
1944.....		acres 1949.....	97
tons..green weight 1949.....		acres 1944.....	357
Field crops (other):		acres 1945.....	268
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	342
1944.....		acres 1950.....	7,030
acres 1949.....		acres 1950.....	5,720
1944.....		acres 1950.....	1,280
acres 1949.....		acres 1949.....	230
1944.....		acres 1944.....	3,121
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	153
1944.....		acres 1945.....	223
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	180	acres 1950.....	909
1944.....	367	acres 1945.....	750
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	41	acres 1950.....	545
1944.....	117	acres 1950.....	853
acres 1949.....	3,589	acres 1949.....	1,212
1944.....	11,738	acres 1944.....	1,691
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	233	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	81
1944.....	345	acres 1945.....	119
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	94	acres 1950.....	625
1944.....	150	acres 1945.....	1,120
acres 1949.....	9,414	acres 1950.....	321
1944.....	19,225	acres 1949.....	34
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	128	acres 1944.....	495
1944.....	96	acres 1950.....	142
acres 1949.....	774	acres 1950.....	569
1944.....	388	acres 1950.....	289
bales 1949.....	590	acres 1949.....	230
1944.....	280	acres 1949.....	5,490
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	21
acres 1949.....	34	acres 1945.....	33
acres 1949.....	5,932	acres 1950.....	62
Sugarcane out for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945.....	125
1944.....		acres 1950.....	47
acres 1949.....		acres 1950.....	15
1944.....		acres 1949.....	150
acres 1949.....		acres 1944.....	741
1944.....		Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	78
Sugarcane out for seed.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1950.....	415
acres 1949.....		acres 1950.....	146
acres 1949.....		acres 1950.....	253
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	659	acres 1949.....	5,583
1944.....	526	acres 1949.....	27
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1950.....	554
1944.....	58	acres 1950.....	455
acres 1949.....	11	acres 1950.....	89
1944.....	84	acres 1949.....	1,875
acres 1949.....	1,065	acres 1950.....	4
1944.....	4,048	acres 1945.....	544
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1945.....	501
1944.....	20	acres 1950.....	43
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	1,225
1944.....	5	acres 1944.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	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.

<sup>3</sup>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

<sup>5</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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Number of farms.....	1950... 1,949 1945... 2,304	Under 10 acres.....	number 1950... 205 1945... 89
Private land area.....	acres 1950... 300,180 1945... 82.9	Under 3 acres.....	number 1950... 59 1945... 5
Percentage of farms owned by farm operators.....	acres 1950... 154,839 1945... 48,528	3 to 9 acres.....	number 1950... 148 1945... 84
Percentage of farms owned from others by farm operators.....	acres 1950... 1,950 1945... 18,261	10 to 29 acres.....	number 1950... 350 1945... 456
Percentage of farms owned by farm operators.....	acres 1950... 188,856 1945... 220,486	30 to 49 acres.....	number 1950... 312 1945... 481
Average size of farm.....	acres 1950... 96.8 1945... 95.7	50 to 69 acres.....	number 1950... 167 1945... 255
Value of land and buildings.....	average per farm, dollars 1950*.. 4,920 1945... 2,236	70 to 99 acres.....	number 1950... 320 1945... 362
Value of land and buildings.....	average per acre, dollars 1950*.. 57.35 1945... 23.37	100 to 139 acres.....	number 1950... 219 1945... 290
Farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....	number 1950... 117 1945... 158
Land harvested.....	farms reporting 1949... 1,543 1944... 2,091	180 to 219 acres.....	number 1950... 79 1945... 90
Land harvested.....	acres 1949... 30,741 1944... 55,826	220 to 259 acres.....	number 1950... 43 1945... 41
Land 1 to 9 acres.....	farms reporting 1949... 561 1944... 282	260 to 499 acres.....	number 1950... 107 1945... 109
Land 10 to 19 acres.....	farms reporting 1949... 349 1944... 508	500 to 999 acres.....	number 1950... 23 1945... 26
Land 20 to 29 acres.....	farms reporting 1949... 306 1944... 822	1,000 acres and over.....	number 1950... 7 1945... 7
Land 30 to 49 acres.....	farms reporting 1949... 234 1944... 541	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
Land 50 to 99 acres.....	farms reporting 1949... 135 1944... 18	Farms by color of operator:	
Land 100 to 199 acres.....	farms reporting 1949... 16 1944... 2	White operators.....	number 1950... 1,287 1945... 1,256
Land 200 acres and over.....	farms reporting 1949... 7 1944... 505	Nonwhite operators.....	number 1950... 682 1945... 1,048
Land used only for pasture.....	farms reporting 1949... 489 1944... 14,175	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Land not harvested and not pastured.....	farms reporting 1949... 10,147 1944... 1,050	Full owners.....	number 1950... 1,158 1945... 993
Land pastured.....	farms reporting 1949... 35,004 1944... 34,452	Part owners.....	number 1950... 165 1945... 117
Land not pastured.....	farms reporting 1949... 870 1944... 627	Managers.....	number 1950... 5 1945... 6
Land in pasture (not cropland and woodland).....	farms reporting 1949... 919 1944... 1,282	All tenants.....	number 1950... 623 1945... 1,198
Land in house lots, roads, wasteland, and other.....	farms reporting 1949... 1,700 1944... 1,916	Proportion of tenancy.....	percent 1950... 32.0 1945... 52.0
Land in farms.....	farms reporting 1949... 8,397 1944... 6,905	Cash tenants.....	number 1950... 146 1945... 159
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....	farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Share-cash tenants.....	number 1950... 1 1945... ..
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		Share tenants.....	number 1950... 192 1945... 460
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1950... 1,842 1945... 2,009	Crop-share tenants.....	number 1950... 190 1945... 2
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1950... 48 1945... 183	Livestock-share tenants.....	number 1950... 166 1945... 463
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... 1,070	Croppers.....	number 1950... 118 1945... 136
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... 919 1944... 647	Other and unspecified tenants.....	number 1950... 44 1945... 74
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... 689 1944... 254	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Telephone.....	farms reporting 1950... 318 1945... 128
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Electricity.....	farms reporting 1950... 1,486 1945... 742
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	From a power line.....	farms reporting 1950... 1,453 1945... 5,70
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....	dollars 1950... 585 1945... 204
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric water pump.....	farms reporting 1950... 184 1945... 637
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric hot-water heater.....	farms reporting 1950... 187 1945... 7
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Home freezer.....	farms reporting 1950... 31 1945... 17
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric washing machine.....	farms reporting 1950... 1 1945... 1
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric chick brooder.....	farms reporting 1950... 10 1945... 10
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric power feed grinder.....	farms reporting 1950... 1 1945... 1
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Milking machine.....	farms reporting 1950... 1 1945... 1
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Grain combines.....	number 1950... 17 1945... 1
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Corn pickers.....	farms reporting 1950... 1 1945... 1
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Pick-up hay balers.....	farms reporting 1950... 10 1945... 10
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Upright silos.....	farms reporting 1950... 1 1945... 1
Number of farms operated.....	operators reporting 1949... .. 1944... ..	Pit or trench silos.....	farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... ..

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	487	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	72
.....1945.....	323	General farms.....number 1950...	73
.....number 1950.....	547	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	22
.....1945.....	349	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	4
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	257	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	47
.....1945.....	100	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,218
.....number 1950.....	258		
.....1945.....	107		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	212		
.....number 1950.....	227		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	21		
.....number 1950.....	21		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	714		
.....1945.....	504		
.....number 1950.....	777		
.....1945.....	521		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	554		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	480		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	668		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	178		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	68		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	742
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	151	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,027	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	11
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	476	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	28
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	152	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	127
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	246
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	329
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,160	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,207
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	374
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	287	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	828
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	5
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	413		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,130		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	240		
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,756,429
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,499	.....1944.....	1,459,713
.....persons 1950.....	2,112	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	863,444
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,482	.....1944.....	1,115,688
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,567	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	897,184
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	460	.....1944.....	980,688
.....persons 1950.....	580	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	47,693
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	129	.....1944.....	84,232
.....persons 1950.....	185	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,407
		.....1944.....	40,035
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,980
		.....1944.....	1,745
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	833,098
		.....1944.....	500,157
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	161,370
		.....1944.....	131,703
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	165,601
		.....1944.....	49,627
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	265,925
		.....1944.....	118,324
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	159,888
		.....1944.....	43,888
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,312
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	676
		.....1945.....	690
		.....number 1950.....	1,121
		.....1945.....	1,034
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	945
		.....1945.....	1,362
		.....number 1950.....	1,659
		.....1945.....	2,722
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,552
		.....1945.....	1,604
		.....number 1950.....	11,873
		.....1945.....	13,992
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,518
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,771
		.....number 1950.....	6,362
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	8,078
		.....number 1950.....	1,418
		.....number 1950.....	4,754
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	836
		.....number 1950.....	2,295
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	549
		.....number 1950.....	1,197
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	741
		.....number 1950.....	2,001
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	82
		.....1944.....	98
		.....gallons 1949.....	339,950
		.....1944.....	301,012
		.....dollars 1949.....	167,427
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	52
		.....1944.....	71
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	8,725
		.....1944.....	10,884
		.....dollars 1949.....	4,439
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	144
		.....dollars 1949.....	9,704
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066
		.....1945.....	1,326
		.....number 1950.....	5,190
		.....1945.....	6,078
		.....farms reporting 1950...	842
		.....number 1950...	2,762
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	515
		.....number 1950...	2,423
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	294
		.....1945.....	417
		.....number 1950.....	490
		.....1945.....	584

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	6	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	25	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....	60	1944.....	2
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	4	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	19	bushels 1949.....	45
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	4	1944.....	19
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	2	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	19	acres 1949.....	65
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	9	tons..green weight 1949.....	600
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....		Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....		for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	48
lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949.....	88
number 1950.....	6	tons cut 1949.....	85
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	3		
1944.....	2	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949.....	35	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	238	1944.....	10
1944.....	162	acres 1949.....	299
Average date of enumeration..... 1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944.....	152
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949.....	7,430
		1944.....	3,380
Hens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,739	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	81
1945.....	1,811	1944.....	185
number 1950.....	55,140	acres 1949.....	579
1945.....	62,829	1944.....	1,227
Hens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	371	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	95,805	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	95,107	acres 1949.....	
Hicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	618	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	138,701	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	85,361		
Trucks, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	48	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	287	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	55
Trucks raised.....farms reporting 1949...	58	acres grown alone 1949.....	155
1944.....	25	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	668
number 1949.....	1,099	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	16
1944.....	291	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	15
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	1
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	899	acres grown alone 1949.....	2
dollars 1949.....	281,123	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	710	bushels 1949.....	23
1944.....	664	1944.....	2
number 1949.....	2,984	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	42
1944.....	2,669	acres grown alone 1949.....	116
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	441	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
number 1949.....	1,388	tons 1949.....	136
dollars 1949.....	150,546	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	483	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949.....	1,596	acres grown alone 1949.....	16
dollars 1949.....	77,445	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	6
Eggs, and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	408	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	545	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949.....	2,671	acres grown alone 1949.....	21
1944.....	2,005	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
dollars 1949.....	47,573	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	817
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres grown alone 1949.....	2,152
1944.....		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	4,524
number 1949.....	20	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	75
1944.....		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,068
dollars 1949.....	204	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	462
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	71	1944.....	1,057
number 1949.....	104	acres grown alone 1949.....	708
dollars 1949.....	5,357	acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949.....	6,082
		1944.....	7,817
By cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,297	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	652
1949.....	150	acres grown alone 1949.....	1,082
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	177	acres grown with other crops 1949...	35
number 1949.....	14	bu. in shells 1949.....	14,895
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	82	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
1944.....	19	acres grown alone 1949.....	96
number 1949.....	114	acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
1944.....	137	tons 1949.....	119
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	90	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949.....	158	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	53
1944.....	121	acres grown alone 1949.....	109
Eggs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,269	acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
1944.....	1,486	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	3,043	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944.....	4,171	acres grown alone 1949.....	147
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1949.....	148
dollars 1949.....	3,947	acres grown alone 1949.....	184
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944.....	582
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
Corn:		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,169	threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	96
1944.....	1,816	1944.....	19
acres 1949.....	10,494	acres grown alone 1949.....	79
1944.....	20,043	1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	102
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,180	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	1,810	pounds 1949.....	25,254
acres 1949.....	10,399	1944.....	32,526
1944.....	19,817	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
bushels 1949.....	178,158	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	78
1944.....	111,197	acres grown alone 1949.....	93
Sorghums:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	51	tons 1949.....	91
1944.....	138	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	153	acres grown alone 1949.....	2
1944.....	206	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
		bushels 1949.....	

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
\*Reported in small fractions.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

(\*)

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	185 <sup>1</sup>	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	16
acres 1949...	1,409	acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	15
acres 1949...	3	acres 1949...	2
1944...	11	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949...	130	acres 1949...	4
1944...	12	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949...	82	acres 1949...	1
1944...	3	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	28	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	36
1944...	23	1944...	14
tons 1949...	340	acres 1949...	16
1944...	190	1944...	15
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	191
acres 1949...	13	acres 1949...	676
1944...	295	1944...	114
acres 1949...	219	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944...	340		
tons 1949...	190		
1944...			
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	4	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	239	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	47	24-pt. crates 1949...	
tons 1949...	290		
1944...	42		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	115	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	881	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	935
1944...	987	1945...	228
tons 1949...	897	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	1,454
1944...	780	1945...	782
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	490
acres 1949...		1945...	618
1944...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,303
tons..green weight 1949...		1945...	8,851
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,635
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,468
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,328
		1944...	3,586
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	582
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945...	825
acres 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	104,606
1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	64,585
pounds 1949...	300	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	40,021
1944...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	10,511
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	795	1944...	17,683
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,136	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	363
1944...	124	1945...	447
bushels 1949...	816	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,491
1944...	12,658	1945...	2,285
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	38,236	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	504
acres 1949...	718	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	997
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	1,102	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,982
1944...	413	1944...	4,270
bushels 1949...	645	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	48
1944...	41,310	1945...	9
1944...	39,645	trees of all ages..number 1950...	142
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	859	1945...	89
acres 1949...	1,678	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	58
1944...	11,988	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	84
1944...	22,545	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	95
bales 1949...	5,488	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	25
1944...	8,458	1944...	326
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	118	trees of all ages..number 1950...	697
acres 1949...	74	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	369
gallons 1949...	6,770	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	528
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,587
acres 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	85
1944...		1945...	27
acres 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	257
1944...		1945...	135
tons 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	149
1944...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	168
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,215
acres 1949...	4	1944...	230
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,509	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	502
1944...	2,019	1945...	3,985
1944...	218	trees of all ages..number 1950...	613
1944...	489	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	1,044	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,172
1944...	2,163	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	57,050
sold..dollars 1949...	47,895	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	55
1944...	84,222	1945...	210
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	26	trees of all ages..number 1950...	34
1944...	15	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	176
acres 1949...	7	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,369
1944...	23	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	4
1944...	18	1945...	
acres 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,516
1944...	6	1945...	
acres 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,515
1944...	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
acres 1949...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10
1944...	16	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944...	15	1945...	1
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	1
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>5</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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,397 1945... 1,897	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 559 1945... 259
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 425,600 1945... 22.1	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 29 1945... 33
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 22.1 1945... 88,580	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 530 1945... 226
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 88,580 1945... 7,122	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 945 1945... 817
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 7,122 1945... 1,800	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 413 1945... 386
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 1,800 1945... 93,902	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 154 1945... 134
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 93,902 1945... 82,229	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 122 1945... 124
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 82,229 1945... 39.2	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 107 1945... 85
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 39.2 1945... 43.3	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 32 1945... 36
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 4,678 1945... 2,198	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 19 1945... 20
.....average per acre, dollars	1950*... 127.60 1945... 50.72	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 8 1945... 11
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 25 1945... 16
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,599 1944... 1,800	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 7
.....acres	1949... 3,377 1944... 15,348	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1,407 1944... 1,202		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 157 1944... 487	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 78	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 12 1944... 27	White operators.....number	1950... 2,218 1945... 1,692
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 4	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 179 1945... 205
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Full owners.....number	1950... 2,087 1945... 1,583
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 857 1944... 674	Part owners.....number	1950... 88 1945... 47
.....acres	1949... 10,508 1944... 9,187	Managers.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 625 1944... 4,351	All tenants.....number	1950... 222 1945... 267
.....acres	1949... 2,180 1944... 1,056	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 9.3 1945... 14.1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 537 1944... 26,604	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 82 1945... 187
.....acres	1949... 13,632 1944... 817	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 724 1944... 25,481	Share tenants.....number	1950... 16 1945... 33
.....acres	1949... 29,644 1944... 9,286	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 16 1945... ..
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 396 1944... 649	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
.....acres	1949... 6,830 1944... 9,286	Croppers.....number	1950... 47 1945... 46
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,305 1944... 1,831	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 76 1945... 1
.....acres	1949... 11,751 1944... 2,952	Other tenants.....number	1950... 34 1945... ..
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 478 1944... 258	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... ..
.....acres	1949... 2,187 1944... 924	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 6	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 315 1945... 40
		Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 2,118 1945... 827
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 2,118 1945... 3,42
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,351 1945... 1,858	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 993 1945... 173
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 24 1945... 31	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 187 1945... 246
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 1,521	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 16 1945... 6
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,330 1944... 839	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 1,125 1944... 594	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 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... .. 1945... ..
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	601	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	51
1945.....	530	General farms.....number 1950...	91
number 1950.....	636	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	64
1945.....	536	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	253	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	27
1945.....	94	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,737
number 1950.....	274		
1945.....	94		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	238		
number 1950.....	253		
1945.....	16		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16		
number 1950.....	5		
1945.....	5		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
number 1950.....	5		
1945.....	5		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,136		
number 1950.....	914		
1945.....	1,231		
1945.....	919		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	568		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,177		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	395		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	196		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	61		
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	684
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	470	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,255	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	4
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	380	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	2
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	243	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	115
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	229
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	334
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,881	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,713
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	130	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	670
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	96	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1,043
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	676	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,602,749
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,541	1944.....	1,509,319
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	101	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	997,659
		1944.....	1,130,667
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	81,982
		1944.....	128,447
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	171,884
		1944.....	390,778
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	740,793
		1944.....	610,927
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,200
		1944.....	515
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	494,280
		1944.....	336,093
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	167,819
		1944.....	42,135
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	51,998
		1944.....	83,329
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	274,473
		1944.....	210,628
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	110,600
		1944.....	42,559
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,710
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,229
		number 1950.....	1,231
		1945.....	1,696
		1945.....	1,692
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	666
		number 1950.....	791
		1945.....	739
		1945.....	966
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,786
		1945.....	1,704
		number 1950.....	13,762
		1945.....	23,749
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,736
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	1,679
		number 1950.....	7,746
		1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	16,495
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,573
		number 1950.....	4,576
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	784
		number 1950.....	2,438
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	448
		number 1950.....	1,187
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	936
		number 1950.....	2,391
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	60
		1944.....	52
		gallons 1949.....	308,219
		1944.....	88,069
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	167,321
		1944.....	4
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1
		1944.....	40
		dollars 1949.....	236
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
		dollars 1949.....	262
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,175
		1945.....	1,423
		number 1950.....	11,050
		1945.....	22,675
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	982
		number 1950.....	5,986
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	657
		number 1950.....	5,054
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	410
		1945.....	679
		number 1950.....	1,091
		1945.....	2,769

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Weg and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	17	<b>Sorghums—Continued</b>	
1945.....	44	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	105	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	1,728	1944.....	1
Sheep and lambs born before		1949.....	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	16	bushels 1949.....	20
number 1950.....	97	1944.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	1949.....	12
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	37	acres 1949.....	90
number 1950.....	61	tons..green weight 1949...	4
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,376	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1950.....	10	acres 1949.....	11
number 1950.....	36	tons cut 1949...	5
1949.....	3	<b>Small grains:</b>	
number 1949.....	8	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	6	1944.....	11
number shorn 1949.....	37	acres 1949.....	75
1949.....	267	1944.....	222
pounds 1949.....	4,912	bushels 1949.....	1,581
1944.....	4,912	1944.....	25
1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	77
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		1944.....	78
Hens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,071	acres 1949.....	282
1945.....	1,678	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	52,613	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	213
1945.....	64,422	1944.....	204
1949.....	253	acres grown alone 1949.....	390
number 1949.....	9,017	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	222
1949.....	11,051	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	340
dollars 1949.....	588	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	23
1949.....	71,918	acres grown alone 1949.....	541
dollars 1949.....	32,183	bushels 1949.....	92
1944.....	49	1944.....	109
number 1950.....	166	acres grown alone 1949...	27
1950.....	48	acres grown with other crops 1949...	142
number 1949.....	19	tons 1949.....	23
1944.....	1,234	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	225	1944.....	32
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		acres grown with other crops 1949...	110
Mile, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1949.....	78
Sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,007	acres grown alone 1949...	163
1949.....	272,077	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	248
dollars 1949.....	735	acres grown with other crops 1949...	263
1944.....	622	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	126
number 1949.....	2,892	acres grown with other crops 1949...	356
1944.....	3,523	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	332
1949.....	294	acres grown alone 1949...	23
number 1949.....	884	1944.....	81
dollars 1949.....	79,477	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1949.....	619	acres grown with other crops 1949...	30
number 1949.....	2,008	bushels 1949.....	119
dollars 1949.....	90,502	1944.....	2,059
1949.....	455	farms reporting 1949...	59
1944.....	356	1949.....	17
number 1949.....	4,435	acres grown alone 1949...	61
1944.....	5,710	acres grown with other crops 1949...	700
dollars 1949.....	97,377	bu. in shells 1949...	30
1949.....	6	1949.....	40
number 1949.....	18	acres grown alone 1949...	3
1944.....	115	acres grown with other crops 1949...	42
dollars 1949.....	701	tons 1949.....	27
1944.....	987	farms reporting 1949...	35
1949.....	64	1944.....	20
number 1949.....	72	acres grown alone 1949...	160
dollars 1949.....	3,734	acres grown with other crops 1949...	163
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		1944.....	242
17 cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,107	acres grown with other crops 1949...	22
1949.....	103	1944.....	9
number 1949.....	120	acres grown with other crops 1949...	47
1944.....	4	1944.....	1
number 1949.....	6	acres grown with other crops 1949...	22
1944.....	4	1949.....	42
1949.....	13	acres grown alone 1949...	7
1944.....	99	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	44
number 1949.....	37	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944.....	116	pounds 1949.....	4,612
1949.....	84	1944.....	9,294
number 1949.....	1,078	1944.....	
1944.....	1,247	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
number 1949.....	2,742	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	4,920	1949.....	
1949.....	24	acres grown alone 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	1,813	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	6	tons 1949.....	
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>		1949.....	
1944.....		acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1,023	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
1944.....	1,464	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1949.....	3,208	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
1944.....	7,406	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1949.....	843	1944.....	
1944.....	1,461	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	2,929	1944.....	
1944.....	7,394	bushels 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	88,532	1944.....	
1944.....	204,794	1949.....	
1944.....	6	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1949.....	7	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	4	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	23	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	6	bushels 1949...	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	148	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	318
.....acres 1949.....	522	.....acres 1949.....	311
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	2	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	7	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	11	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....tons 1949.....	10	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	18
.....1944.....	16	.....acres 1949.....	17
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	228
.....1944.....	39	.....acres 1949.....	150
.....acres 1949.....	60	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	23
.....1944.....	346	.....acres 1949.....	18
.....tons 1949.....	71	.....1944.....	9
.....1944.....	269	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Legpezeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	54	.....acres 1949.....	3
.....1944.....	191	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
.....acres 1949.....	232	.....acres 1949...	260
.....1944.....	744		
.....tons 1949.....	321	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944.....	1,240	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1,028
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....acres 1949...	1,610
.....1944.....	4	.....24-pt. crates 1949...	154,159
.....acres 1949.....	7		
.....1944.....	3	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....tons 1949.....	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,362
.....1944.....	8	.....1945.....	192
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	85	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> .....	210
.....acres 1949...	222	.....1945.....	131
.....1944.....	120	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	93
.....tons 1949.....	280	.....1945.....	78
.....1944.....	156	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	232
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	222
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	197
.....tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	.....1950.....	51
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	25
		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	71
		.....1944.....	125
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	178
Leapedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	528
.....1944.....	1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	419
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1950.....	109
.....1944.....	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5
.....pounds 1949.....	150	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	237
.....1944.....	.....	.....1944.....	418
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	565	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	2,888
.....1944.....	1,078	.....1945.....	2,113
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	89	.....1945.....	1,018
.....1944.....	774	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,531
.....bushels 1949.....	9,753	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,311
.....1944.....	68,953	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,533
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	741		
.....1944.....	1,123	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	306
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> .....	606	.....1945.....	188
.....1944.....	1,074	.....1950.....	1,431
.....bushels 1949.....	82,595	.....1945.....	1,231
.....1944.....	107,991	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	777
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	66	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	678
.....1944.....	217	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	790
.....acres 1949.....	239	.....1944.....	282
.....1944.....	648	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	877
.....bales 1949.....	136	.....1950.....	3,382
.....1944.....	487	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,506
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	97	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,888
.....acres 1949.....	31	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	34,524
.....gallons 1949.....	3,797	.....farms reporting 1950...	82
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	17
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	318
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	47
.....tons 1949.....	.....	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	238
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1950.....	90
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,191
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,804	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	19
.....1944.....	1,764	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	444
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	526	.....1950.....	3,534
.....1944.....	1,144	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,123
.....acres 1949.....	1,172	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,811
.....1944.....	2,312	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	18,193
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	171,884	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	193
.....1944.....	390,778	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	1,434
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	348	.....1950.....	372
.....1944.....	1,057	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,062
.....acres 1949.....	392	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15,166
.....1944.....	1,589	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	21
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1944.....	15	.....1945.....	1,306
.....acres 1949.....	12	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,961
.....1944.....	27	.....1945.....	386
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	820
.....1944.....	3	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21,680
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12,260
.....1944.....	1	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	362
		.....1950.....	1,641
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,008
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	633
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	702
		.....quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	86
		.....1944 <sup>4</sup> .....	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.

<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,669	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	257
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	356
.....1945...	2,011	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	1
.....1945...	2,011	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	251
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	355
.....1945...	2,011	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	728
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	1,093
.....1945...	2,011	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	265
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	225
.....1945...	2,011	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	104
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	68
.....1945...	2,011	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	91
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	71
.....1945...	2,011	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	47
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	32
.....1945...	2,011	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	89
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	14
.....1945...	2,011	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	15
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	14
.....1945...	2,011	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	12
.....1945...	2,011	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	44
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	37
.....1945...	2,011	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	31
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	24
.....1945...	2,011	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	40
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	45
.....1945...	2,011		
.....1945...	2,011	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1945...	2,011	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1945...	2,011	White operators.....number 1950...	611
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	520
.....1945...	2,011	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,058
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	1,491
.....1945...	2,011	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1945...	2,011	Full owners.....number 1950...	377
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	363
.....1945...	2,011	Part owners.....number 1950...	122
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	18
.....1945...	2,011	Managers.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	19
.....1945...	2,011	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,153
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	69.1
.....1945...	2,011	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	79.1
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	50
.....1945...	2,011	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	72
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	80
.....1945...	2,011	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	899
.....1945...	2,011	Share tenants.....number 1950...	119
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	896
.....1945...	2,011	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....1945...	2,011	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	645
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	1,272
.....1945...	2,011	Croppers.....number 1950...	29
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	109
.....1945...	2,011	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	18
.....1945...	2,011	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....1945...	2,011	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	150
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	49
.....1945...	2,011	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	892
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	294
.....1945...	2,011	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	862
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	3,400
.....1945...	2,011	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	284
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	69
.....1945...	2,011	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	105
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	386
.....1945...	2,011	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	100
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	9
.....1945...	2,011	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	17
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	126
.....1945...	2,011	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	153
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	34
.....1945...	2,011	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	48
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	69
.....1945...	2,011	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	72
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	9
.....1945...	2,011	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	16
.....1945...	2,011	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	24
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	
.....1945...	2,011	number 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	
.....1945...	2,011	number 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	
.....1945...	2,011	number 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	
.....1945...	2,011	number 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1945...	2,011	.....1945...	
.....1945...	2,011	number 1950...	

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>-Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	317	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	96
.....1945.....	183	General farms.....number 1950.....	25
.....number 1950.....	389	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	223	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	416	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	215	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	478
.....number 1950.....	751		
.....1945.....	399		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	400		
.....number 1950.....	594		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	11		
.....number 1950.....	16		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	38		
.....number 1950.....	38		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	41		
.....1945.....	600		
.....number 1950.....	314		
.....1945.....	733		
.....number 1950.....	843		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	653		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	141		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	446		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	300		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	119		
<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.....	1,202
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	113	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	14
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	498	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	34
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	457	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	64
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	560	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	193
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	455
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	442
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,108	Other farms.....number 1950.....	467
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	171	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	291
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	170	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	176
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	457		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	858		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	301		
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,870,836
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,196	.....1944.....	3,380,294
.....persons 1950.....	2,472	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,940,793
.....1944.....	1,166	.....1944.....	3,069,701
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,099	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,901,102
.....persons 1950.....	398	.....1944.....	3,061,571
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	414	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,446
.....persons 1950.....	183	.....1944.....	400
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	959	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	37,120
.....persons 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	27,730
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,125
.....persons 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	.....
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>a</sup></b>			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,378	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	909,027
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,043	.....1944.....	281,010
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	887	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	85,244
.....dollars 1949.....	196,728	.....1944.....	46,948
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	586	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,885
.....dollars 1949.....	782,907	.....1944.....	16,875
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	521	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	794,198
.....dollars 1949.....	100,717	.....1944.....	217,192
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	522	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,016
.....dollars 1949.....	345,256	.....1944.....	9,588
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	770		
.....dollars 1949.....	135,061		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	658		
.....dollars 1949.....	223,757		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	345		
.....dollars 1949.....	159,632		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	223		
.....dollars 1949.....	60,189		
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>			
No sales.....number 1950.....	60		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	116		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	136		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	126		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	205		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	343		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	278		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	151		
\$4,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	66		
\$10,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	40		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	48		
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,065		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	18		
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1,047		
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....		
.....number 1950.....	.....		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	.....		
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,124
		.....1945.....	1,584
		.....number 1950.....	9,397
		.....1945.....	9,192
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	954
		.....number 1950.....	5,392
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
		.....number 1950.....	4,005
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	506
		.....1945.....	479
		.....number 1950.....	1,202
		.....1945.....	858

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Wool lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Sorghums—Continued	
1945.....	14	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	3,729	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1945.....	426	1944.....	2
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	186
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	1944.....	76
number 1950.....	3,186	bushels 1949.....	2,167
1945.....	7	1944.....	1,220
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	10	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	2,066	acres 1949.....	67
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	371	tons green weight 1949...	750
1945.....	7	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1,070	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1950.....	7	acres 1949.....	292
1949.....	593	tons cut 1949.....	
1944.....	7	Small grains:	
1944.....	10	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	84
1949.....pounds 1949.....	2,263	1944.....	221
1944.....	6,857	acres 1949.....	4,692
1944.....	1,677	1944.....	11,669
1944.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	bushels 1949.....	102,233
1950.....		1944.....	351,692
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1945.....	1,357	1944.....	16
1945.....	1,791	acres 1949.....	141
1950.....	41,339	1944.....	212
1945.....	58,936	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	145	1944.....	
number 1949.....	7,440	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	8,349	1944.....	
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	239	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	44,569	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	19,098	Annual legumes:	
1949.....	32	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	298
1949.....	362	acres grown alone 1949.....	7,153
1944.....	87	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,478
1944.....	41	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,887
1949.....	684	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	951
1944.....	559	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	145
<b>ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE</b>		1944.....	49
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	718	acres grown alone 1949.....	6,006
dollars 1949.....	789,928	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	147
1949.....	430	bushels 1949.....	110,666
1944.....	164	1944.....	31,801
1949.....	5,821	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	3,353	acres grown alone 1949.....	300
1949.....	187	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	54
1949.....	3,135	tons 1949.....	422
dollars 1949.....	411,255	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	359	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	94
number 1949.....	2,686	acres grown alone 1949.....	40
dollars 1949.....	198,664	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,279
1949.....	465	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	110	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	54
1949.....	6,739	acres grown alone 1949.....	307
1944.....	2,077	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	407
1949.....	169,452	1944.....	67
1944.....	6	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	37
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres grown alone 1949.....	26
1944.....	861	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	218
1944.....	466	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	81
1949.....	7,090	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	11
dollars 1949.....	49	1944.....	7
1949.....	81	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
dollars 1949.....	3,467	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	137
<b>FARM SLAUGHTER</b>		bushels 1949.....	865
1944.....		1944.....	
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	1,094	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	31
1949.....	60	acres grown alone 1949.....	21
1949.....	109	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	68
1949.....	11	bu. in shells 1949.....	450
1944.....	7	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1949.....	16	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1944.....	33	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1949.....	52	tons 1949.....	
1944.....	14	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1949.....	93	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	16	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	1,064	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	101
1944.....	1,477	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1949.....	2,890	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	3,904	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
1944.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	23
lard, hides, and other products sold from		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
dollars 1949.....	647	1944.....	1
acres grown with other crops 1949.....		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	983	1949.....	6
1944.....	1,260	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	13,570	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
1944.....	13,135	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	
1949.....farms reporting 1949...	962	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1
1944.....	1,213	pounds 1949.....	1,840
acres 1949.....	12,520	1944.....	
1944.....	17,367	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
bushels 1949.....	222,971	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	299,657	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
acres grown with other crops 1949.....		1944.....	
acres grown with other crops 1949.....		tons 1949.....	3
acres grown with other crops 1949.....		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	

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

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	262	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	7,435	acres 1949...	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	28	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	72	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	109	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	702	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	293	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	1,814	acres 1949...	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	487	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949...	175	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	1,329	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	75	acres 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	145	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	272	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	3,268	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4
acres 1949...	9,444		
tons 1949...	4,427	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	9,455	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	2	24-pt. crates 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	61	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	72	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	341
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	89	acres 1945...	80
acres 1949...	3,489	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	605
acres 1949...	953	acres 1950...	214
tons 1949...	4,366	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	89
acres 1949...	1,342	acres 1950...	56
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	203
acres 1949...	.....	acres 1950...	222
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	110
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	98
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	69
acres 1949...	.....	acres 1944...	48
acres 1949...	270	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	139
pounds 1949...	26,300	acres 1945...	121
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	234	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,612
acres 1949...	161	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	840
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	13	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	772
bushels 1949...	180	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	898
acres 1944...	2,121	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	65
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	9,897	acres 1945...	56
acres 1949...	264	trees of all ages..number 1950...	222
acres 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	172	acres 1945...	195
acres 1944...	34	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	68
bushels 1949...	38	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	160
acres 1944...	4,641	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	302
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4,266	acres 1944...	178
acres 1944...	1,482	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	52
acres 1949...	1,740	acres 1945...	61
acres 1944...	28,968	trees of all ages..number 1950...	222
acres 1949...	24,021	acres 1945...	357
bales 1949...	16,862	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	97
acres 1944...	24,186	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	185
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	19	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	56
acres 1949...	18	acres 1944...	117
gallons 1949...	2,202	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	67
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	266
acres 1944...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	101
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	165
acres 1944...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,861
tons 1949...	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	9
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1945...	10
acres 1949...	.....	vines of all ages..number 1950...	21
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,286	acres 1945...	30
acres 1944...	1,788	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	9
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	13	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	12
acres 1944...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	12	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	124
acres 1944...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,971
sold..dollars 1949...	1,446	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	622
acres 1944...	400	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,849
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	125,781
acres 1944...	2	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	124
acres 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,247
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	115
acres 1944...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,122
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	63,148
acres 1944...	2	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
acres 1944...	.....	acres 1945...	.....
acres 1949...	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1944...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
		acres 1944...	.....
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	.....
		acres 1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	.....

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>5</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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,166	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	373
.....1945...	3,282	.....1945...	355
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	514,560	.....1950...	20
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	59.6	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	4
Owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	147,511	.....1945...	4
Rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	84,296	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	353
Managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,385	.....1945...	551
Rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	45,227	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	1,621
.....1945...	203,965	.....1945...	1,824
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	219.441	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	505
.....1945...	84.4	.....1945...	585
.....1945...	66.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	182
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	3,984	.....1945...	154
.....1945...	2,449	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	144
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	69.41	.....1945...	122
.....1945...	36.63	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	88
Farms in farms according to use:		.....1945...	80
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,757	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	57
.....1944...	2,971	.....1945...	25
.....acres 1949...	81,380	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	30
.....1944...	74,910	.....1945...	26
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	462	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	25
.....1944...	406	.....1945...	14
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	950	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	88
.....1944...	1,219	.....1945...	46
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	691	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....1944...	858	.....1945...	45
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	400	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	23
.....1944...	342	.....1945...	20
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	146	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	96	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	65	White operators.....number 1950...	1,116
.....1944...	36	.....1945...	1,040
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2,050
.....1944...	34	.....1945...	2,242
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	665	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ..	381	Full owners.....number 1950...	956
.....acres 1949...	20,052	.....1945...	927
.....1944 <sup>2</sup> ..	15,968	Part owners.....number 1950...	214
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	423	.....1945...	37
.....acres 1949...	10,402	Managers.....number 1950...	12
.....1944...	12,732	.....1945...	18
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	545	All tenants.....number 1950...	2,004
.....acres 1949...	423	.....1945...	2,300
.....1944...	30,224	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	68.3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	67,185	.....1945...	70.1
.....acres 1949...	539	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	111
.....1944...	556	.....1945...	152
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	44,455	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	34
.....acres 1949...	25,421	.....1945...	575
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ..	315	Share tenants.....number 1950...	564
.....1944 <sup>2</sup> ..	515	.....1945...	574
.....acres 1949...	7,485	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944 <sup>2</sup> ..	15,454	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1,205
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,063	.....1945...	1,504
.....1944...	2,286	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	79
.....acres 1949...	9,969	.....1945...	80
.....1944...	9,771	Other tenants.....number 1950...	25
Unirrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	54
.....1944...	6	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....acres 1949...	926	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	281
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	89
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,986
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>		.....1945...	802
Working on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,959	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,981
.....1945...	2,819	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.96
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	182	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	474
.....1945...	282	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	75
Other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	757	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	325
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,154	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	594
.....1944...	371	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	166
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	570	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	12
.....1944...	245	Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	54
		.....number 1950...	59
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....number 1950...	11
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		.....number 1950...	24
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	2

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	492	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	89
.....1945.....	198	General farms.....number 1950.....	30
.....number 1950.....	558	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	219	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	466	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	25
.....1945.....	179	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	808
.....number 1950.....	634		
.....1945.....	261		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	455	<b>FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS</b>	
.....number 1950.....	601	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,365
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	29
.....number 1950.....	26	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	46
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	120
.....number 1950.....	7	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	500
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	882	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	1,085
.....1945.....	521	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	685
.....number 1950.....	942	Other farms.....number 1950.....	801
.....1945.....	549	Part-time <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950.....	270
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	631
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,210	Abnormal <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	413		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,084	<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	530	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,661,625
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	129	.....1944.....	3,461,723
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,781,257
<b>TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*</b>		.....1944.....	3,063,905
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,717,055
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	198	.....1944.....	2,972,454
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,592	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,422
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	893	.....1944.....	10,782
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	449	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	34,405
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	50,519
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,397
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,503	.....1944.....	60
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	405	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	880,902
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	573	.....1944.....	425,226
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	107,565
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.6	.....1944.....	71,127
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,821
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	489	.....1944.....	55,674
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,687	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	743,446
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	921	.....1944.....	318,527
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,466
<b>FARM LABOR*</b>		.....1944.....	2,460
Week preceding enumeration:		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,734	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,805
.....persons 1950.....	4,726	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,267
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,705	.....1945.....	1,111
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,550	.....number 1950.....	2,614
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	951	.....1945.....	2,354
.....persons 1950.....	1,295	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,270
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	253	.....1945.....	1,372
.....persons 1950.....	885	.....number 1950.....	3,712
		.....1945.....	4,438
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*</b>		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,503	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,749
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,932	.....1945.....	2,531
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,552	.....number 1950.....	20,744
.....dollars 1949.....	298,920	.....1945.....	29,861
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,222	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,711
.....dollars 1949.....	974,512	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	2,437
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,605	.....number 1950.....	11,194
.....dollars 1949.....	400,884	.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	14,438
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	868	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,459
.....dollars 1949.....	640,782	.....number 1950.....	3,710
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,626	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	771
.....dollars 1949.....	128,313	.....number 1950.....	2,614
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	652	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	508
.....dollars 1949.....	252,597	.....number 1950.....	2,701
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	381	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,037
.....dollars 1949.....	84,138	.....number 1950.....	4,085
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	451	.....1949.....	49
.....dollars 1949.....	48,495	.....1944.....	19
		.....gallons 1949.....	206,515
<b>FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD</b>		.....dollars 1949.....	194,872
No sales.....number 1950.....	255	.....1949.....	105,859
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	276	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	113	.....1944.....	4
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	166	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,841
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	450	.....1944.....	2,294
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	478	.....dollars 1949.....	976
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	753	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	25
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	387	.....dollars 1949.....	648
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	169		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	64	<b>HOGS</b>	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	75	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,873
		.....1945.....	1,942
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>		.....number 1950.....	17,582
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	2,226	.....1945.....	21,700
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,710
Cotton.....number 1950.....	2,216	.....number 1950.....	9,048
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	988
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	8,544
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	958
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	15	.....1945.....	1,141
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,211
		.....1945.....	2,415

<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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SHEEP AND WOOL</b>		<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	12	<b>Sorghums—Continued</b>	
1945.....	10	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
number 1950.....	195	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1945.....	179	1944.....	4
Sheep and lambs born before		acres 1949.....	149
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	1944.....	97
number 1950.....	117	bushels 1949.....	1,540
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	1944.....	2,220
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	10	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
number 1950.....	89	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 <sup>1</sup> .....	141	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	9		
number 1950.....	28	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or cut	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	10	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1950.....	78	acres 1949.....	201
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	tons cut 1949...	48
1944.....	7		
number shorn 1949.....	100	<b>Small grains:</b>	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	422	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	55
1944.....	1,189	1944.....	90
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	851
		1944.....	4,270
<b>POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS</b>		bushels 1949.....	22,114
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,565	1944.....	135,459
1945.....	2,815	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950.....	84,747	1944.....	106
1945.....	81,913	acres 1949.....	178
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	175	1944.....	755
number 1949.....	6,854	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
dollars 1949.....	8,520	1944.....	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	347	acres 1949.....	928
dozens 1949.....	42,574	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949.....	19,491	162-lb. barrels 1949.....	9,373
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	156	1944.....	.....
number 1950.....	507		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	107	<b>Annual legumes:</b>	
1944.....	53	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	775
number 1949.....	624	acres grown alone 1949...	2,702
1944.....	352	1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	2,402
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	8,515
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	12,120
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	45
		1944.....	55
		acres grown alone 1949...	1,117
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
		bushels 1949.....	15,509
		1944.....	11,121
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		acres grown alone 1949...	181
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	73
		tons 1949.....	203
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	291
		acres grown alone 1949...	701
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	5,779
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	447
		acres grown alone 1949...	703
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4,655
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	379
		acres grown alone 1949...	861
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,045
		1944 <sup>2</sup> .....	1,604
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	208
		acres grown alone 1949...	85
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	247
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	74
		bushels 1949.....	1,851
		1944.....	1,815
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	41
		acres grown alone 1949...	44
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
		bu. in shells 1949...	678
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		acres grown alone 1949...	80
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
		tons 1949...	66
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	111
		acres grown alone 1949...	242
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	461
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	188
		acres grown alone 1949...	289
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,025
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		acres grown alone 1949...	25
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
		Peanuts harvested for picking or	
		threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		1944.....	2
		acres grown alone 1949...	10
		1944 <sup>3</sup> .....	5
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		pounds 1949...	5,066
		1944.....	650
		Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
		or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres grown alone 1949...	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		tons 1949...	5
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
		bushels 1949...	.....

<sup>1</sup>Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.  
<sup>2</sup>Reported in small fractions.

<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	266	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	5,812	acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry onions... farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	12	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	7	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	97	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	11	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	210	acres 1949...	(*)
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	20	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	20	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
tons 1949...	20	1944...	6
1944...		acres 1949...	11
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	229	1944...	4
1944...	296	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949...	4,402	acres 1949...	7
1944...	6,944	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	5,692	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	7,622	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Cats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	4	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	92	24-pt. crates 1949...	160
tons 1949...	381	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	83	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	505
1944...	610	1945...	22
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	31	acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	530
acres 1949...	1,289	1945...	271
1944...	242	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	191
tons 1949...	1,783	1945...	11
1944...	506	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,460
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	1,848
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	878
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	782
tons..green weight 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,302
Field crops (other):		1944...	272
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	285
1944...	9	1945...	118
acres 1949...	185	trees of all ages..number 1950...	15,861
1944...	203	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	9,071
pounds 1949...	50,100	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,590
1944...	39,400	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8,469
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	919	1944...	9,813
1944...	695	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	206
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	28	1945...	23
1944...	373	trees of all ages..number 1950...	569
bushels 1949...	5,956	1945...	55
1944...	21,605	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	255
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,071	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	314
1944...	763	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	580
acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	86	1944...	180
1944...	440	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	124
bushels 1949...	17,180	1945...	13
1944...	38,581	trees of all ages..number 1950...	614
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,475	1945...	68
1944...	2,595	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	250
acres 1949...	45,737	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	564
1944...	29,167	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	106
bales 1949...	34,875	1944...	54
1944...	25,499	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	164
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	79	trees of all ages..number 1950...	527
acres 1949...	50	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	257
gallons 1949...	2,821	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	270
1944...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,382
acres 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	78
1944...		1945...	1
tons 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	225
1944...		1945...	1
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	154
acres 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	71
1944...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	105
tons 1949...		1944...	50
1944...		Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	228
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,574
acres 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	617
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,344	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,957
1944...	2,117	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	105,982
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	23
1944...	28	trees of all ages..number 1950...	211
acres 1949...	26	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	52
1944...	56	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	159
sold..dollars 1949...	2,422	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,695
1944...	10,782	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945...	
1944...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	2	1945...	
1944...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949...	(*)	1944...	
1944...	2	Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	10	quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.  
<sup>\*</sup>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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,564	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	338
.....1945...	2,940	.....1945...	249
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	830,080	.....1950...	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	34.7	.....1945...	42
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	199,179	.....1950...	327
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	82,176	.....1945...	207
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	39,360	.....1950...	1,497
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33,292	.....1945...	1,308
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	288,423	.....1950...	642
.....1945...	212,067	.....1945...	539
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	80.9	.....1950...	256
.....1945...	72.1	.....1945...	205
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,182	.....1950...	278
.....1945...	2,639	.....1945...	196
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	63.91	.....1945...	161
.....1945...	36.59	.....1950...	100
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	87
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,018	.....1950...	57
.....1944...	2,836	.....1945...	38
.....acres 1949...	81,676	.....1950...	36
.....1944...	70,488	.....1945...	21
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	715	.....1950...	83
.....1944...	596	.....1945...	47
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,275	.....1950...	43
.....1944...	1,300	.....1945...	38
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	.....1950...	38
.....1944...	584	.....1945...	29
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	245		
.....1944...	210	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	116	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	71	White operators.....number 1950...	1,862
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	.....1945...	1,329
.....1944...	58	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,702
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....1945...	1,611
.....1944...	40	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	978	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,578
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	707	.....1945...	1,120
.....acres 1949...	43,416	Part owners.....number 1950...	239
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	21,621	.....1945...	105
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	615	Managers.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1949...	11,814	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	13,018	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,725
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	882	.....1945...	1,702
.....acres 1949...	50,404	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	48.4
.....1944...	41,542	.....1945...	57.9
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	914	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	85
.....acres 1949...	61,872	.....1945...	127
.....1944...	35,227	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	653	.....1945...	20
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	770	Share tenants.....number 1950...	482
.....acres 1949...	27,062	.....1945...	487
.....1944 <sup>1</sup> ...	23,106	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	477
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,034	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	2,586	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	982
.....acres 1949...	12,179	.....1945...	1,028
.....1944...	7,065	Croppers.....number 1950...	169
		.....1945...	40
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	45
		.....1945...	124
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	124
		<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	188
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	83
.....1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,471
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	274
.....acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,456
.....1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.75
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	333
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	78
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	199
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	744
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	181
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	17
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		.....number 1950...	46
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	101
		.....number 1950...	105
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	2
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
<b>FARM OPERATORS</b>			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,351		
.....1945...	2,825		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	66		
.....1945...	102		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting 1949...	1,223		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,171		
.....1944...	740		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	608		
.....1944...	183		

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT<sup>a</sup>—Continued</b>		<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued</b>	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	631	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	204
.....1945.....	330	General farms.....number 1950...	56
.....number 1950.....	788	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	26
.....1945.....	383	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	30
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	454	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	1,443
.....1945.....	188	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,443
.....number 1950.....	824		
.....1945.....	333		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	435		
.....number 1950.....	783		
.....1945.....	17		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17		
.....number 1950.....	17		
.....1945.....	22		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	930		
.....number 1950.....	491		
.....1945.....	1,045		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	322		
.....number 1950.....	17		
.....1945.....	17		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,290		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	615		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,205		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	328		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	126		
<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...	2,135
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	635	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,686	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	39
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	716	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	52
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	255	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	238
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	914
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) <sup>1</sup> .....number 1950...	878
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,046	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,429
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	397	Part-time <sup>2</sup> .....number 1950...	583
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,046	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	846
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	212	Abnormal <sup>3</sup> .....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.4		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	424		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,143		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,682		
<b>FARM LABOR<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE</b>	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,304,063
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,759	.....1944.....	4,073,243
.....persons 1950.....	5,140	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,202,359
.....1944.....	2,739	.....1944.....	3,665,789
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,599	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,120,231
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,599	.....1944.....	3,522,370
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,070	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5,930
.....persons 1950.....	1,728	.....1944.....	5,368
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	188	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	73,831
.....persons 1950.....	813	.....1944.....	132,331
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,317
		.....1944.....	2,300
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,052,313
		.....1944.....	278,711
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	74,211
		.....1944.....	89,892
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	58,253
		.....1944.....	39,683
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	920,049
		.....1944.....	249,136
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	49,238
		.....1944.....	28,740
		<b>HORSES AND MULES</b>	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,154
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,678
		.....1945.....	1,452
		.....number 1950.....	3,264
		.....1945.....	3,445
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,278
		.....1945.....	1,339
		.....number 1950.....	2,696
		.....1945.....	3,427
		<b>CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS</b>	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,405
		.....1945.....	2,209
		.....number 1950.....	35,677
		.....1945.....	35,077
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,273
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	2,143
		.....number 1950.....	19,944
		.....1945 <sup>3</sup> .....	20,987
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,984
		.....number 1950.....	4,988
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,188
		.....number 1950.....	5,138
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	823
		.....number 1950.....	3,350
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,302
		.....number 1950.....	7,265
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	38
		.....1944.....	39
		.....gallons 1949.....	119,520
		.....1944.....	163,745
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	73,157
		.....dollars 1949.....	10
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,445
		.....1944.....	8,875
		.....dollars 1949.....	712
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		.....dollars 1949.....	342
		<b>HOGS</b>	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,282
		.....1945.....	2,182
		.....number 1950.....	17,039
		.....1945.....	19,551
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,949
		.....number 1950.....	9,871
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,203
		.....number 1950.....	7,188
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	998
		.....1945.....	1,307
		.....number 1950.....	2,079
		.....1945.....	2,992

<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.

## FARM CHARACTERISTICS, AND FARM PRODUCTS

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	32	Sorghums—Continued	
.....farms reporting 1945...	33	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup—Continued	
.....number 1950...	955	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....farms reporting 1945...	1,145	.....farms reporting 1944...	9
		.....acres 1949...	7
		.....acres 1944...	36
and lambs born before		.....bushels 1949...	108
.....farms reporting 1950...	30	.....farms reporting 1944...	379
.....number 1950...	744	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....farms reporting 1950...	30	.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....farms reporting 1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	29	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....number 1950...	485	.....acres 1944...	.....
.....farms reporting 1945 <sup>1</sup> ...	767	Sorghum hogged or grazed, or out	
		for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	26	.....farms reporting 1949...	51
.....number 1950...	259	.....acres 1949...	141
rams born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	21	.....acres 1944...	60
.....number 1950...	211	tons out 1949...	
and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Small grains:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	22	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number shorn 1949...	593	.....farms reporting 1944...	57
.....pounds 1949...	2,058	.....acres 1949...	53
.....pounds 1944...	5,789	.....acres 1944...	1,919
.....pounds 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.23	.....bushels 1949...	3,747
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		.....bushels 1944...	53,984
		.....bushels 1944...	110,125
3, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,980	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....farms reporting 1945...	2,687	.....farms reporting 1949...	14
.....number 1950...	82,719	.....farms reporting 1944...	39
.....number 1945...	94,554	.....acres 1949...	107
rams sold.....farms reporting 1949...	392	.....acres 1944...	359
.....number 1949...	16,115	Rice threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	17,263	.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....number 1949...	534	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	96,062	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....number 1949...	38,655	.....acres 1944...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	297	.....162-lb. barrels 1949...	.....
.....number 1949...	1,549	.....1944...	.....
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,279	Annual legumes:	
.....number 1950...	105	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1949...	1,874	.....farms reporting 1949...	251
.....number 1944...	1,126	.....acres grown alone 1949...	328
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....acres grown alone 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	935
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,040
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	5,971
		.....farms reporting 1949...	8
hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		.....farms reporting 1944...	11
live.....farms reporting 1949...	1,415	.....acres grown alone 1949...	14
.....dollars 1949...	916,812	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	63
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,007	.....bushels 1949...	420
.....number 1949...	533	.....farms reporting 1944...	207
.....number 1949...	9,785	.....farms reporting 1949...	39
.....number 1944...	5,983	.....acres grown alone 1949...	179
.....number 1949...	448	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
.....dollars 1949...	3,526	.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	245
.....dollars 1949...	348,107	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....farms reporting 1949...	38
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	65
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	314
calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	822	Soybeans plowed under for green	
.....number 1949...	6,259	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	391,143	.....farms reporting 1949...	156
.....number 1949...	768	.....acres grown alone 1949...	70
.....number 1944...	163	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,648
.....number 1949...	7,079	.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	732
.....number 1944...	2,246	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	168,649	.....farms reporting 1949...	1,518
.....dollars 1944...	17	.....acres grown alone 1949...	733
.....dollars 1949...	15	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,311
.....number 1949...	310	.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	2,159
.....number 1944...	477	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	2,900	.....farms reporting 1949...	444
.....dollars 1944...	77	.....farms reporting 1944...	420
.....dollars 1949...	147	.....acres grown alone 1949...	556
.....dollars 1949...	6,013	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	327
		.....bushels 1949...	4,936
		.....bushels 1944...	9,026
		.....bushels 1944...	285
FARM SLAUGHTER		.....acres grown alone 1949...	222
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	270
title or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,952	.....bu. in shells 1949...	3,467
.....farms reporting 1949...	67	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1949...	99	.....farms reporting 1949...	17
.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....acres grown alone 1949...	41
.....farms reporting 1944...	82	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
.....number 1949...	14	.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	45
.....number 1944...	137	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out	
.....number 1949...	59	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1944...	44	.....farms reporting 1949...	116
.....number 1949...	85	.....acres grown alone 1949...	217
.....number 1944...	56	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	142
rams and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,946	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,839	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1949...	5,731	.....farms reporting 1949...	157
.....number 1944...	6,576	.....acres grown alone 1949...	482
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	568
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944 <sup>2</sup> ...	203
meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		.....farms reporting 1949...	298
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....acres grown alone 1949...	298
.....dollars 1949...	801	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	994
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	10
corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,161	.....farms reporting 1949...	98
.....farms reporting 1944...	2,373	.....farms reporting 1944...	72
.....acres 1949...	15,874	.....acres grown alone 1949...	75
.....acres 1944...	20,336	.....acres grown alone 1944 <sup>3</sup> ...	103
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,131	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	2,257	.....pounds 1949...	22,268
.....acres 1949...	15,610	.....pounds 1944...	17,873
.....acres 1944...	19,178	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay	
.....bushels 1949...	296,336	or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....bushels 1944...	190,321	.....farms reporting 1949...	89
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	120
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	139
beans:		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	60	.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	27
.....farms reporting 1944...	87	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	21
.....acres 1949...	150	.....bushels 1949...	1
.....acres 1944...	361	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....acres grown alone 1949...	
		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		.....acres grown with other crops 1944...	
		.....bushels 1949...	

<sup>1</sup>Wethers and ewe lambs kept for breeding.<sup>2</sup>Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.<sup>3</sup>Includes acres grown with other crops.

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	421	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	15,109	.....acres 1949...	2
.....1944...	61	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	10
.....acres 1949...	72	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	1,105	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....acres 1949...	1,147	.....acres 1949...	1
.....tons 1949...	1,785	Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949...	11
.....1944...	1,374	.....acres 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....1944...	13	.....acres 1949...	3
.....acres 1949...	1,839	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	39
.....1944...	479	.....acres 1949...	19
.....tons 1949...	1,610	.....1944...	15
.....1944...	424	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29	.....acres 1949...	56
.....1944...	24	.....acres 1949...	78
.....acres 1949...	206	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	498		
.....tons 1949...	260	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	493	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	3	24-pt. crates 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	77		
.....1944...	72	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....tons 1949...	108	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	712
.....1944...	38	.....acres 1950 <sup>2</sup> ...	272
Other hay out.....farms reporting 1949...	309	.....1945...	1,926
.....acres 1949...	11,881	.....acres 1945...	4,585
.....1944...	9,471	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	138
.....acres 1949...	14,862	.....farms reporting 1945...	212
.....1944...	10,607	trees of all ages..number 1950...	699
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	1,919
.....acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	432
.....1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	237
.....tons..green weight 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	166
Field crops (other):		.....1944...	313
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	347
.....1944...		.....farms reporting 1945...	922
.....acres 1949...	90	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,659
.....1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,448
.....pounds 1949...	7,500	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,211
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	540	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,407
.....1944...	1,148	.....1944...	4,616
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	90	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	211
.....1944...	374	.....farms reporting 1945...	468
bushels 1949...	8,381	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,146
.....1944...	31,446	.....1945...	1,707
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	695	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	615
.....1944...	1,548	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	531
.....acres 1949 <sup>1</sup> ...	407	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,338
.....1944...	859	.....1944...	2,353
bushels 1949...	34,205	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	87
.....1944...	73,605	.....farms reporting 1945...	166
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,500	trees of all ages..number 1950...	789
.....1944...	2,411	.....1945...	897
.....acres 1949...	44,346	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	203
.....1944...	28,814	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	586
bales 1949...	29,176	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	387
.....1944...	32,447	.....1944...	235
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	128	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	280
.....acres 1949...	154	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,078
.....gallons 1949...	17,358	trees of all ages..number 1950...	376
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	702
.....1944...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	20,290
.....acres 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	46
.....1944...		.....farms reporting 1945...	47
.....tons 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	242
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945...	201
.....acres 1949...	6	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	170
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,107	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	72
.....1944...	2,721	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,193
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	226
.....1944...	46	.....farms reporting 1945...	19,523
.....acres 1949...	116	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,546
.....1944...	49	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	13,977
.....acres 1949...	6,930	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	207,551
.....1944...	5,568	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	23	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	135
.....1944...	11	.....farms reporting 1945...	15,375
.....acres 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	319
.....1944...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	15,056
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	15	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	203,843
.....1944...	9	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	2	.....farms reporting 1945...	
.....1944...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	112
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	121	.....1945...	
.....1944...	61	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....acres 1949...	71	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	112
.....1944...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	600
		.....1944...	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....farms reporting 1945...	
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ...	
		.....1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.

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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 or parish in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the parishes in the State. After that, final figures for this parish and for other parishes 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 parish. 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	Parish total	Item	Parish total
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>		<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>	
Farms.....number 1950...	110	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	62
.....1945...	150	.....1945...	90
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	127,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	39
.....1945...	127,360	.....1945...	44
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	6.4	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	23
.....1945...	6.4	.....1945...	46
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,144	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	23
.....1945...	1,144	.....1945...	31
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,077	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	14
.....1945...	4,077	.....1945...	10
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,000	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
.....1945...	7,000	.....1945...	9
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,043	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	3
.....1945...	4,043	.....1945...	1
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	8,178	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	3
.....1945...	8,178	.....1945...	3
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	74.3	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	26.9	.....1945...	2
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	13,452	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	7,741	.....1945...	2
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	192.59	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	287.56	.....1945...	2
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	2
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	40	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	78	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	556	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	781	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	51		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>	
.....1944...	12	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	White operators.....number 1950...	108
.....1944...	8	.....1945...	112
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	6	.....1945...	38
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	1	Full owners.....number 1950...	80
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	62
.....1944...	1	Part owners.....number 1950...	9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	33
.....1944...	1	Managers.....number 1950...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	32	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	10	All tenants.....number 1950...	20
.....acres 1949...	2,449	.....1945...	51
.....1944...	1,134	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	18.2
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1945...	34.0
.....acres 1949...	275	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	453	.....1945...	37
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	21	.....1945...	.....
.....acres 1949...	1,761	Share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	614	.....1945...	.....
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	3	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	205	Croppers.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	37	.....1945...	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	4	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	18	.....1945...	13
.....acres 1949...	2,854	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	562	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	2
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	19		
.....1944...	107	<b>SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*</b>	
.....acres 1949...	78	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	33
.....1944...	457	.....1945...	66
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	73
.....1944...	1	.....1945...	109
.....acres 1949...	2	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	73
.....1944...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	22.00
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	16
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....

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

Item	Parish total	Item	Parish 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...	11 194	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1 2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949... 1944...		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1 2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949... 1944...	1 5 3	Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	2 3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949... 1944...		Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1 2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949... 1944...		Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	10 20
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949... 1944...	11 194 58 170 46	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	15 33 45 54
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons..green weight 1949...		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1 3
Field crops (other):		Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	203
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... pounds 1949... 1944...		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949... 1944...	9 9 1 9 107 818	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 24-pt. crates 1949...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949... 1944...	5 8 1 6 118 325	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bales 1949... 1944...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... acres 1945... 1950 <sup>2</sup> ... 1945... 1944...	20 1 6 1 2
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... gallons 1949... 1944...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1945... 1950... 1945... 1944...	2 8 14 8 6 30 6 6 22 45 7 15 1 10
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949... 1944...	1 1 17	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	2 8 14 8 6 30 6 6 22 45 7 15 1 10
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... 1944...	6 6 22 45 7 15 1 10
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	40 95	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... 1944...	3 2 10 18 8 2 2
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	19 69 370 680 47,621 97,102	Figs.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	14 100 29 71 305
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	4 38 14 80	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... 1944...	1 1 1
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	6 17 62 70	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	10 326 21 305 525
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	2 10 15 18	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	4 29 29 520
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... 1944...	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> ... 1944 <sup>4</sup> ...	10 91 16 75 21 86

<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>Harvested in 1949-50 from the bloom of 1949.  
<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.





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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...	11	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	194	.....acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	2
.....acres 1949.....		Shallots and green onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
.....tons 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	2
.....1944.....		Hot peppers.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....1944.....		Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....acres 1949.....	20
.....1944.....		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
.....tons 1949.....	3	.....1944.....	33
.....1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	45
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1944.....	54
.....1944.....		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....acres 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	3
.....1944.....		Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	213
.....tons 1949.....			
.....1944.....		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....24-pt. crates 1949.....	
.....1944.....			
.....tons 1949.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	.....1945.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	194	.....acres 1950 <sup>1</sup> .....	6
.....1944.....	58	.....1945.....	1
.....tons 1949.....	170	.....1944.....	2
.....1944.....	46	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....tons..green weight 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Field crops (other):		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1944.....	
.....1944.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	14
.....pounds 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
.....1944.....	9	.....1944.....	30
.....acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
.....1944.....	9	.....1945.....	6
.....bushels 1949.....	107	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	22
.....1944.....	818	.....1945.....	45
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	7
.....1944.....	8	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	15
.....acres 1949 <sup>2</sup> .....	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
.....1944.....	6	.....1944.....	10
.....bushels 1949.....	118	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	3
.....1944.....	325	.....1945.....	2
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	10
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	18
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
.....bales 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	2
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....		Figs.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	100
.....gallons 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	29
Sugarcane cut for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	71
.....1944.....	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	305
.....acres 1949.....	1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
.....tons 1949.....	17	.....1944.....	1
.....1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Sugarcane cut for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	40	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	95	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
.....1944.....	69	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	370	.....1945.....	325
.....1944.....	680	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	21
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	47,621	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	305
.....1944.....	97,102	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	525
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
.....1944.....	38	.....1945.....	29
.....acres 1949.....	14	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	29
.....1944.....	80	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	520
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
.....1944.....	17	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....	62	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	70	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	10	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....	15	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....	18	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	
		Oranges, including tangerines and mandarins.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
		.....1945.....	91
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	16
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	75
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	21
		.....quantity harvested..field boxes 1949 <sup>3</sup> .....	86
		.....1944.....	

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<sup>4</sup>Quantity harvested in 1943-1944 season.