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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	4,517	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	119
1945...	4,703	1945...	148
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	867,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	37
1945...	85.0	1945...	32
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	95.0	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	82
1945...	645,215	1945...	116
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	200,611	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	122
1945...	6,143	1945...	118
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,624	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	130
1945...	824,545	1945...	167
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	835,539	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	69
1945...	182.5	1945...	75
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	177.2	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	353
1945...	12,668	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	599
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	8,466	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	727
1945...	67.87	1945...	788
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	47.78	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	1,027
1945...		1945...	1,047
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	691
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4,362	1945...	725
1944...	4,807	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	480
acres 1949...	486,532	1945...	491
1944...	509,682	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	784
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	115	1945...	704
1944...	187	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	59
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1945...	55
1944...	106	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	6
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	103	1945...	9
1944...	105		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	302	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	322	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,528	White operators.....number 1950...	4,517
1944...	1,514	1945...	4,703
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,815	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	1,941		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	412	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	432	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,970
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	847	1945...	2,963
1944...	848	Part owners.....number 1950...	832
acres 1949...	21,049	1945...	785
1944...	29,841	Managers.....number 1950...	16
		1945...	22
Cropland not harvested and not		All tenants.....number 1950...	699
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	437	1945...	933
acres 1949...	9,088	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.5
1944...	12,779	1945...	19.4
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,064	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	845
1944...	1,787	1945...	508
acres 1949...	103,342	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	142
1944...	96,922	1945...	150
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	959	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	140
1944...	628	1945...	285
acres 1949...	20,807	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	53
1944...	15,524	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	87
Other pasture (not cropland and		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	74
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	2,661	1945...	10
1944...	2,499	Other tenants.....number 1950...	20
acres 1949...	116,436	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	64
1944...	106,928		
Other land (house lots, roads,		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	4,468	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,069
1944...	4,870	1945...	1,957
acres 1949...	87,291	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	3,826
1944...	63,663	1945...	2,519
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	5	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	3,805
1944...	4	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.04
acres 1949...	35	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	3,130
1944...	45	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	868
1944...	35	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	3,616
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	851
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,405
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	244
		number 1950...	249
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	503
		number 1950...	508
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	154
		number 1950...	154
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2,988
		number 1950...	3,247
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	101
		number 1950...	106
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	4,413		
1945...	4,817		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	77		
1945...	63		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	288		
1944...	981		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	864		
1944...	371		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	247		
1944...			

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,095	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	657
.....1945.....	698	General farms.....number 1950.....	1,092
.....number 1950.....	1,286	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	755	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,816	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	3,064	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	4,775	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	5,282	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	5,761	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	4,841	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	76	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	81	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	51	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	51	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	4,106	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	4,482	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	4,916	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	5,020	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	285	.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	415	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	5,211	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	606	.....number 1950.....	.....
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	4,247
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	216	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,111	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	238
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,652	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1,762
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	477	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1,607
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	511
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	129
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,427	Other farms.....number 1950.....	270
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	371	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	157
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,716	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	106
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	562	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	7
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.0	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Kind of road on which farm is located:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	22,009,561
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	685	.....1944.....	15,792,669
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,560	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,998,211
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,075	.....1944.....	754,508
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,865,455
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	588,788
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,281	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	72,107
.....persons 1950.....	9,481	.....1944.....	124,458
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,280	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,655
.....persons 1950.....	4,085	.....1944.....	9,453
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,085	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	47,996
.....persons 1950.....	2,578	.....1944.....	10,846
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,383	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,885,587
.....persons 1950.....	770	.....1944.....	15,008,108
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,013	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,755,059
.....persons 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	5,657,156
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,410,228
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,456	.....1944.....	3,292,585
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,186	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,858,280
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	3,981	.....1944.....	6,112,409
.....dollars 1949.....	734,442	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	26,585
.....dollars 1949.....	2,216	.....1944.....	49,055
.....dollars 1949.....	1,615,867	HORSES AND MULES	
.....dollars 1949.....	4,256	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,849
.....dollars 1949.....	2,692,835	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,841
.....dollars 1949.....	1,180,871	.....1945.....	4,238
.....dollars 1949.....	3,640	.....number 1950.....	10,712
.....dollars 1949.....	362,412	.....1945.....	17,452
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,166	.....number 1950.....	27
.....dollars 1949.....	1,197,805	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	59
.....dollars 1949.....	3,376	.....1945.....	48
.....dollars 1949.....	329,304	.....number 1950.....	88
.....dollars 1949.....	4,041	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949.....	586,875	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,258
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1945.....	4,476
No sales.....number 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	105,391
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	81	.....1945.....	118,500
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	70	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,201
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	65	.....1945 ³	4,455
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	107	.....number 1950.....	55,422
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	121	.....1945 ³	70,949
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	434	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,186
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	945	.....number 1950.....	54,747
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	1,281	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,758
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	1,145	.....number 1950.....	26,485
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	245	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,410
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	9,873
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit and nut.....number 1950.....	102	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,006
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	11,655
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,407
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	905
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds 1949.....	99,814,455
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	57,807,549
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	2,690,688
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,820
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	3,789
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	6,980,812
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	8,568,063
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	4,843,124
.....number 1950.....	.....	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	13
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	1,237
.....number 1950.....	.....	HOGS	
.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,851
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	4,061
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	95,588
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	78,719
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,786
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	42,778
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,058
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	52,790
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	3,566
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	5,772
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	22,824
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	20,696

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	273	Corn:	
1945.....	522	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4,159
number 1950...	6,488	1944.....	4,421
1945.....	9,984	acres 1949...	127,283
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	155,608
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	272	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	5,849
number 1950...	4,498	1944.....	4,283
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	288	acres 1949...	81,099
1945 ¹	476	1944.....	94,782
number 1950...	4,051	bushels 1949...	5,299,250
1945 ¹	8,087	1944.....	4,119,524
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	131	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2,931
number 1950...	447	acres 1949...	38,207
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	160	tons..green weight 1949...	275,121
number 1950...	1,970	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	244	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	862
1944.....	460	acres 1949...	7,960
number shorn 1949...	4,312	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	34,495	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944.....	85,837	1944.....	44
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	95
		1944.....	205
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4,014	1944.....	7
1945.....	4,456	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	726,028	1944.....	50
1945.....	840,855	bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,951	1944.....	485
number 1949...	457,178	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	395,320	acres 1949...	9
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3,882	tons..green weight 1949...	62
dozens 1949...	8,045,566	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	2,857,527	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	20	acres 1949...	84
number 1950...	1,087	tons cut 1949...	138
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Small grains:	
1944.....	87	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	23,375	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	802
1944.....	16,194	acres 1949...	24,154
		bushels 1949...	919,557
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	77
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	193
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	4,257	acres 1949...	879
dollars 1949...	8,729,829	1944.....	1,599
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	4,146	bushels 1949...	12,545
1944.....	4,274	1944.....	14,308
number 1949...	43,178	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
1944.....	46,521	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	56
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	3,420	acres 1949...	614
number 1949...	15,570	bushels 1949...	9,072
dollars 1949...	2,654,828	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	1,282
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,871	acres 1949...	12,156
number 1949...	27,606	bushels 1949...	204,235
dollars 1949...	1,152,809	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5,771
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	5,861	1944.....	5,980
1944.....	4,147	acres 1949...	162,958
number 1949...	127,595	1944.....	148,952
1944.....	138,751	bushels 1949...	6,049,721
dollars 1949...	4,859,079	1944.....	4,658,910
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	255	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	82
1944.....	325	1944.....	110
number 1949...	3,649	acres 1949...	550
1944.....	5,614	1944.....	774
dollars 1949...	64,556	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	979
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	314	1944.....	1,801
number 1949...	528	acres 1949...	17,054
dollars 1949...	18,379	1944.....	22,393
		bushels 1949...	475,522
		1944.....	541,318
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	399
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	3,911	1944.....	450
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,814	acres 1949...	6,501
number 1949...	2,598	1944.....	6,235
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,440	bushels 1949...	109,161
1944.....	2,097	1944.....	55,651
number 1949...	1,809	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	115
1944.....	2,587	acres 1949...	1,555
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	529	bushels 1949...	18,624
1944.....	598	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1949...	787	acres 1949...	104
1944.....	744	bushels 1949...	2,907
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	5,808	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	822
1944.....	4,282	1944.....	438
number 1949...	14,654	acres 1949...	12,275
1944.....	17,873	1944.....	6,129
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949...	123,954
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046	1944.....	59,608
dollars 1949...	28,268		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than	
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	5,829
1944 ¹	117	1944.....	4,441
acres 1949...	903	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	158
1944.....	775	1944.....	205
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	55	acres 1949...	1,325
1944.....	49	1944.....	1,325
acres 1949...	685	sold..dollars 1949...	72,107
1944.....	333	1944.....	124,458
bushels 1949...	6,265	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	4,384	acres 1949...	3
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	32	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	174	1944.....	14
acres 1949...	212	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	8	1944.....	14
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut		Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	3	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Soybeans plowed under for green		1944.....	21
manure.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres 1949...	15
1944.....	5	1944.....	51
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans,		Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	8
harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949...	5
1944.....	41	1944.....	89
acres 1949...	4	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	102
1944.....	52	acres 1949...	758
bushels 1949...	624	1944.....	810
1944.....	4	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	42
Dry field and seed peas harvested for		acres 1949...	48
peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944 ²	52	acres 1949...	8
acres 1949...	624	1944.....	56
1944.....	4	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	96
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		acres 1949...	450
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	4,200	1944.....	821
1944.....	119,558	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		1944.....	22
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	3,147	acres 1949...	13
1944.....	3,058	1944.....	28
acres 1949...	38,470	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	32,784	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	81,812	1944.....	22
tons 1949...	847,794	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	22
1944.....	1,441	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,416	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	58
1944.....	14,585	acres 1949...	10
acres 1949...	12,591	quarts 1949...	9,574
1944.....	20,149	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	57
tons 1949...	19,294	acres 1949...	15
1944.....	231	quarts 1949...	15,425
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	124	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	1,817	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	2,151
acres 1949...	908	1945.....	264
1944.....	2,329	acres 1950 ³ ...	139
1944.....	1,218	1945.....	103
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,589	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	2,075
1944.....	3,034	1945.....	2,298
acres 1949...	47,881	trees of all ages..number 1950...	18,120
1944.....	68,423	1945.....	18,854
tons 1949...	58,256	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,578
1944.....	84,193	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,544
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,214	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	21,247
1944.....	2,217	1944.....	18,849
acres 1949...	17,148	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	81
1944.....	31,873	1945.....	26
tons 1949...	25,929	trees of all ages..number 1950...	137
1944.....	49,050	1945.....	158
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	79
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	58
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	50
Field crops (other):		1944.....	35
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	195	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	157
1944.....	34	1945.....	170
acres 1949...	1,049	trees of all ages..number 1950...	413
1944.....	186	1945.....	649
bushels 1949...	661	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	187
1944.....	90	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	231
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	509	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,137
1944.....	282	1944.....	1,935
acres 1949...	4,163	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	879
1944.....	1,984	1945.....	782
bushels 1949...	4,365	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,210
1944.....	450	1945.....	5,147
acres 1949...	34	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	971
1944.....	388	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,238
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	701	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,175
1944.....	6	1944.....	1,354
acres 1949...	34	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	547
1944.....	80	1945.....	429
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,064
1944.....	21	1945.....	2,987
acres 1949...	40	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	372
1944.....	2,298	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,692
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11,752
sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5,931	1944.....	23,165
1944.....	1,355	Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	37
acres 1949...	3,920	acres 1949...	18
1944.....	90,369	1944.....	135
bushels 1949...	225,257	100 lb. ear corn 1949...	18
1944.....	37		
Corn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	37		
acres 1949...	18		
1944.....	135		

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/2 acre harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,875	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	84
.....1945...	2,013	.....1945...	91
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	272,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	23
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	96.5	.....1945...	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	177,402	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	61
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	91,832	.....1945...	81
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,117	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	70
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,373	.....1945...	112
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	262,478	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	66
.....1945...	272,048	.....1945...	78
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	140.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	36
.....1945...	135.1	.....1945...	39
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	18,268	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	308
.....1945...	12,374	.....1945...	363
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	124.77	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	390
.....1945...	91.56	.....1945...	390
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	500
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,810	.....1945...	524
.....1944...	1,979	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	185
.....acres 1949...	182,549	.....1945...	178
.....1944...	178,022	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	118
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	68	.....1945...	106
.....1944...	136	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	116
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	48	.....1945...	119
.....1944...	56	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	6
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	45	.....1945...	12
.....1944...	57	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	89	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	166		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	706	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	856	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	770	White operators.....number 1950...	1,875
.....1944...	645	.....1945...	2,013
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	84	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	63	.....1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	782	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ...	545	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,151
.....acres 1949...	16,120	.....1945...	1,162
.....1944 ¹ ...	7,798	Part owners.....number 1950...	289
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	179
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	136	Managers.....number 1950...	7
.....acres 1949...	2,159	.....1945...	19
.....1944...	18,714	All tenants.....number 1950...	478
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	373	.....1945...	658
.....1944...	247	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	25.5
.....acres 1949...	7,426	.....1945...	22.4
.....1944...	4,040	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	171
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	271	.....1945...	278
.....1944...	208	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....acres 1949...	2,455	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	2,384	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	253
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	360
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,166	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	30
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,605	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	228
.....acres 1949...	32,018	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....1944 ¹ ...	46,279	.....1945...	10
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	2
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,851	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	20
.....1944...	1,998		
.....acres 1949...	19,751	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	19,816	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,309
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,400
.....1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,769
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,629
.....1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,764
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	12,32
.....acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	1,403
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	592
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	607
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,687
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	800
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,216
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	327
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	327
		.....number 1950...	328
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	328
		.....number 1950...	97
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		.....number 1950...	98
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1,817
		.....number 1950...	1,404
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....number 1950...	11
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,819		
.....1945...	1,954		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	22		
.....1945...	43		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	106		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	388		
.....1944...	195		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	145		
.....1944...	115		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	804	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	448
.....1945.....	450	General farms.....number 1950...	718
.....number 1950.....	838	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	489	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,594	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	1,664	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	2,432	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	2,049	.....number 1950.....	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,589	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	2,398	.....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	24	.....number 1950.....	.....
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	.....
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,603	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	1,878	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	1,994	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	2,282	.....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	138	.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or		.....number 1950.....	.....
mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	112	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,816	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	414	.....number 1950.....	.....
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD²		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,789
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	36	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	19
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	772	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	244
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	686	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	911
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	325	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	366
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	198
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	51
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,064	Other farms.....number 1950.....	86
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Part-time ³.....number 1950.....	40
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	415	Residential (less than \$250 value of	
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	105	products sold).....number 1950.....	46
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.0	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	187	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,809,628
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,582	.....dollars 1944.....	8,666,194
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,248,067
FARM LABOR³		.....dollars 1944.....	711,808
Week preceding enumeration:		Field crops, other than vegetables	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,699	and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,561,281
.....persons 1950.....	3,483	.....dollars 1944.....	362,259
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,860	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	155,482
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,609	.....dollars 1944.....	140,895
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	976	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,514
.....persons 1950.....	1,855	.....dollars 1944.....	1,789
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	334	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	528,890
.....persons 1950.....	498	.....dollars 1944.....	206,680
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁴		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,058,977
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,779	.....dollars 1944.....	7,958,046
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,659	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,107,771
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,557	.....dollars 1944.....	2,580,510
.....dollars 1949.....	359,045	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,095,690
.....dollars 1944.....	1,334	.....dollars 1944.....	1,689,680
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	788,069	Livestock and livestock products, other	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,717	than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,855,616
.....dollars 1949.....	1,541,138	.....dollars 1944.....	3,682,956
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,591	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,779
.....dollars 1949.....	845,083	.....dollars 1944.....	1,845
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees		HORSES AND MULES	
purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,589	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,803
.....dollars 1949.....	399,157	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,293
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and		.....number 1945.....	1,712
oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,684	.....number 1950.....	3,514
.....dollars 1949.....	770,079	.....number 1945.....	6,203
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,514	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
.....dollars 1949.....	288,801	.....number 1945.....	21
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,597	.....number 1950.....	50
.....dollars 1949.....	295,837	.....number 1945.....	41
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
No sales.....number 1950.....	17	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,677
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	29	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,888
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	26	.....number 1950.....	37,757
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	16	.....number 1945.....	43,992
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	26	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,652
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	63	.....farms reporting 1945 ³	1,821
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	158	.....number 1950.....	19,570
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	243	.....number 1945 ³	27,586
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	380	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,640
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	654	.....number 1950.....	19,213
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	263	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,492
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	12,093
Field-crop farms other than vegetable		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,178
and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	77	.....number 1950.....	2,826
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	76	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	978
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	3,313
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	778
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....farms reporting 1944.....	847
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds 1949.....	63,009,812
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	448	.....pounds 1944.....	45,941,871
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	76	.....dollars 1949.....	1,806,941
		.....dollars 1944.....	868
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,040
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	1,929,923
		.....dollars 1949.....	2,528,234
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,300,579
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk,	
		and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
		.....dollars 1949.....	281
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,476
		.....number 1945.....	1,594
		.....number 1950.....	58,546
		.....number 1945.....	45,310
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,451
		.....number 1950.....	25,656
		.....number 1950.....	901
		.....number 1950.....	38,890
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,886
		.....number 1945.....	1,277
		.....number 1950.....	11,792
		.....number 1945.....	9,075

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	158	Corn:	
1945...	148	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,749
number 1950...	3,589	1944...	1,910
1945...	3,117	acres 1949...	70,454
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	155	1944...	68,454
number 1950...	2,190	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,730
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	155	1944...	1,872
1945...	134	acres 1949...	57,386
number 1950...	2,060	1944...	48,640
1945...	2,171	bushels 1949...	2,914,428
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	76	1944...	2,302,454
number 1950...	180	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1,200
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	114	acres 1949...	10,821
number 1950...	1,349	tons..green weight 1949...	107,543
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	145	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	322
1944...	124	acres 1949...	1,697
number shorn 1949...	2,054	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	17,889	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	19,151	1944...	2
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	36
		1944...	7
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,692	1944...	
1945...	1,862	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	419,141	1944...	
1945...	453,159	bushels 1949...	
Hickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,412	1944...	
number 1949...	281,571	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	235,426	acres 1949...	3
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,682	tons..green weight 1949...	20
dozens 1949...	4,721,786	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	1,741,923	acres 1949...	38
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	5	tons cut 1949...	50
number 1950...	412	Small grains:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	252
1944...	8	acres 1949...	5,704
number 1949...	10,046	bushels 1949...	233,525
1944...	6,951	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	44
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	137
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,722	acres 1949...	367
dollars 1949...	4,831,563	1944...	1,168
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,645	bushels 1949...	7,820
1944...	1,750	1944...	17,677
number 1949...	17,250	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944...	18,688	acres 1949...	54
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,387	bushels 1949...	738
number 1949...	7,168	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	101
dollars 1949...	1,252,599	acres 1949...	1,006
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,438	bushels 1949...	23,976
number 1949...	10,082	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,592
dollars 1949...	378,905	1944...	1,213
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,534	acres 1949...	54,884
1944...	1,686	1944...	32,542
number 1949...	79,342	bushels 1949...	2,512,203
1944...	82,456	1944...	939,430
dollars 1949...	3,148,124	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	144	1944...	19
1944...	65	acres 1949...	123
number 1949...	2,270	1944...	274
1944...	1,275	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	180
dollars 1949...	42,547	1944...	17
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	130	acres 1949...	2,707
number 1949...	284	1944...	288
dollars 1949...	9,388	bushels 1949...	80,236
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	4,561
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,454	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	579	1944...	10
number 1949...	677	acres 1949...	236
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	471	1944...	65
1944...	667	bushels 1949...	5,013
number 1949...	501	1944...	537
1944...	721	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	181	acres 1949...	22
1944...	89	bushels 1949...	82
number 1949...	175	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	111	acres 1949...	5
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,870	bushels 1949...	178
1944...	1,658	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	164
number 1949...	3,227	1944...	22
1944...	3,971	acres 1949...	2,564
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	208	1944...	322
dollars 1949...	4,610	bushels 1949...	34,099
		1944...	2,165

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1,444 1,287
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ¹ ...	581 392	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	86 143
acres 1949... 1944 ¹ ...	8,364 3,055	acres 1949... 1944...	1,999 3,179
acres 1949... 1944 ¹ ...	511 100	sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	155,482 140,595
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	7,680 821	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	4 3
acres 1949... 1944...	148,173 18,556	acres 1949... 1944...	8 1
bushels 1949... 1944...	116 620	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	15 15
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	7 40	acres 1949... 1944...	4 1
acres 1949... 1944...	5 24	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	9 7
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2 8	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	47 68
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	56 8	acres 1949... 1944...	5 3
acres 1949... 1944...	138 1,840	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	35 89
bushels 1949... 1944...	8 1,819	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	6 3
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ...	138 1,840	acres 1949... 1944...	8 9
acres 1949... 1944 ² ...	1,840 8	acres 1949... 1944...	110 49
bushels 1949... 1944 ² ...	8 38,295	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	46 777
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		acres 1949... 1944...	753
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1,677 38,295	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	18 7
acres 1949... 1944...	1,162 1,185	acres 1949... 1944...	20 17
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	14,610 18,028	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	3 1
acres 1949... 1944...	36,101 28,772	acres 1949... 1944...	28
tons 1949... 1944...	772 972	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	8,867 11,784	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949... 1944...	15,875 22,561	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	26 14
tons 1949... 1944...	52 19	acres 1949... 1944...	18,238 21
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	311 192	acres 1949... 1944...	7 4,571
acres 1949... 1944...	382 160	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949... 1944...	661 795	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	972 15
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	6,512 8,865	acres 1950 ⁴ ... 1945...	85 84
acres 1949... 1944...	8,008 10,227	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	938 1,105
tons 1949... 1944...	8,287 558	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	8,040 9,185
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2,755 6,896	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	1,587 6,453
acres 1949... 1944...	4,047 10,888	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	10,471 2,472
tons 1949... 1944...	14 117	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	50 8
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	117 819	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	89 13
acres 1949... 1944...	26 2	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	52 87
Field crops (other):		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	83 88
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	151 22	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	88
acres 1949... 1944...	212 21	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	64 9
bushels 1949... 1944...	138 77	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	190 30
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1,074 698	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	104 86
acres 1949... 1944...	1,083 480	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	748
bushels 1949... 1944...	6 15	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	245 187
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	42 4	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	1,218 602
acres 1949... 1944...	50 2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	258 950
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	7 10	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	633 66
acres 1949... 1944...	300 698	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	144 72
bushels 1949... 1944...	504 882	vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	876 295
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	118,705 66,698	vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	187 689
acres 1949... 1944...	26 45	vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	3,215 944
bushels 1949... 1944...	254	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	254		
acres 1949... 1944...			
100 lb. ear corn 1949...			

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

For release July 28, 1951

STEVENS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,257	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	25
.....1945...	1,274	.....1945...	8
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	364,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	85.4	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	219,648	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	22
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	159,817	.....1945...	7
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,039	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	24
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,625	.....1945...	18
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	347,879	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	12
.....1945...	358,152	.....1945...	13
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	276.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	281.1	.....1945...	4
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	20,307	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	26
.....1945...	12,805	.....1945...	40
average per acre, dollars 1950A*	73.45	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	37
.....1945...	45.55	.....1945...	28
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	241
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,218	.....1945...	272
.....1944...	1,250	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	101
acres 1949...	289,413	.....1945...	99
.....1944...	249,599	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	186
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945...	173
.....1944...	8	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	523
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	534
.....1944...	10	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	73
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....1945...	77
.....1944...	5	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	4
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945...	8
.....1944...	15	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	68	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	104	White operators.....number 1950...	1,257
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	490	.....1945...	1,274
.....1944...	585	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	622	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	323	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	632	Full owners.....number 1950...	556
.....1944 ¹ ...	847	.....1945...	484
acres 1949...	17,198	Part owners.....number 1950...	269
.....1944 ¹ ...	26,271	.....1945...	252
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	289	.....1945...	3
acres 1949...	7,913	All tenants.....number 1950...	430
.....1944...	23,510	.....1945...	535
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	91	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	34.2
.....1944...	39	.....1945...	42.0
acres 1949...	1,880	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	52
.....1944...	801	.....1945...	50
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	116	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	272
.....1944...	38	.....1945...	188
acres 1949...	780	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	104
.....1944...	360	.....1945...	347
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	85
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	592	.....1945...	19
.....1944 ¹ ...	495	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
acres 1949...	20,503	.....1945...	30
.....1944 ¹ ...	17,192	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	4
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	18
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,240	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	1,254	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	767
acres 1949...	30,192	.....1945...	725
.....1944...	40,419	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,109
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	455
.....1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,098
acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.51
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	641
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	291
acres 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	209
.....1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,018
FARM OPERATORS		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	205
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,191	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1945...	1,185	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	333
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	60	.....1945...	522
.....1945...	70	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	545
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	557
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	67	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	668
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	372	.....1945...	55
.....1944...	241	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	53
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	77	.....1945...	55
.....1944...	19	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	659
		.....1945...	692
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
	1945...	5

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	493	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	866
1945.....	320	General farms.....number 1950...	887
number 1950.....	555	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
1945.....	344	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	147
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,086	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	240
1945.....	1,128	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	27
number 1950.....	1,811		
1945.....	1,464		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,088		
number 1950.....	1,720		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	46		
number 1950.....	51		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	29		
number 1950.....	30		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,123		
1945.....	1,157		
number 1950.....	1,514		
1945.....	1,423		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	91		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	47		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	538		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	576		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,230
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	18
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	363	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	221
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	565	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	580
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	251	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	279
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	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) ¹.....number 1950...	41
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	866	Other farms.....number 1950...	27
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Part-time ².....number 1950...	16
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	121	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	6
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	56	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	5
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.7		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	176	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,059,716
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	168	1944.....	5,553,571
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	52	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,934,434
		1944.....	1,973,656
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,909,966
		1944.....	1,962,106
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	155
		1944.....	1,012
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	634
		1944.....	745
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	23,699
		1944.....	9,793
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,125,102
		1944.....	3,578,325
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	645,027
		1944.....	648,987
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	815,029
		1944.....	710,209
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,665,046
		1944.....	2,219,729
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	180
		1944.....	990
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	528
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	585
		1945.....	1,083
		number 1950.....	1,573
		1945.....	3,873
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	4
		1945.....	15
		number 1950.....	8
		1945.....	33
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,071
		1945.....	1,161
		number 1950.....	22,428
		1945.....	29,574
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,042
		1945 ³	1,134
		number 1950.....	8,640
		1945 ³	12,863
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	991
		number 1950.....	7,410
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	867
		number 1950.....	4,900
		Stags and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	822
		number 1950.....	5,692
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	768
		number 1950.....	3,196
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	27
		1944.....	36
		pounds 1949.....	2,165,364
		1944.....	1,444,224
		dollars 1949.....	65,011
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	871
		1944.....	1,040
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	870,722
		1944.....	1,176,870
		dollars 1949.....	580,016
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
		dollars 1949.....	.....
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	989
		1945.....	1,048
		number 1950.....	28,480
		1945.....	25,164
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	966
		number 1950.....	12,895
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	439
		number 1950.....	15,765
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	923
		1945.....	906
		number 1950.....	8,098
		1945.....	7,106

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

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	140	Corn:	
1945.....	253	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,183
number 1950.....	6,908	1944.....	1,219
1945.....	12,308	acres 1949.....	87,728
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	82,324
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	139	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,174
number 1950.....	5,188	1944.....	1,208
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	138	acres 1949.....	80,749
1945 ¹	240	1944.....	71,685
number 1950.....	4,769	bushels 1949.....	2,797,186
1945 ¹	8,762	1944.....	2,694,660
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	87	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	519
number 1950.....	413	acres 1949.....	5,343
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	80	tons..green weight 1949.....	40,793
number 1950.....	1,726	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	142	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	228
1944.....	240	acres 1949.....	1,836
number shorn 1949.....	6,024	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	50,283	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	80,046	1944.....	20
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	25
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	192
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,085	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	1,118	1944.....	
number 1950.....	189,995	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	205,864	1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	888	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	155,759	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	141,774	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,031	acres 1949.....	4
dozens 1949.....	1,687,107	tons..green weight 1949.....	20
dollars 1949.....	616,887	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	14	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	73	acres 1949.....	21
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	31	tons cut 1949.....	28
1944.....	63	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	8,472	Grains grown together and threshed as	
1944.....	6,087	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	58
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	1,468
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949.....	41,874
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,148	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	168
dollars 1949.....	3,815,591	1944.....	11
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,027	acres 1949.....	3,502
1944.....	1,037	1944.....	287
number 1949.....	11,141	bushels 1949.....	38,563
1944.....	11,731	1944.....	2,375
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	885	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
number 1949.....	8,792	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
dollars 1949.....	1,642,284	acres 1949.....	675
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	535	bushels 1949.....	7,650
number 1949.....	2,409	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	593
dollars 1949.....	173,839	acres 1949.....	16,347
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,021	bushels 1949.....	218,877
1944.....	1,067	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,100
number 1949.....	41,983	1944.....	1,403
1944.....	45,554	acres 1949.....	72,938
dollars 1949.....	1,877,792	1944.....	86,896
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	145	bushels 1949.....	2,163,660
1944.....	211	1944.....	2,562,722
number 1949.....	5,798	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	8,895	1944.....	5
dollars 1949.....	111,827	acres 1949.....	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	109	1944.....	89
number 1949.....	315	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	786
dollars 1949.....	10,149	1944.....	577
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949.....	26,463
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,004	1944.....	14,804
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	548	bushels 1949.....	834,791
number 1949.....	635	1944.....	222,832
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	376	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	74
1944.....	515	1944.....	27
number 1949.....	419	acres 1949.....	1,089
1944.....	596	1944.....	488
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	188	bushels 1949.....	27,539
1944.....	93	1944.....	6,395
number 1949.....	216	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	101	acres 1949.....	156
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	921	bushels 1949.....	1,623
1944.....	1,066	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	2,126	acres 1949.....	45
1944.....	2,612	bushels 1949.....	788
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	618
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	278	1944.....	494
dollars 1949.....	7,245	acres 1949.....	23,502
		1944.....	13,812
		bushels 1949.....	222,190
		1944.....	141,001

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	815 1,037
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ¹ ...	306 138	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	4 17 2 6
acres 1949... 1944 ¹ ...	6,360 1,577	acres 1949... 1944...	155 1,012
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	292 85	bushels 1949... 1944...	1
acres 1949... 1944...	6,189 1,053	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	(*)
bushels 1949... 1944...	70,499 11,926	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1 3
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	22 133	acres 1949... 1944...	(*) (*)
acres 1949... 1944...	162	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2 8	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1 4
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	5 50	acres 1949... 1944...	(*) 1
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2 6	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	3 4 2
acres 1949... 1944...	60	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	(*) 1
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ...		acres 1949... 1944...	(*)
acres 1949... 1944 ² ...		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	
bushels 1949... 1944 ² ...		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1 2
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1,035 23,321	acres 1949... 1944...	(*) (*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	741 949	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2 5
acres 1949... 1944...	10,821 16,223	acres 1949... 1944...	(*) 2
tons 1949... 1944...	17,616 26,222	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	62 69	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	
acres 1949... 1944...	712 655	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949... 1944...	672 875	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	9 1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	18 30	acres 1949... 1944...	556 4
acres 1949... 1944...	148 276	quarts 1949... 1944...	(*) 155
tons 1949... 1944...	173 350	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	529 618	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949... 1944...	8,403 12,212	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 1950 ³ ...	463 9 57
tons 1949... 1944...	8,503 12,536	acres 1950 ³ ... 1945... 1949...	14 450 428
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	275 331	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	3,975 3,670
acres 1949... 1944...	3,293 3,406	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	1,648 2,327
tons 1949... 1944...	3,534 4,368	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	2,635 2,123
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1 17	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
acres 1949... 1944...	65	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	8 10 31 19
tons..green weight 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	27 4
Field crops (other):		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	109 145	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	265 265
acres 1949... 1944...	1,002 1,781	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	92 68 368 290
bushels 1949... 1944...	779 1,128	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	232 136 918 265
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	9 11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	
acres 1949... 1944...	119 114	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	188 126
bushels 1949... 1944...	89 247	trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	1,404 1,197
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	8 60	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	455 949
acres 1949... 1944...	127	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	369 67
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
acres 1949... 1944...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	39 37
bushels 1949... 1944...		vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945...	241 327
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2 5	vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	85 156
acres 1949... 1944...	4	vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1945...	1,901 1,042
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	280 858	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	
acres 1949... 1944...	60 477		
bushels 1949... 1944...	4,514 33,764		
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	10 2		
acres 1949... 1944...	30		
100 lb. ear corn 1949...			

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,849	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	55
1945...	1,824	1945...	33
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	478,080	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	95.3	1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	279,789	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	50
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	202,449	1945...	28
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,040	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	27
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	27,542	1945...	32
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	455,786	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	32
1945...	448,219	1945...	23
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	248.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	19
1945...	245.7	1945...	11
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	17,958	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	71
1945...	10,625	1945...	85
average per acre, dollars 1950*	69.99	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	88
1945...	45.24	1945...	85
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	429
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,790	1945...	447
1944...	1,781	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	240
acres 1949...	550,651	1945...	199
1944...	517,635	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	249
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945...	258
1944...	26	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	584
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945...	568
1944...	11	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	86
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945...	83
1944...	15	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	9
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945...	4
1944...	41	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	184	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	210	White operators.....number 1950...	1,849
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	886	1945...	1,624
1944...	899	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	686	1945...	
1944...	579	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	722	Full owners.....number 1950...	828
1944 ¹ ...	869	1945...	809
acres 1949...	18,495	1945...	415
1944 ¹ ...	21,806	Part owners.....number 1950...	324
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	294	Managers.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949...	7,987	1945...	4
1944...	28,959	All tenants.....number 1950...	604
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	190	1945...	687
1944...	69	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	32.7
acres 1949...	4,919	1945...	37.7
1944...	2,468	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	55
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	162	1945...	83
1944...	52	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	363
acres 1949...	1,459	1945...	180
1944...	788	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	175
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	587
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,018	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	136
1944 ¹ ...	1,156	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	37
acres 1949...	35,464	1945...	31
1944 ¹ ...	41,916	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	7
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,796	Other tenants.....number 1950...	24
1944...	1,813	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
acres 1949...	56,781	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	35,689	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,063
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	835
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,554
acres 1949...		1945...	694
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,541
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.41
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,027
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	531
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	188
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,442
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	231
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	515
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	361
		number 1950...	368
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	896
		number 1950...	895
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	69
		number 1950...	72
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	825
		number 1950...	858
		Flat or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	80
		number 1950...	80
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,720		
1945...	1,786		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	108		
1945...	46		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	74		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	408		
1944...	305		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	89		
1944...	76		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	563	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	561
.....1945.....	355	General farms.....number 1950...	613
.....number 1950.....	620	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	370	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,666	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	165
.....1945.....	1,583	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	447
.....number 1950.....	2,469	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	44
.....1945.....	1,872		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,656	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,414	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,805
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	17
.....number 1950.....	31	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	269
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	14	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	775
.....number 1950.....	24	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	566
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,679	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	122
.....1945.....	1,716	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	38
.....number 1950.....	2,149	Other farms.....number 1950...	44
.....1945.....	1,996	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	33
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	11
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	115	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...			
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	80	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	947	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,355,376
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	707	.....1944.....	8,229,732
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,864,652
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	2,765,616
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,865,780
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	58	.....1944.....	2,762,428
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	457	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	655
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	649	.....1944.....	650
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	687	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	417
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8	.....1944.....	758
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,051	.....1944.....	
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,488,024
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	176	.....1944.....	5,464,736
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	934,414
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0	.....1944.....	935,865
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,840,956
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	255	.....1944.....	1,306,490
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,447	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,812,654
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	91	.....1944.....	3,222,395
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	520
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	180
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,740	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,030
.....persons 1950.....	3,099	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,017
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,732	.....1945.....	1,555
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,687	.....number 1950.....	2,680
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	760	.....1945.....	5,465
.....persons 1950.....	1,143	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	226	.....1945.....	61
.....persons 1950.....	266	.....number 1950.....	20
		.....1945.....	37
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,796	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,511
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,686	.....1945.....	1,706
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,572	.....number 1950...	30,094
.....dollars 1949...	452,549	.....1945.....	41,461
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,406	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,474
.....dollars 1949...	687,342	.....1945 ³	1,700
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,654	.....number 1950...	12,648
.....dollars 1949...	1,246,716	.....1945 ³	18,711
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,541	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,406
.....dollars 1949...	912,109	.....number 1950...	10,687
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,511	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,207
.....dollars 1949...	405,074	.....number 1950...	6,687
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,741	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,158
.....dollars 1949...	957,234	.....number 1950...	6,569
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,605	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,064
.....dollars 1949...	306,679	.....number 1950...	4,370
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,623	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	53
.....dollars 1949...	399,878	.....1944.....	31
		.....pounds 1949...	2,265,166
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	1,897,580
No sales.....number 1950...		.....dollars 1949...	69,018
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	11	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,295
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	8	.....1944.....	1,803
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,580,594
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	54	.....1944.....	1,712,399
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	50	.....dollars 1949...	885,366
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	101	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	358	.....dollars 1949...	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	454		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	567	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	306	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,465
		.....1945.....	1,549
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	45,878
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	550	.....1945.....	37,879
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	545	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,444
Cotton.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	22,879
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	680
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	22,999
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,558
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	38	.....1945.....	1,537
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	55	.....number 1950...	12,829
		.....1945.....	10,468

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	158	Corn:	
1945...	225	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,758
number 1950...	8,519	1944...	1,758
1945...	12,895	acres 1949...	125,517
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	118,804
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,725
number 1950...	4,871	1944...	1,725
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	165	acres 1949...	115,585
1945 ¹ ..	216	1944...	106,198
number 1950...	4,554	bushels 1949...	4,195,645
1945 ¹ ..	7,846	1944...	4,765,400
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	88	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	760
number 1950...	517	acres 1949...	7,239
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	85	tons..green weight 1949...	51,101
number 1950...	1,648	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	139	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	582
1944...	216	acres 1949...	2,715
number shorn 1949...	4,653	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	38,888	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944...	62,500	1944...	19
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	98
		1944...	127
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,530	1944...	2
1945...	1,682	acres 1949...	2
number 1950...	277,002	1944...	7
1945...	294,585	bushels 1949...	50
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,217	1944...	520
number 1949...	205,008	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	178,030	acres 1949...	21
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,468	tons..green weight 1949...	57
dozens 1949...	2,501,536	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	940,872	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	19	acres 1949...	75
number 1950...	1,772	tons out 1949...	78
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Small grains:	
1944...	98	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	85,510	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	157
1944...	49,272	acres 1949...	5,220
		bushels 1949...	147,567
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	5
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,631	acres 1949...	278
dollars 1949...	4,888,099	1944...	77
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	bushels 1949...	2,951
1944...	1,554	1944...	715
number 1949...	15,591	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
1944...	14,365	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,241	acres 1949...	439
number 1949...	9,633	bushels 1949...	6,516
dollars 1949...	1,727,877	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	539
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	799	acres 1949...	11,982
number 1949...	5,758	bushels 1949...	158,806
dollars 1949...	285,454	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,655
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,493	1944...	1,647
1944...	1,519	acres 1949...	95,844
number 1949...	65,626	1944...	85,636
1944...	66,170	bushels 1949...	2,356,882
dollars 1949...	2,767,602	1944...	5,064,456
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	139	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944...	157	1944...	11
number 1949...	5,932	acres 1949...	547
1944...	10,100	1944...	60
dollars 1949...	115,589	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	611
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	125	1944...	851
number 1949...	355	acres 1949...	14,586
dollars 1949...	18,777	1944...	6,614
		bushels 1949...	385,968
		1944...	101,150
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	90
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,416	1944...	71
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	858	acres 1949...	2,374
number 1949...	1,025	1944...	1,518
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	486	bushels 1949...	55,650
1944...	570	1944...	18,122
number 1949...	570	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	629	acres 1949...	85
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	375	bushels 1949...	664
1944...	486	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1949...	455	acres 1949...	115
1944...	578	bushels 1949...	2,119
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,284	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,058
1944...	1,452	1944...	958
number 1949...	2,892	acres 1949...	31,941
1944...	3,195	1944...	25,335
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949...	282,968
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228	1944...	804,655
dollars 1949...	5,375		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,028
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	989	1944.....	1,618
1944 ¹	384	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	25,504	1944.....	5
1944 ¹	4,175	acres 1949.....	489
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	945	1944.....	3
1944.....	179	sold..dollars 1949.....	655
acres 1949.....	22,452	1944.....	850
1944.....	2,240	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	261,016	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	51,544	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	121	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	621	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	876	1944.....	
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	125	acres 1949.....	
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	306	1944.....	2
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....		1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	21	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	276	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....		1944.....	1
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	19
1944 ²		1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	58	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944 ²		acres 1949.....	(*)
bushels 1949.....	250	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944 ²		acres 1949.....	(*)
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,487	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	37,172	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	906	1944.....	
1944.....	956	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	10,935	1944.....	2
1944.....	11,530	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	20,021	1944.....	1
1944.....	18,780	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	66	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	158	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	470
acres 1949.....	785	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	2,191	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	16
tons 1949.....	846	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	2,661	qu-rts 1949.....	479
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	39	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	15	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	614	quarts 1949.....	344
1944.....	118	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	685	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	561
1944.....	145	1945.....	71
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	548	acres 1950 ³	58
1944.....	1,180	acres 1945.....	28
acres 1949.....	20,453	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	519
1944.....	40,563	acres 1945.....	402
tons 1949.....	20,050	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,560
1944.....	41,226	1945.....	3,011
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	555	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,586
1944.....	297	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,974
acres 1949.....	3,870	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,182
1944.....	2,823	1944.....	1,425
tons 1949.....	4,141	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	19
1944.....	5,646	1945.....	8
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	52
acres 1949.....	10	1945.....	21
tons..green weight 1949...	75	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	45
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	64	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....	27	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	476	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	87
1944.....	288	1945.....	60
bushels 1949.....	469	trees of all ages..number 1950...	313
1944.....	196	1945.....	240
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	184
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	129
acres 1949.....	88	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	699
1944.....	16	1944.....	162
bushels 1949.....	77	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	212
1944.....	8	1945.....	151
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,315
acres 1949.....	160	1945.....	1,492
1944.....	339	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	472
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	845
acres 1949.....	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	543
1944.....	55	1944.....	107
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944.....		1945.....	19
Irish potatoes harvested for home use, or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	351	1950.....	258
1944.....	1,224	acres 1945.....	114
acres 1949 ³	151	vines of all ages..number 1950...	86
1944.....	581	1950.....	218
bushels 1949.....	15,088	vines of bearing age..number 1949...	487
1944.....	45,236	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	480
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	1		
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	6		

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
* Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,582	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	96
	1945...	1945...	74
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	606,080	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.8	1945...	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	438,588	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	74
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	112,098	1945...	64
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	600	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	96
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,291	1945...	89
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	548,990	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	183
	1945...	1945...	205
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	151.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	77
	1945...	1945...	67
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	8,765	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	582
	1945...	1945...	621
average per acre, dollars 1950*	57.42	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	693
	1945...	1945...	716
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	779
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,898	1945...	818
	1944...	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	418
	3,509	1945...	404
acres 1949...	249,882	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	282
1944...	268,988	1945...	291
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	185	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	846
1944...	183	1945...	825
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	188	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	26
1944...	186	1945...	24
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	181	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
1944...	178	.....	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	639	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	625	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,544	White operators.....number 1950...	3,582
1944...	1,582	1945...	3,628
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	718	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
1944...	889	1945...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	68	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	79	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,506
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	841	1945...	2,272
1944 ¹ ...	479	Part owners.....number 1950...	688
acres 1949...	15,716	1945...	775
1944 ¹ ...	6,746	Managers.....number 1950...	2
		1945...	8
Cropland not harvested and not		All tenants.....number 1950...	436
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	582	1945...	578
acres 1949...	11,061	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	12.2
1944...	8,451	1945...	15.6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,460	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	197
1944...	2,291	1945...	400
acres 1949...	128,619	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	65
1944...	111,788	1945...	40
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	988	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	106
1944...	949	1945...	116
acres 1949...	25,868	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	42
1944...	21,439	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	64
Other pasture (not cropland and		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	68
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,688	1945...	17
1944 ¹ ...	1,960	Other tenants.....number 1950...	82
acres 1949...	58,895	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	56
1944 ¹ ...	89,059		
Other land (house lots, roads, &		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	3,539	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,980
1944...	3,606	1945...	1,778
acres 1949...	54,549	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	3,015
1944...	40,130	1945...	1,302
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	3,000
1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.85
acres 1949...	2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,175
1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	590
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	590
acres 1949...	1	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,805
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	480
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,680
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	180
		number 1950...	185
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	200
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,370	number 1950...	200
1945...	3,401	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	75
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	78	number 1950...	80
1945...	134	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2,150
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	2,225
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	865	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	30
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	982	number 1950...	80
1944...	459		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	381		
1944...	149		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	590	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	422
.....1945.....	275	General farms.....number 1950...	551
.....number 1950.....	685	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	2,820	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,928	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	450
.....1945.....	3,260	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	96
.....number 1950.....	2,018	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	327
.....1945.....	2,785		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	3,185	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	50	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	3,289
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
.....number 1950.....	50	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	69
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	758
.....number 1950.....	3,280	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	1,322
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	3,264	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	83b
.....1945.....	3,820	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	280
.....number 1950.....	3,849	Other farms.....number 1950...	313
.....1945.....		Part-time ².....number 1950...	159
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	154
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	325	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	59	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	413	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,468,376
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,140	.....1944.....	7,990,859
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	625	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	912,487
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	420,418
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	877,106
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	135	.....1944.....	414,147
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,265	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	11,559
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,640	.....1944.....	2,460
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	565	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,214
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	3,151
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	18,608
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	760	.....1944.....	660
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	320	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,538,524
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,255	.....1944.....	7,547,377
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	910	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,056,568
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.2	.....1944.....	3,545,969
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,954,899
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	290	.....1944.....	1,556,848
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,840	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,501,957
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,890	.....1944.....	2,445,040
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,36b
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	23,064
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,375	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	6,790	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,606
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,360	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	2,589
Operators.....persons 1950.....	8,270	.....1945.....	3,056
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,935	.....number 1950.....	6,379
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,10b	.....1945.....	9,930
.....persons 1950.....	840	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	31
.....1950.....	415	.....1945.....	51
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950.....	68
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	3,515	.....1945.....	10b
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	3,155	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	3,000	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	8,2b0
.....dollars 1940.....	466,085	.....1945.....	8,299
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,155	.....number 1950...	6b,4bb
.....dollars 1949.....	811,465	.....1945.....	69,949
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	3,285	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	8,213
.....dollars 1949.....	1,568,440	.....1945.....	8,267
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,905	.....number 1950...	89,991
.....dollars 1949.....	845,560	.....1945.....	42,315
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,795	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	3,172
.....dollars 1949.....	243,525	.....number 1950...	83,370
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	3,105	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,795
.....dollars 1949.....	892,280	.....number 1950...	15,349
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	2,265	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,807
.....dollars 1949.....	219,890	.....number 1950...	5,846
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	2,985	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,314
.....dollars 1940.....	899,740	.....number 1950...	9,879
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1949.....	1,777
No sales.....number 1950...	48	.....1944.....	1,355
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	104	.....pounds 1940.....	181,866,330
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	84	.....1944.....	87,491,628
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	106	.....dollars 1948.....	8,211,898
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	129	.....farms reporting 1949...	1,308
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	899	.....1944.....	2,448
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	842	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	8,889,818
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	904	.....1944.....	8,898,763
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	774	.....dollars 1949...	1,854,568
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	402	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	12
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	74	.....dollars 1949...	704
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	69	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,581
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	69	.....1945.....	2,498
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	42,182
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	24,180
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	2,561
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	9	.....number 1950...	16,871
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	2,021	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,138
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	188	.....number 1950...	28,661
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	2,800
		.....1945.....	2,088
		.....number 1950...	11,075
		.....1945.....	7,088

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than	
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	50	Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,878
1944 ¹	20	1944.....	3,812
acres 1949.....	373	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	57
1944 ¹	120	1944.....	52
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	35	acres 1949.....	51
1944.....	4	1944.....	25
acres 1949.....	301	sold..dollars 1949.....	11,559
1944.....	13	1944.....	2,450
bushels 1949.....	3,688	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	103	acres 1949.....	1
Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	51	1944.....	.....
tons 1949.....	49	acres 1949.....	(*).....
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut		Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	(*).....
acres 1949.....	13	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Soybeans plowed under for green		1944.....	1
manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	8	1944.....	(*).....
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans,		Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	9	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	14
acres 1949.....	6	1944.....	2
1944.....	61	acres 1949.....	8
bushels 1949.....	51	1944.....	(*).....
1944.....	457	acres 1949.....	49
Dry field and seed peas harvested for		acres 1949.....	27
peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944.....	5
1944 ².....	.....	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	2
1944 ².....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....
bushels 1949.....	.....	1944.....	(*).....
1944 ².....	.....	acres 1949.....	14
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and scum hay:		acres 1949.....	8
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	3,274	1944.....	(*).....
acres 1949...	81,064	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		1944.....	1
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2,275	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	1,925	1944.....	(*).....
acres 1949.....	28,783	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	20,896	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	59,079	1944.....	.....
1944.....	36,490	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,576	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	960	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	55
acres 1949.....	18,599	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	10,245	quarts 1949.....	8,684
tons 1949.....	24,323	acres 1949.....	48
1944.....	18,808	quarts 1949.....	5,452
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	.....
cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	136	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	107	quarts 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	1,078	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	830	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
tons 1949.....	1,330	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,280
1944.....	668	1945.....	182
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,808	acres 1950.....	85
1944.....	1,993	1945.....	48
acres 1949.....	28,066	Acres.....farms reporting 1950...	1,146
1944.....	89,015	1945.....	770
tons 1949.....	87,004	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,160
1944.....	47,741	1945.....	5,069
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	769	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,238
1944.....	1,817	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,927
acres 1949.....	9,323	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,989
1944.....	27,913	1944.....	4,357
tons 1949.....	10,888	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	23
1944.....	27,227	1945.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	68
acres 1949.....	158	1945.....	7
tons..green weight 1949...	579	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	41
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	261	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9
1944.....	36	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	1,770	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	134
1944.....	198	1945.....	87
bushels 1949.....	1,225	trees of all ages..number 1950...	405
1944.....	150	1945.....	194
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	619	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	184
1944.....	136	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	281
acres 1949.....	5,884	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,781
1944.....	976	1944.....	1,081
bushels 1949.....	6,408	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	545
1944.....	705	1945.....	462
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,433
acres 1949.....	85	1945.....	3,707
bushels 1949.....	179	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	764
acres 1949.....	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,679
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,271
1944.....	45	1944.....	1,064
bushels 1949.....	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	149
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1945.....	61
acres 1949.....	22	vines of all ages..number 1950...	646
bushels 1949.....	22	1945.....	454
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	207
sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,452	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	439
1944.....	2,619	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,325
acres 1949 ³	800	1944.....	2,561
1944.....	2,454		
bushels 1949.....	65,310		
1944.....	191,068		
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25		
acres 1949.....	8		
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	78		

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre. ⁵Reported in small fractions.

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Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	96.7	1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	196,296	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	17
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	180,592	1945...	10
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	10
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,921	1945...	10
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	353,987	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	17
1945...	351,780	1945...	12
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	324.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	7
1945...	323.6	1945...	7
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	18,991	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	12
1945...	11,404	1945...	15
average per acre, dollars 1950*	53.67	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	14
1945...	35.24	1945...	11
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	171
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,054	1945...	186
1944...	1,080	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	55
acres 1949...	285,788	1945...	52
1944...	222,651	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	107
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945...	118
1944...	8	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	545
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945...	657
1944...	10	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	111
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945...	115
1944...	3	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	13
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1945...	13
1944...	18		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	105	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	306	White operators.....number 1950...	1,092
1944...	444	1945...	1,087
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	694	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
1944...	472	1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	524	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	855	Full owners.....number 1950...	587
acres 1949...	15,052	1945...	289
1944 ¹ ...	29,889	1950...	299
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	254
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	328	Part owners.....number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	12,358	1945...	.....
1944...	65,182	Managers.....number 1950...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	67	1945...	426
acres 1949...	2,207	1950...	545
1944...	1,183	1945...	59.0
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	82	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	50.0
acres 1949...	30	1945...	.....
1944...	725	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944 ¹ ...	415	1945...	8
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	255
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	464	1945...	129
1944 ¹ ...	191	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	155
acres 1949...	15,882	1945...	357
1944 ¹ ...	7,354	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	119
Other land (house lots, roads,		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,067	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	22
1944...	1,078	1945...	48
acres 1949...	24,175	Other tenants.....number 1950...	5
1944...	25,546	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	19
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	
1944...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	495
1944...	.....	1945...	512
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	955
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	556
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	910
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	11.24
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	504
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	196
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	150
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	869
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	199
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	459
		number 1950...	477
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	477
		number 1950...	480
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		number 1950...	20
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	289
		number 1950...	294
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued.		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	833
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	542	1944.....	807
1944 ¹	87	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	8,485	1944.....	4
1944 ¹	791	1944.....	10
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	380	acres 1949.....	530
1944.....	41	1944.....	175
acres 1949.....	8,027	sold..dollars 1949.....	
1944.....	548	1944.....	
bushels 1949.....	81,862	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	6,864	acres 1949.....	
Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	242	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	285	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	196	1944.....	(*)
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....		Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
bushels 1949.....		1944.....	2
1944.....		acres 1949.....	10
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	4
1944 ²		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944 ²		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944 ²		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		1944.....	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	799	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	19,697	1944.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	570	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	748	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	9,555	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	13,327	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	14,570	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	18,768	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1944.....	
1944.....	48	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	505	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	733	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	12
tons 1949.....	474	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	304	quarts 1949.....	715
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	286	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	41	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	259	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	533
1944.....	42	acres 1950 ⁴	85
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	338	1945.....	38
1944.....	416	1945.....	11
acres 1949.....	7,089	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	311
1944.....	10,954	trees of all ages..number 1950...	271
tons 1949.....	6,528	1945.....	2,543
1944.....	11,655	1945.....	2,454
Cuber hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	173	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	940
1944.....	180	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,403
acres 1949.....	2,696	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,859
1944.....	1,930	1944.....	1,178
tons 1949.....	2,649	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	9
1944.....	2,151	trees of all ages..number 1950...	14
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.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2
Field crops (other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	107	1944.....	
1944.....	92	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	56
acres 1949.....	1,255	trees of all ages..number 1950...	37
1944.....	1,202	1950.....	194
bushels 1949.....	868	1945.....	132
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	66
1944.....	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	128
acres 1949.....	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	965
1944.....	132	1944.....	190
bushels 1949.....	5	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	134
1944.....	120	trees of all ages..number 1950...	72
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945.....	1,046
acres 1949.....	612	1945.....	429
bushels 1949.....	1,872	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	214
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	832
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	331
bushels 1949.....		1944.....	15
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	23
acres 1949.....	8	vines of all ages..number 1950...	20
bushels 1949.....	2	1945.....	112
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	150	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	96
1944.....	606	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	28
acres 1949 ³	41	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	84
1944.....	250	1944.....	407
bushels 1949.....	3,493	1944.....	335
1944.....	21,427		
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
acres 1949.....	6		
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	68		

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include soybeans and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre. *Reported in small fractions.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	206	Corn:	
1945.....	359	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	981
number 1950...	8,409	1944.....	989
1945.....	15,792	acres 1949...	68,455
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	59,786
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	205	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	875
number 1950...	6,800	1944.....	954
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	205	acres 1949...	65,318
1945.....	333	1944.....	52,156
number 1950...	6,232	bushels 1949...	1,866,197
1945.....	12,172	1944.....	1,860,895
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	266
number 1950...	368	acres 1949...	3,083
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	103	tons..green weight 1949...	23,328
number 1950...	1,809	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	207	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	249
1944.....	323	acres 1949...	2,031
number shorn 1949...	8,775		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	62,658	Sorghums:	
1944.....	100,610	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	2
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	21
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	890	1944.....	
1945.....	962	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	144,179	1944.....	
1945.....	169,645	bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	711	1944.....	
number 1949...	123,242	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	119,618	acres 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	857	1944.....	
dozens 1949...	1,401,556	tons..green weight 1949...	
dollars 1949...	508,099	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	18	acres 1949...	
1944.....	12	tons cut 1949...	
number 1949...	55		
1944.....	12,841	Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as	
		a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	50
		acres 1949...	1,343
		bushels 1949...	27,322
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	252
		1944.....	1
		acres 1949...	7,847
		1944.....	5
		bushels 1949...	92,483
		1944.....	70
		Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
		or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	40
		acres 1949...	1,313
		bushels 1949...	17,078
		Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	626
		acres 1949...	27,302
		bushels 1949...	336,773
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	920
		1944.....	1,012
		acres 1949...	67,639
		1944.....	65,386
		bushels 1949...	1,737,494
		1944.....	2,186,957
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
		1944.....	3
		acres 1949...	254
		1944.....	118
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	355
		1944.....	163
		acres 1949...	12,617
		1944.....	3,484
		bushels 1949...	209,496
		1944.....	45,509
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	131
		1944.....	55
		acres 1949...	3,452
		1944.....	645
		bushels 1949...	51,453
		1944.....	6,272
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	
		Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres 1949...	201
		bushels 1949...	1,811
		Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	929
		1944.....	684
		acres 1949...	64,039
		1944.....	22,751
		bushels 1949...	522,134
		1944.....	131,427
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold			
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	941		
dollars 1949...	2,428,155		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	855		
1944.....	874		
number 1949...	6,799		
1944.....	7,582		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	713		
number 1949...	4,885		
dollars 1949...	890,935		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	458		
number 1949...	1,914		
dollars 1949...	142,016		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	809		
1944.....	889		
number 1949...	29,519		
1944.....	30,563		
dollars 1949...	1,206,732		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	205		
1944.....	279		
number 1949...	10,113		
1944.....	9,459		
dollars 1949...	184,016		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	83		
number 1949...	143		
dollars 1949...	4,456		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	801		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	437		
number 1949...	496		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	291		
1944.....	458		
number 1949...	323		
1944.....	435		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	155		
1944.....	20		
number 1949...	173		
1944.....	25		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	725		
1944.....	850		
number 1949...	1,625		
1944.....	2,086		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from			
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	295		
dollars 1949...	6,994		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950.....	569	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	168
.....1945.....	298	General farms.....number 1950.....	289
.....number 1950.....	888	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	513	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,010	.....number 1950.....	97
.....1945.....	970	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	172
.....number 1950.....	1,890	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	35
.....1945.....	1,321	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,010		
.....number 1950.....	1,630		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,064
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	55	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	14
.....number 1950.....	55	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	185
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,040	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	477
.....1945.....	990	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	501
.....number 1950.....	1,326	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	83
.....1945.....	1,144	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	24
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950.....	28
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	72	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	11
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	17
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	49	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	548		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	423	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,070,729
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	4,380,443
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	82	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,510,852
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	270	.....1944.....	1,715,362
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	374	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,509,815
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	419	.....1944.....	1,714,338
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	530
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	175
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	770	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	487
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	81	.....1944.....	849
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	134	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	.....1944.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,559,897
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	2,665,065
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	153	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	402,336
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	840	.....1944.....	402,495
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	116	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	682,451
		.....1944.....	681,507
FARM LABOR*		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,495,110
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	1,601,063
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,065	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	
.....persons 1950.....	1,964	.....1944.....	16
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,062	HORSES AND MULES	
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,042	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	555
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	452	.....1950.....	550
.....persons 1950.....	789	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	895
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	124	.....1945.....	1,392
.....persons 1950.....	185	.....1945.....	5,092
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	19
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,116	.....1950.....	12
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,019	.....1945.....	29
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	900	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....1949.....	256,280	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	890
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	822	.....1945.....	975
.....dollars 1949.....	362,185	.....1945.....	18,104
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	994	.....1945.....	22,688
.....dollars 1949.....	482,417	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	865
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	908	.....1945.....	984
.....dollars 1949.....	354,334	.....1945.....	6,771
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	870	.....1945.....	10,249
.....dollars 1949.....	299,409	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	805
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,055	.....number 1950.....	5,490
.....dollars 1949.....	719,968	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	750
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,020	.....number 1950.....	3,318
.....dollars 1949.....	192,186	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	670
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,020	.....number 1950.....	5,304
.....dollars 1949.....	222,540	.....number 1950.....	594
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,111
No sales.....number 1950.....	3	.....1944.....	35
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	14	.....pounds 1949.....	802,128
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	551,179
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	19	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	25,898
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	9	.....1944.....	697
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	14	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	878
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	56	.....1944.....	587,045
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	170	.....dollars 1949.....	761,830
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	287	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	376,440
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	341	.....dollars 1949.....	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	199	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	761
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	618	.....1945.....	840
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	618	.....number 1950.....	18,902
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	17,635
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	785
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	1,140
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	313
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	9,782
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	14	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	739
		.....1945.....	772
		.....1950.....	5,462
		.....1945.....	4,977

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,624	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	56
.....1945...	1,651	.....1945...	42
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	333,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	27
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	95.8	1945...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	228,655	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	29
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	106,389	1945...	38
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,198	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	57
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,679	1945...	59
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	319,563	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....1945...	322,782	1945...	47
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	196.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	38
1945...	195.5	1945...	36
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	14,703	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	127
.....1945...	10,281	1945...	135
average per acre, dollars 1950A*	72.76	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	148
1945...	52.58	1945...	151
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	369
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,545	1945...	396
1944...	1,596	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	210
acres 1949...	163,095	1945...	216
1944...	168,499	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	210
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	59	1945...	192
1944...	63	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	318
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	46	1945...	336
1944...	43	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	44
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	1945...	40
1944...	45	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	101	1945...	1
1944...	106		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	488	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	521	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	706	White operators.....number 1950...	1,622
1944...	721	1945...	1,651
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
1944...	97	1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,021	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	819	Full owners.....number 1950...	930
acres 1949...	34,339	1945...	813
1944 ¹ ...	23,577	Part owners.....number 1950...	291
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	302
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	212	Managers.....number 1950...	6
acres 1949...	5,471	1945...	20
1944...	5,249	All tenants.....number 1950...	397
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	793	1945...	516
1944...	704	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	24.4
acres 1949...	49,749	1945...	31.3
1944...	44,687	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	134
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	573	1945...	176
1944...	584	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	86
acres 1949...	19,082	1945...	119
1944...	19,885	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	136
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	188
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	708	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	20
1944 ¹ ...	1,026	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	116
acres 1949...	27,521	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	41
1944 ¹ ...	39,816	1945...	33
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	12
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,549	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
1944...	1,621		
acres 1949...	19,306	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	21,069	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,206
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945...	1,247
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,328
acres 1949...	56	1945...	858
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,312
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.79
acres 1949...	56	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	757
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	446
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	410
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,257
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	195
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	846
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	196
		number 1950...	211
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	377
		number 1950...	377
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	135
		number 1950...	140
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	936
		number 1950...	1,001
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		number 1950...	31
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,548		
.....1945...	1,589		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	53		
.....1945...	49		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	152		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	244		
1944...	181		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	129		
1944...	63		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT* -Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM -Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	657	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	777
1945.....	466	General farms.....number 1950...	254
number 1950.....	747	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	16
1945.....	492	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	159
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,258	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	79
1945.....	1,289	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	108
number 1950.....	1,869		
1945.....	1,520	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,253	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,517
number 1950.....	1,817	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more)..number 1950...	17
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999)..number 1950...	190
number 1950.....	32	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999)..number 1950...	608
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999)..number 1950...	417
number 1950.....	20	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499)..number 1950...	190
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,338	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹ ..number 1950...	95
1945.....	1,459	Other farms.....number 1950...	107
number 1950.....	1,625	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	59
1945.....	1,662	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	48
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	177	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,976,951
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	130	1944.....	6,142,511
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,011	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,164,312
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	296	1944.....	494,584
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	717,131
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		1944.....	259,714
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	93,073
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	121	1944.....	102,299
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	625	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	18,974
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	526	1944.....	16,461
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	271	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	335,134
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	1944.....	116,110
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,800,129
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,075	1944.....	5,639,985
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,310,877
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	221	1944.....	1,746,829
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	61	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,197,482
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.6	1944.....	769,734
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	5,291,770
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	165	1944.....	3,123,422
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	181	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,510
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	162	1944.....	7,942
		HORSES AND MULES	
FARM LABOR*		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,228
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,223
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,463	number 1950.....	3,538
persons 1950.....	3,053	1945.....	6,108
Family workers, including operator...farms reporting 1950...	1,437	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	14
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,367	1945.....	28
Unpaid members of operator's family...farms reporting 1950...	741	number 1950.....	33
persons 1950.....	1,166	1945.....	44
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	332	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
persons 1950.....	520	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,469
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		1945.....	1,534
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,468	number 1950...	44,907
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,318	1945.....	52,211
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,187	Cows, including heifers that have calved..farms reporting 1950...	1,455
dollars 1949.....	200,310	1945 ³	1,523
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,043	number 1950...	19,791
dollars 1949.....	681,279	1945 ³	25,741
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,398	Milk cows...farms reporting 1950...	1,404
dollars 1949.....	1,147,114	number 1950...	17,825
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,258	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,338
dollars 1949.....	536,387	number 1950...	12,814
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,213	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,126
dollars 1949.....	268,888	number 1950...	7,066
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,333	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,115
dollars 1949.....	554,180	number 1950...	5,236
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,168	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	554
dollars 1949.....	188,152	1944.....	329
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,228	pounds 1949.....	42,028,191
dollars 1949.....	292,722	1944.....	25,416,148
		dollars 1949...	1,206,493
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	865
No sales.....number 1950...	5	1944.....	1,139
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	43	pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,630,253
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	40	1944.....	2,283,871
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	25	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	81	dollars 1949...	11
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	66		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	132	HOGS	
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	253	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,367
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	328	1945.....	1,430
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	444	number 1950...	46,375
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	207	1945.....	36,829
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,358
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950...	21,383
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	11	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	716
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	11	number 1950...	24,992
Cotton.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,243
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		1945.....	1,249
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	10	number 1950...	10,210
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		1945.....	8,534
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	380		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	84		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	497	Corn:	
1945.....	696	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,463
number 1950...	18,427	1944.....	1,529
1945.....	26,198	acres 1949...	48,036
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	53,514
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	495	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,395
number 1950...	13,989	1944.....	1,511
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	489	acres 1949...	34,809
1945 ¹	684	1944.....	42,105
number 1950...	12,914	bushels 1949...	1,524,595
1945 ¹	21,910	1944.....	2,109,925
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	318	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	932
number 1950...	1,075	acres 1949...	10,182
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	269	tons..green weight 1949...	83,646
number 1950...	4,438	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	488	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	367
1944.....	675	acres 1949...	3,045
number shorn 1949...	14,760	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	121,377	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	177,869	1944.....	2
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr 28	acres 1949...	19
		1944.....	13
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,366	1944.....	
1945.....	1,486	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	215,039	1944.....	
1945.....	215,998	bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,033	1944.....	
number 1949...	148,109	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	145,558	acres 1949...	4
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,283	tons..green weight 1949...	39
dozens 1949...	2,292,983	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	811,818	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	9	acres 1949...	15
number 1950...	1,695	tons cut 1949...	20
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Small grains:	
1944.....	10	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	36,666	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	271
1944.....	14,160	acres 1949...	5,524
		bushels 1949...	178,580
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	100
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	388
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,520	acres 1949...	1,019
dollars 1949...	5,213,544	1944.....	4,660
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,438	bushels 1949...	14,928
1944.....	1,431	1944.....	68,471
number 1949...	17,662	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
1944.....	17,284	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,294	acres 1949...	197
number 1949...	11,272	bushels 1949...	3,214
dollars 1949...	1,928,479	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	310
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	990	acres 1949...	3,027
number 1949...	6,390	bushels 1949...	47,722
dollars 1949...	257,864	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,322
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,380	1944.....	1,342
1944.....	1,410	acres 1949...	47,703
number 1949...	66,723	1944.....	45,494
1944.....	62,304	bushels 1949...	1,617,000
dollars 1949...	2,717,611	1944.....	1,579,402
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	487	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	584	1944.....	31
number 1949...	14,017	acres 1949...	210
1944.....	15,760	1944.....	322
dollars 1949...	298,634	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	482
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	189	1944.....	287
number 1949...	309	acres 1949...	9,261
dollars 1949...	10,956	1944.....	4,295
		bushels 1949...	206,892
		1944.....	63,071
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	95
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,365	1944.....	104
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	769	acres 1949...	1,136
number 1949...	890	1944.....	1,157
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	663	bushels 1949...	19,167
1944.....	830	1944.....	11,198
number 1949...	732	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	889	acres 1949...	289
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	125	bushels 1949...	3,027
1944.....	106	Emer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	158	acres 1949...	
1944.....	130	bushels 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,307	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	117
1944.....	1,417	1944.....	164
number 1949...	3,753	acres 1949...	1,539
1944.....	4,607	1944.....	2,106
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949...	16,362
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	409	1944.....	15,345
dollars 1949...	11,520		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	1,206 1,516
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ¹ ... acres 1949... 1944 ¹ ...	203 228 2,590 1,999	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	140 243 1,726 2,512 93,073 102,299
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	156 146 2,233 1,396 35,733 20,924	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	2 1 4 7
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... tons 1949...	54 320 444	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 4 7 7
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	4 22	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	11 47 36 139
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	1 15	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	11 47 36 139
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	7 18 228	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	10 17 65 147 877 1,513
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ... acres 1949... 1944 ² ... bushels 1949... 1944 ² ...	5 7 40 84 445 1,100	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	11 10 1 1 48 57 639 719
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	10 1 1 1 48 57 639 719
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	1,417 39,618	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 48 57 639 719
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	958 740 16,875 9,095 25,729 17,731 1,010 1,341 20,989 29,277 19,520 47,411	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	6 7 4 2 27 130 11
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	1,010 1,341 20,989 29,277 19,520 47,411	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	6 7 4 2 27 130 11
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	20 28 114 220 89 241 55 49 591 577 647 770 79 165 983 1,938 990 2,746	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	6 7 4 2 27 130 11
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	55 49 591 577 647 770 79 165 983 1,938 990 2,746	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	6 7 4 2 27 130 11
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	79 165 983 1,938 990 2,746	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons..green weight 1949...	14 162 604	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... quarts 1949... 1944...	18 5 2,369 26 6 6,212
Field crops (other):		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... quarts 1949...	18 5 2,369 26 6 6,212
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	125 14 922 92 894 64	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	225 263 2,379 3,128 1,960 2,263	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... acres 1950*... 1945...	881 80 364 97 821 1,000 30,776 21,672 20,597 10,179 20,981 10,897
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	2 10 23 48 308 617	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	52 35 99 79 45 54 35 20
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	14 156 130	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	56 64 125 173 63 62 1,279 113
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	14 156 130	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	253 293 1,454 1,481 547 907 574 151
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	671 1,308 296 940 23,172 54,242	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	140 112 607 928 196 411 5,670 5,071
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 100 lb. ear corn 1949...	10 32 573	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	140 112 607 928 196 411 5,670 5,071

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,509	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	37
.....1945...	1,593	.....1945...	45
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	343,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	78.6	.....1945...	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	233,846	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	32
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	43,235	.....1945...	39
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,440	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	31
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,007	.....1945...	40
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	269,514	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	75
.....1945...	273,205	.....1945...	97
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	178.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	28
.....1945...	171.5	.....1945...	23
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	8,546	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	193
.....1945...	3,688	.....1945...	224
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	35.45	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	223
.....1945...	21.50	.....1945...	217
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	316
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,418	.....1945...	342
.....1944...	1,450	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	178
.....acres 1949...	101,042	.....1945...	206
.....1944...	96,611	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	139
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	81	.....1945...	126
.....1944...	125	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	262
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	83	.....1945...	251
.....1944...	124	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	25
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	116	.....1945...	21
.....1944...	127	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	292	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	259	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	517	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	501	White operators.....number 1950...	1,509
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	287	.....1945...	1,593
.....1944...	276	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	42	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	38	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	428	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,102
.....1944...	328	.....1945...	962
.....acres 1949...	9,499	Part owners.....number 1950...	264
.....1944...	6,903	.....1945...	347
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	354	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	11,466	All tenants.....number 1950...	139
.....1944...	32,378	.....1945...	282
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	9.2
.....1944...	706	.....1945...	17.7
.....acres 1949...	65,112	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	63
.....1944...	37,960	.....1945...	173
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	522	Share-cash tenants....number 1950...	26
.....1944...	482	.....1945...	23
.....acres 1949...	26,456	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	26
.....1944...	17,502	.....1945...	67
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	18
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	651	.....1945...	8
.....1944...	1,141	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	24
.....acres 1949...	29,083	.....1945...	19
.....1944...	62,876	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	8
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,477	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	16
.....1944...	1,584	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	26,876	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	596
.....1944...	18,975	.....1945...	616
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,212
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	432
.....acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,212
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	711
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	751
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	210
FARM OPERATORS		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	96
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,425	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,102
.....1945...	1,517	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	170
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	41	.....1945...	30
.....1945...	48	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	455
With other income of family exceeding value		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	313	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	596	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	20
.....1944...	616	.....number 1950...	20
.....100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	235	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	80
.....1944...	160	.....number 1950...	80
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		.....number 1950...	20
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	565
		.....number 1950...	595
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....number 1950...	15

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	237	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	208
.....1945.....	189	General farms.....number 1950...	156
.....number 1950.....	258	.....number 1950.....	23
.....1945.....	179	.....number 1950.....	99
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,082	.....number 1950.....	34
.....1945.....	672	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	293
.....number 1950.....	1,152		
.....1945.....	702		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,052	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,127	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,238
.....1945.....	15	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).number 1950...	4
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).number 1950...	22
.....number 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).number 1950...	148
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).number 1950...	386
.....number 1950.....	1,387	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).number 1950...	475
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,418	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).number 1950...	203
.....1945.....	1,622	Other farms.....number 1950...	271
.....number 1950.....	1,550	Part-time.....number 1950...	147
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	124
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	191	Abnormal ¹.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	29		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	246	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	675	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,972,845
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	368	.....1944.....	2,871,383
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	252,265
		.....1944.....	102,219
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	211,102
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	71,940
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	60	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	6,596
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	555	.....1944.....	4,981
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	555	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,467
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	342	.....1944.....	1,928
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	33,100
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	23,390
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	196	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,637,775
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944.....	2,637,565
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	620	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,501,623
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	456	.....1944.....	1,119,094
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.8	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	616,757
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	516,105
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	160	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,519,395
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	78	.....1944.....	1,002,366
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,001	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	82,805
		.....1944.....	131,579
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	950
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,432	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	942
.....persons 1950.....	2,766	.....1945.....	1,210
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,432	.....number 1950.....	2,417
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,387	.....1945.....	3,828
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	656	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	14
.....persons 1950.....	1,294	.....1945.....	10
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....number 1950.....	30
.....persons 1950.....	85	.....1945.....	18
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,477	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,295
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,226	.....1945.....	1,386
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,146	.....number 1950...	24,227
.....dollars 1949.....	113,874	.....1945.....	24,762
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	781	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,275
.....dollars 1949.....	173,822	.....1945 ³	1,369
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,361	.....number 1950...	11,548
.....dollars 1949.....	680,082	.....1945 ³	15,909
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,020	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,258
.....dollars 1949.....	380,630	.....number 1950...	11,555
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,167	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,078
.....dollars 1949.....	87,356	.....number 1950...	6,092
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,207	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	916
.....dollars 1949.....	281,456	.....number 1950...	2,299
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	902	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,035
.....dollars 1949.....	78,516	.....number 1950...	4,288
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,107	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	155
.....dollars 1949.....	100,022	.....1944.....	134
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	8,246,545
No sales.....number 1950...	38	.....dollars 1949...	5,016,280
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	86	.....dollars 1949...	248,992
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	55	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,113
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	70	.....1944.....	1,241
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	144	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,821,075
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	149	.....1944.....	1,766,539
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	407	.....dollars 1949...	1,254,446
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	279	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	199	.....dollars 1949...	185
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	56	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	26	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	890
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	980
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	22	.....number 1950...	8,281
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	22	.....1945.....	7,696
Cotton.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	884
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	5,558
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	4	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	338
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	6,919
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	774	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	755
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	52	.....1945.....	771
		.....number 1950...	3,144
		.....1945.....	2,467

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	195	Corn:	
1945.....	258	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120
number 1950...	6,507	1944.....	1,140
1945.....	6,255	acres 1949...	28,191
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	33,683
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	191	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	886
number 1950...	4,634	1944.....	828
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	190	acres 1949...	15,190
1945 ¹	250	1944.....	15,940
number 1950...	4,324	bushels 1949...	456,107
1945 ¹	5,572	1944.....	481,655
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	114	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	474
number 1950...	310	acres 1949...	6,072
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	99	tons..green weight 1949...	32,676
number 1950...	1,673	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	168	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	611
1944.....	250	acres 1949...	6,929
number shorn 1949...	4,869	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	30,886	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	41,020	1944.....	12
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr 28	acres 1949...	.....
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	77
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,008	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1945.....	1,221	1944.....	1
number 1950...	97,461	acres 1949...	.....
1945.....	103,424	1944.....	1
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	823	bushels 1949...	20
number 1949...	70,295	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	65,273	acres 1949...	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	829	tons..green weight 1949...	.....
dozens 1949...	745,884	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	273,886	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	10	acres 1949...	.....
number 1950...	1,500	tons cut 1949...	.....
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	57	Small grains:	
1944.....	83	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	45,404	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	134
1944.....	35,569	acres 1949...	3,440
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		bushels 1949...	85,756
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,265	1944.....	24
dollars 1949...	1,472,412	acres 1949...	124
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,207	1944.....	108
1944.....	1,332	bushels 1949...	1,595
number 1949...	8,829	1944.....	920
1944.....	11,566	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	953	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1949...	4,371	acres 1949...	190
dollars 1949...	591,145	bushels 1949...	1,617
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	984	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	175
number 1949...	4,458	acres 1949...	1,913
dollars 1949...	176,490	bushels 1949...	22,484
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	936	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	860
1944.....	1,147	1944.....	775
number 1949...	20,778	acres 1949...	19,672
1944.....	19,121	1944.....	18,398
dollars 1949...	640,556	bushels 1949...	478,580
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	160	1944.....	385,261
1944.....	212	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	52
number 1949...	3,389	1944.....	60
1944.....	3,924	acres 1949...	358
dollars 1949...	56,269	1944.....	548
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	82	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	37
number 1949...	191	1944.....	97
dollars 1949...	7,932	acres 1949...	229
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	767
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,042	bushels 1949...	5,073
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	476	1944.....	16,129
number 1949...	553	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	52
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	288	1944.....	60
1944.....	375	acres 1949...	358
number 1949...	311	1944.....	1,326
1944.....	430	bushels 1949...	31,063
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	206	1944.....	11,793
1944.....	112	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1949...	242	acres 1949...	180
1944.....	126	bushels 1949...	1,589
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	975	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1,138	acres 1949...	7
number 1949...	1,924	bushels 1949...	80
1944.....	2,153	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	10
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	246	acres 1949...	310
dollars 1949...	5,602	1944.....	65
		bushels 1949...	1,814
		1944.....	525

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944.....	..... 1,370
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	9	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... ..	75
1944 ¹	28	1944.....	76
acres 1949... ..	42	acres 1949... ..	65
1944 ¹	178	acres 1949... ..	68
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	3	sold..dollars 1949... ..	6,586
1944.....	6	1944.....	4,961
acres 1949... ..	21	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....
1944.....	31	acres 1949... ..	.....
bushels 1949... ..	215	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... ..	1
1944.....	234	1944.....	4
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	6	acres 1949... ..	(*)
acres 1949... ..	21	1944.....	2
tons 1949... ..	25	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....	acres 1949... ..	.....
acres 1949... ..	.....	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....	1944.....	6
acres 1949... ..	.....	acres 1949... ..	1
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	14	1944.....	1
1944.....	15	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....
acres 1949... ..	21	acres 1949... ..	.....
1944.....	38	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... ..	7
bushels 1949... ..	221	1944.....	8
1944.....	186	acres 1949... ..	4
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....	1944.....	11
1944 ².....	.....	acres 1949... ..	66
acres 1949... ..	.....	acres 1949... ..	56
1944 ².....	.....	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... ..	2
bushels 1949... ..	.....	acres 1949... ..	(*)
1944 ².....	.....	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..	.....
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		1944.....	1
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1,328	acres 1949... ..	(*)
acres 1949... ..	42,808	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	5
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... ..	639	1944.....	6
1944.....	391	acres 1949... ..	1
acres 1949... ..	10,203	1944.....	1
1944.....	4,277	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1
tons 1949... ..	13,507	acres 1949... ..	(*)
1944.....	5,093	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... ..	3
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	611	acres 1949... ..	.....
1944.....	239	acres 1949... ..	.....
acres 1949... ..	10,795	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	3,145	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... ..	25
tons 1949... ..	11,822	acres 1949... ..	6
1944.....	3,159	quarts 1949... ..	3,629
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... ..	80	acres 1949... ..	11
1944.....	59	acres 1949... ..	2
acres 1949... ..	988	quarts 1949... ..	1,016
1944.....	470	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949... ..	1,049	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... ..	197
1944.....	482	1945... ..	.....
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... ..	700	acres 1950 ³	8
1944.....	718	1945... ..	.....
acres 1949... ..	15,534	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... ..	84
1944.....	13,677	1945... ..	113
tons 1949... ..	16,719	trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	326
1944.....	14,721	1945... ..	458
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... ..	235	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	212
1944.....	748	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	114
acres 1949... ..	5,104	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	78
1944.....	15,309	1944.....	201
tons 1949... ..	5,091	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... ..	.....
1944.....	15,672	1945... ..	.....
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... ..	6	trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	.....
acres 1949... ..	103	1945... ..	.....
tons..green weight 1949... ..	339	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	.....
Field crops(other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	.....
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	168	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	.....
1944.....	25	1944.....	.....
acres 1949... ..	1,483	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... ..	35
1944.....	202	1945... ..	29
bushels 1949... ..	824	trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	151
1944.....	91	1945... ..	146
acres 1949... ..	1,711	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	78
1944.....	113	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	75
bushels 1949... ..	1,595	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... ..	176
1944.....	100	1944.....	509
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	46	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... ..	154
acres 1949... ..	531	1945... ..	166
bushels 1949... ..	1,504	trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	1,895
1944.....	47	1945... ..	2,045
acres 1949... ..	35	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	455
1944.....	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	1,440
bushels 1949... ..	32	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	384
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..	28	1944.....	504
acres 1949... ..	612	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... ..	23
1944.....	1,224	1945... ..	7
acres 1949 ³	309	vines of all ages..number 1950... ..	87
1944.....	977	1945... ..	78
bushels 1949... ..	21,782	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	53
1944.....	68,287	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	34
acres 1949... ..	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... ..	140
100 lb. ear corn 1949... ..	4	1944.....	805

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1.5 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
⁵Reported in small fractions.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,665	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	64
1945.....	1,701	1945.....	59
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	265,600	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	98.3	1945.....	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	170,096	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	50
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	107,026	1945.....	53
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,087	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	51
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,281	1945.....	45
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	260,987	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	45
1945.....	262,528	1945.....	46
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	156.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	25
1945.....	154.8	1945.....	22
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	21,020	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	201
1945.....	14,017	1945.....	245
average per acre, dollars 1950*	133.68	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	296
1945.....	90.82	1945.....	315
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	500
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,600	1945.....	486
1944.....	1,634	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	184
acres 1949.....	185,367	1945.....	171
1944.....	161,989	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	145
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1945.....	146
1944.....	47	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	142
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945.....	158
1944.....	22	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	11
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945.....	9
1944.....	29	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1945.....	.....
1944.....	189	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	516	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	684	White operators.....number 1950...	1,665
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	777	1945.....	1,701
1944.....	638	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	140	1945.....	.....
1944.....	75	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	623	Full owners.....number 1950...	879
1944 ¹	421	1945.....	802
acres 1949.....	11,928	Part owners.....number 1950...	274
1944 ¹	7,327	1945.....	254
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	3
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	133	1945.....	25
acres 1949.....	2,345	All tenants.....number 1950...	509
1944.....	26,628	1945.....	620
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	389	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	30.6
1944.....	337	1945.....	36.4
acres 1949.....	9,202	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	164
1944.....	9,627	1945.....	265
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	227	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	128
1944.....	138	1945.....	76
acres 1949.....	2,689	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	196
1944.....	1,268	1945.....	277
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	52
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	987	1945.....	144
1944 ¹	1,243	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
acres 1949.....	25,689	1945.....	12
1944 ¹	36,915	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	15
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,639	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	1,691	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,088
acres 1949.....	28,787	1945.....	930
1944.....	18,769	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,518
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	1,144
1944.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,508
acres 1949.....	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	12.06
1944.....	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,068
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	546
acres 1949.....	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	502
FARM OPERATORS		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,463
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,597	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	351
1945.....	1,649	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	96
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	57	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	881
1945.....	46	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	396
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	411
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	85	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	908
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	448	number 1950...	914
1944.....	145	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	97
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	118	number 1950...	97
1944.....	52	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	813
		number 1950...	881
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		number 1950...	11

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950.....	665	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	481
.....1945.....	479	General farms.....number 1950.....	704
.....number 1950.....	594	.....number 1950.....	10
.....1945.....	499	.....number 1950.....	398
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,468	.....number 1950.....	301
.....1945.....	1,411	.....number 1950.....	81
.....number 1950.....	2,190	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	1,784		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,483		
.....number 1950.....	2,185		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	50		
.....number 1950.....	5		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
.....number 1950.....	5		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,492		
.....1945.....	1,589		
.....number 1950.....	1,951		
.....1945.....	1,877		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	131		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	55		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	902		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	572		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,594
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	18
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	702	Class II (Value of products sold,\$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	291
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	671	Class III (Value of products sold,\$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	771
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	165	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	364
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	97
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold,\$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	58
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,898	Other farms.....number 1950.....	71
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	35
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	36
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	241	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,770,767
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,832	.....1944.....	6,843,211
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,808,896
		.....1944.....	707,438
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,508,637
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	387,400
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,608	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	284,958
.....persons 1950.....	2,938	.....1944.....	110,598
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,592	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,191
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,557	.....1944.....	608
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	781	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	18,500
.....persons 1950.....	1,126	.....1944.....	8,227
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	258	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,956,197
.....persons 1950.....	310	.....1944.....	6,189,493
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,655,441
		.....1944.....	1,860,316
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,661,885
		.....1944.....	1,460,579
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,687,921
		.....1944.....	3,292,596
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,274
		.....1944.....	2,285
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,019
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,014
		.....1945.....	1,481
		.....number 1950.....	2,768
		.....1945.....	5,773
		.....number 1950.....	9
		.....1945.....	29
		.....number 1950.....	16
		.....1945.....	51
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,452
		.....1945.....	1,569
		.....number 1950.....	29,108
		.....1945.....	35,885
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,411
		.....1945 ³	1,551
		.....number 1950.....	14,548
		.....1945 ³	20,896
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,864
		.....number 1950.....	18,590
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,231
		.....number 1950.....	8,531
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	922
		.....number 1950.....	2,902
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	837
		.....number 1950.....	8,127
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	298
		.....1944.....	135
		.....pounds 1949.....	16,505,177
		.....1944.....	6,774,194
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	463,862
		.....1944.....	1,018
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,738,081
		.....1944.....	2,250,499
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,191,524
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
		.....dollars 1949.....	55
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,429
		.....1945.....	1,468
		.....number 1950.....	69,294
		.....1945.....	42,703
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,414
		.....number 1950.....	29,774
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	763
		.....number 1950.....	29,520
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,316
		.....1945.....	1,284
		.....number 1950.....	13,808
		.....1945.....	11,182

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	318	Corn:	
.....1945...	450	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,556
.....number 1950...	6,471	.....1944...	1,588
.....1945...	8,641	.....acres 1949...	75,788
.....1945...	8,641	.....1944...	67,879
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,548
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	315	.....1944...	1,555
.....number 1950...	4,884	.....acres 1949...	66,005
.....1945 ¹ ...	313	.....1944...	57,680
.....number 1950...	8,990	.....bushels 1949...	3,211,075
.....1945 ¹ ...	7,757	.....1944...	2,548,424
.....number 1950...	168	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	708
.....1945...	344	.....acres 1949...	5,778
.....number 1950...	344	.....tons green weight 1949...	68,592
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	180	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
.....number 1950...	2,137	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	307
.....1949...	287	.....acres 1949...	1,949
.....number 1949...	410	Sorghums:	
.....number shorn 1949...	4,115	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	
.....pounds 1949...	85,008	.....1944...	3
.....1944...	62,624	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	62,624	.....1944...	14
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		.....1944...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,495	.....acres 1949...	
.....1945...	1,576	.....1944...	
.....number 1950...	137,850	.....bushels 1949...	
.....1945...	166,668	.....1944...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,222	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1949...	260,348	.....acres 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	237,459	.....1944...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,222	.....tons green weight 1949...	
.....dozens 1949...	3,475,409	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....dollars 1949...	1,258,254	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	10	.....acres 1949...	
.....number 1950...	817	.....1944...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Small grains:	
.....1944...	19	Grains grown together and threshed as	
.....number 1949...	30,844	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	189
.....1944...	27,600	.....acres 1949...	3,674
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....bushels 1949...	144,439
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	58
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,548	.....1944...	161
.....dollars 1949...	4,565,701	.....acres 1949...	569
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,381	.....1944...	1,456
.....1944...	1,459	.....bushels 1949...	11,648
.....number 1949...	12,162	.....1944...	21,603
.....1944...	13,514	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,106	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....number 1949...	5,407	.....acres 1949...	52
.....dollars 1949...	959,062	.....bushels 1949...	1,080
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,162	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	140
.....number 1949...	6,755	.....acres 1949...	1,651
.....dollars 1949...	290,703	.....bushels 1949...	33,258
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,481	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,412
.....1944...	1,480	.....1944...	1,472
.....number 1949...	82,224	.....acres 1949...	45,481
.....1944...	86,917	.....1944...	40,975
.....dollars 1949...	3,260,897	.....bushels 1949...	2,008,168
.....1944...	3,260,897	.....1944...	1,189,159
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	262	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	17
.....1944...	289	.....1944...	31
.....number 1949...	3,497	.....acres 1949...	98
.....1944...	4,905	.....1944...	160
.....dollars 1949...	65,637	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	356
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	137	.....1944...	85
.....number 1949...	247	.....acres 1949...	6,024
.....dollars 1949...	9,402	.....1944...	582
FARM SLAUGHTER		.....bushels 1949...	167,806
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,292	.....1944...	7,644
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	547	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	75
.....number 1949...	610	.....1944...	24
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	440	.....acres 1949...	712
.....1944...	685	.....1944...	170
.....number 1949...	473	.....bushels 1949...	15,925
.....1944...	716	.....1944...	3,154
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	114	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....1944...	62	.....acres 1949...	35
.....number 1949...	137	.....bushels 1949...	439
.....1944...	86	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	3
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,257	.....acres 1949...	98
.....1944...	1,404	.....bushels 1949...	1,250
.....number 1949...	2,312	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	496
.....1944...	3,601	.....1944...	205
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		.....acres 1949...	6,810
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	224	.....1944...	2,174
.....dollars 1949...	3,973	.....bushels 1949...	95,064
.....1944...	3,973	.....1944...	14,681

¹Does and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,126
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	851	.....farms reporting 1944...	1,525
.....1944 ¹	414	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	241
.....acres 1949.....	15,022	.....1944.....	325
.....1944 ¹	8,958	.....acres 1949.....	5,168
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	788	.....1944.....	3,772
.....1944.....	194	.....sold..dollars 1949.....	284,968
.....acres 1949.....	14,385	.....1944.....	110,598
.....1944.....	2,153	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....bushels 1949.....	286,021	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....1944.....	86,010	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	13
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	115	.....1944.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	573	.....acres 1949.....	145
.....tons 1949.....	1,040	.....1944.....	220
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949.....	3	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949.....	56	.....1944.....	.....
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	.....	.....1944.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	162	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....bushels 1949.....	1,525	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	188
.....1944.....	.....	.....1944.....	254
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....acres 1949.....	2,784
.....1944 ².....	.....	.....1944.....	2,776
.....acres 1949.....	68	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944 ².....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....bushels 1949.....	1,088	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944 ².....	.....	.....acres 1949.....	3
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,415	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	149
.....acres 1949.....	28,921	.....1944.....	115
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	910	.....acres 1949.....	2,886
.....1944.....	1,012	.....1944.....	737
.....acres 1949.....	9,173	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....1944.....	9,959	.....1944.....	1
.....tons 1949.....	22,921	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	21,576	.....1944.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	371	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	612	.....acres 1949.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	3,087	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	5,676	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1949.....	4,876	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....1944.....	9,388	.....acres 1949.....	5
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	35	.....quarts 1949.....	2,978
.....1944.....	11	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....acres 1949.....	191	.....acres 1949.....	1
.....1944.....	221	.....quarts 1949...	770
.....tons 1949.....	298	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944.....	209	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	915
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	842	.....1945.....	25
.....1944.....	898	.....acres 1950 ³	82
.....acres 1949.....	9,216	.....1945.....	27
.....1944.....	11,402	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	865
.....tons 1949.....	13,518	.....1945.....	586
.....1944.....	15,857	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7,085
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	220	.....1945.....	4,657
.....1944.....	480	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,488
.....acres 1949.....	1,958	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,597
.....1944.....	4,967	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	9,820
.....tons 1949.....	3,403	.....1944.....	1,024
.....1944.....	7,389	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	44
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....1945.....	4
.....acres 1949.....	110	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	117
.....tons..green weight 1949.....	420	.....1945.....	9
Field crops (other):		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	61
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	16	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	56
.....1944.....	6	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	34
.....acres 1949.....	68	.....1944.....	2
.....1944.....	40	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	54
.....bushels 1949.....	92	.....1945.....	4
.....1944.....	34	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	218
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	86	.....1945.....	10
.....1944.....	143	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	87
.....acres 1949.....	562	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	131
.....1944.....	1,385	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	669
.....bushels 1949.....	619	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	271
.....1944.....	1,303	.....1945.....	240
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,261
.....acres 1949.....	13	.....1945.....	1,201
.....bushels 1949.....	109	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	122
.....1944.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,039
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	622
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1944.....	95
.....bushels 1949.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	144
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....1945.....	85
.....acres 1949.....	62	.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	572
.....bushels 1949.....	96	.....1945.....	144
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	395	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	131
.....1944.....	652	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	441
.....acres 1949 ³	88	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	4,378
.....1944.....	359	.....1944.....	645
.....bushels 1949.....	7,425		
.....1944.....	18,880		
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
.....acres 1949.....	5		
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	53		

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/2 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
⁵Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,643	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	96
.....1945...	1,775	.....1945...	127
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	249,600	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	19
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	86.8	.....1945...	15
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	169,768	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	79
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	54,394	.....1945...	112
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,294	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	135
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,707	.....1945...	154
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	221,749	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	142
.....1945...	227,483	.....1945...	134
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	135.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	82
.....1945...	128.1	.....1945...	78
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	13,769	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	276
.....1945...	9,411	.....1945...	327
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	108.65	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	260
.....1945...	75.44	.....1945...	283
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	265
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,520	.....1945...	293
.....1944...	1,697	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	136
.....acres 1949...	115,494	.....1945...	145
.....1944...	126,964	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	94
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	145	.....1945...	93
.....1944...	197	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	137
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	113	.....1945...	123
.....1944...	105	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	11
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	112	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	106	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	239	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	238		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	516	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	612	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	330	White operators.....number 1950...	1,641
.....1944...	379	.....1945...	1,774
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	65	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	60	.....1945...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	914	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	854	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,132
.....acres 1949...	23,436	.....1945...	1,030
.....1944...	18,848	Part owners.....number 1950...	330
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	405
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	255	Managers.....number 1950...	15
.....1949...	5,754	.....1945...	51
.....1944...	5,949	All tenants.....number 1950...	186
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	760	.....1945...	309
.....1944...	675	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.1
.....acres 1949...	31,741	.....1945...	17.4
.....1944...	24,829	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	86
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	282	.....1945...	232
.....1944...	221	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	24
.....acres 1949...	6,648	.....1945...	16
.....1944...	4,313	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	23
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	51
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	577	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	5
.....1944 ¹ ...	860	.....1945...	18
.....acres 1949...	18,352	.....1945...	33
.....1944 ¹ ...	26,629	.....1945...	10
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,610	.....1945...	22
.....1944...	1,864	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1949...	20,324		
.....1944...	19,931	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,167
.....1944...	6	.....1945...	1,309
.....acres 1949...	138	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,416
.....1944...	138	.....1945...	1,214
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	6	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,406
.....acres 1949...	138	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	12.95
		.....farms reporting 1950...	1,209
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	659
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	411
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,305
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	268
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	24
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	699
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	69
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	69
		.....number 1950...	179
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	179
		.....number 1950...	90
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	90
		.....number 1950...	850
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1,038
		.....number 1950...	15
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,576		
.....1945...	1,695		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	52		
.....1945...	66		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	408		
.....1949...	681		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	448		
.....1949...	427		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	277		
.....1944...	277		

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	676	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	141
.....1945.....	653	General farms.....number 1950...	75
.....number 1950.....	672	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	716	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	30
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,103	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	38
.....1945.....	956	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	393
.....number 1950.....	1,366		
.....1945.....	1,074	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,035	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,271
.....number 1950.....	1,249	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	23
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	77	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	99
.....number 1950.....	81	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	399
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	29	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	414
.....number 1950.....	36	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	264
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,314	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	72
.....1945.....	1,584	Other farms.....number 1950...	372
.....number 1950.....	1,723	Part-time ².....number 1950...	180
.....1945.....	1,914	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	191
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	249	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	16	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,411,864
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	212	.....1942.....	6,059,034
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	741	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	962,072
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	425	.....1944.....	553,708
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	493,838
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	262,094
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	46	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	105,083
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	658	.....1944.....	92,115
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	519	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	64,231
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	343	.....1944.....	83,151
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	298,920
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	136,348
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	428	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,448,488
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	175	.....1944.....	5,502,039
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	698	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,530,189
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	116	.....1944.....	3,058,188
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	914,826
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	865,301
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	462	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,003,493
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	494	.....1944.....	1,580,550
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	492	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,304
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	3,287
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,361	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	960
.....persons 1950.....	2,541	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	952
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,358	.....1945.....	1,375
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,298	.....number 1950.....	2,652
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	626	.....1945.....	4,249
.....persons 1950.....	916	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	18
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	220	.....1945.....	36
.....persons 1950.....	327	.....number 1950...	47
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	98
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,464	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,229	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,323
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,116	.....1945.....	1,525
dollars 1949...	167,418	.....number 1950...	31,520
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	924	.....1945.....	35,398
dollars 1949...	684,365	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,283
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,383	.....1945 ³	1,476
dollars 1949...	1,564,509	.....number 1950...	16,349
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,086	.....1945 ³	21,678
dollars 1949...	1,318,117	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,258
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,217	.....number 1950...	15,836
dollars 1949...	256,484	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,053
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,264	.....number 1950...	8,087
dollars 1949...	375,988	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	885
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	907	.....number 1950...	3,778
dollars 1949...	116,182	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	847
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,088	.....number 1950...	3,306
dollars 1949...	156,177	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,068
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	1,252
No sales.....number 1950...	57	.....pounds 1949...	102,320,951
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	134	.....1944.....	103,527,368
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	39	.....dollars 1949...	3,462,814
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	90	.....farms reporting 1949...	44
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	107	.....1944.....	131
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	84	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	116,821
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	196	.....1944.....	150,127
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	224	.....dollars 1949...	67,315
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	318	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	271	.....dollars 1949...	40
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	123	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	639
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	34	.....1945.....	809
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	34	.....number 1950...	10,965
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	11,418
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	612
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	5,407
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....farms reporting 1950...	222
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	925	.....number 1950...	5,558
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	67	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	510
		.....1945.....	543
		.....number 1950...	2,721
		.....1945.....	2,367

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	53	Corn:	
1945.....	90	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,331
number 1950.....	1,345	1944.....	1,521
1945.....	2,302	acres 1949.....	35,471
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	40,746
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	49	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,280
number 1950.....	827	1944.....	1,366
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	48	acres 1949.....	22,592
1945.....	64	1944.....	24,118
number 1950.....	773	bushels 1949.....	1,026,190
1945.....	1,912	1944.....	1,027,597
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	862
number 1950.....	54	acres 1949.....	10,889
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	36	tons..green weight 1949...	94,810
number 1950.....	518	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	36	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	272
1944.....	53	acres 1949...	1,992
number shorn 1949...	744	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,746	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	12,115	1944.....	25
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr. 28	acres 1949.....	69
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	140
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,208	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1945.....	1,527	1944.....	1
number 1950.....	159,895	acres 1949.....	.....
1945.....	219,983	1944.....	1
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	683	bushels 1949.....	.....
number 1949...	131,154	1944.....	8
dollars 1949...	136,666	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059	acres 1949...	14
dozens 1949...	1,574,663	tons..green weight 1949...	64
dollars 1949...	619,332	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	6	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14
number 1950...	151	acres 1949...	75
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	tons cut 1949...	68
1944.....	37	Small grains:	
number 1949...	21,747	Grains grown together and threshed as	
1944.....	21,089	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	175
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	3,709
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949...	90,822
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,319	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
dollars 1949...	2,906,095	1944.....	176
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,233	acres 1949...	356
1944.....	1,414	1944.....	1,470
number 1949...	17,408	bushels 1949...	3,658
1944.....	17,689	1944.....	20,763
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,003	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
number 1949...	8,912	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
dollars 1949...	1,877,120	acres 1949...	40
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,089	bushels 1949...	608
number 1949...	8,496	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	159
dollars 1949...	317,427	acres 1949...	1,826
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	666	bushels 1949...	26,963
1944.....	853	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,135
number 1949...	16,407	1944.....	1,246
1944.....	19,351	acres 1949...	51,456
dollars 1949...	683,075	1944.....	31,357
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	51	bushels 1949...	819,216
1944.....	47	1944.....	849,166
number 1949...	1,082	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	40
1944.....	841	1944.....	39
dollars 1949...	20,438	acres 1949...	354
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	110	1944.....	333
number 1949...	184	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	76
dollars 1949...	8,035	1944.....	127
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949...	954
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	821	1944.....	1,286
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	368	bushels 1949...	20,571
number 1949...	492	1944.....	24,646
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	281	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	81
1944.....	383	1944.....	48
number 1949...	320	acres 1949...	1,264
1944.....	458	1944.....	656
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	113	bushels 1949...	20,797
1944.....	149	1944.....	6,049
number 1949...	172	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	284	acres 1949...	4
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	681	bushels 1949...	35
1944.....	981	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	1,547	acres 1949...	3
1944.....	2,408	bushels 1949...	80
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	47
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	191	1944.....	50
dollars 1949...	8,484	acres 1949...	1,061
		1944.....	804
		bushels 1949...	10,813
		1944.....	4,466

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,182
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	91	.....farms reporting 1944...	1,570
.....acres 1949...	161	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	118
.....acres 1944...	1,426	.....farms reporting 1944...	184
.....acres 1949...	2,302	.....acres 1949...	1,181
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	58	.....acres 1944...	2,249
.....farms reporting 1944...	86	.....sold..dollars 1949...	105,083
.....acres 1949...	1,113	.....acres 1944...	92,115
.....acres 1944...	1,504	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....bushels 1949...	12,662	.....acres 1949...	1
.....bushels 1944...	17,449	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....farms reporting 1944...	7
.....acres 1949...	293	.....acres 1949...	2
.....acres 1944...	548	.....acres 1944...	5
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	2	.....acres 1949...	
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
.....acres 1949...	18	.....farms reporting 1944...	18
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....acres 1949...	13
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....acres 1944...	30
.....acres 1949...	11	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....acres 1944...		.....acres 1949...	30
.....bushels 1949...	216	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	79
.....bushels 1944...		.....farms reporting 1944...	114
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....acres 1949...	784
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....acres 1944...	1,585
.....acres 1949...	1	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	26
.....acres 1944...		.....acres 1949...	39
.....bushels 1949...	20	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....bushels 1944...		.....acres 1949...	1
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	27
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,372	.....farms reporting 1944...	44
.....acres 1949...	35,241	.....acres 1949...	244
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	866	.....acres 1944...	376
.....farms reporting 1944...	683	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	25
.....acres 1949...	16,711	.....farms reporting 1944...	30
.....acres 1944...	8,239	.....acres 1949...	27
.....tons 1949...	24,104	.....acres 1944...	60
.....tons 1944...	14,201	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	828	.....acres 1949...	13
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,172	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	27
.....acres 1949...	15,883	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1944...	25,271	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	35
.....tons 1949...	12,396	.....acres 1949...	40
.....tons 1944...	34,723	.....quarts 1949...	61,094
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....quarts 1949...	24
.....farms reporting 1944...	42	.....acres 1949...	14
.....acres 1949...	411	.....quarts 1949...	8,919
.....acres 1944...	390	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....tons 1949...	399	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	986
.....tons 1944...	378	.....farms reporting 1945...	313
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	179	.....acres 1950 ⁴ ...	438
.....farms reporting 1944...	191	.....acres 1945...	606
.....acres 1949...	1,762	.....acres 1945...	897
.....acres 1944...	1,726	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	27,109
.....tons 1949...	1,892	.....farms reporting 1945...	34,512
.....tons 1944...	2,369	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,359
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	183	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,770
.....farms reporting 1944...	297	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	42,269
.....acres 1949...	2,098	.....bushels 1944...	27,072
.....acres 1944...	4,008	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	54
.....tons 1949...	2,392	.....farms reporting 1945...	35
.....tons 1944...	5,846	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	306
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	142
.....acres 1949...	63	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	230
.....acres 1944...	229	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	76
Field crops (other):		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	101
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....bushels 1944...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	68
.....acres 1949...	64	.....farms reporting 1945...	48
.....acres 1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,485
.....bushels 1949...	68	.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	1,555
.....bushels 1944...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	553
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,932
.....farms reporting 1944...	10	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,214
.....acres 1949...	105	.....pounds 1944...	6,116
.....acres 1944...	108	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	336
.....bushels 1949...	92	.....farms reporting 1945...	351
.....bushels 1944...	54	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,440
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	3,618
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,604
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,840
.....acres 1944...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,030
.....bushels 1949...		.....bushels 1944...	379
.....bushels 1944...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	103
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....farms reporting 1945...	135
.....farms reporting 1944...	15	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	733
.....acres 1949...	33	.....vines of all ages..number 1945...	990
.....acres 1944...		.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	165
.....bushels 1949...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	588
.....bushels 1944...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,850
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....pounds 1944...	6,801
.....farms reporting 1944...			
.....acres 1949...	335		
.....acres 1944...	843		
.....acres 1949 ² ...	215		
.....acres 1944...	1,026		
.....bushels 1949...	19,409		
.....bushels 1944...	49,545		
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15		
.....farms reporting 1944...	35		
.....acres 1949...	35		
.....acres 1944...	311		
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	311		

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,476	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	32
.....1945...	1,474	.....1945...	24
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	277,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	97.6	.....1945...	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	155,042	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	27
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	130,892	.....1945...	15
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	760	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	24
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	16,288	.....1945...	26
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	270,408	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	20
.....1945...	274,896	.....1945...	24
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	183.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945...	186.5	.....1945...	8
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	27,766	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	119
.....1945...	17,339	.....1945...	116
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	147.69	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	205
.....1945...	92.97	.....1945...	181
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	463
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,437	.....1945...	462
.....1944...	1,442	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	170
.....acres 1949...	211,603	.....1945...	189
.....1944...	177,260	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	197
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....1945...	197
.....1944...	19	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	215
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12	.....1945...	239
.....1944...	16	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	11
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....1945...	8
.....1944...	19	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	59		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	280	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	429	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	820	White operators.....number 1950...	1,476
.....1944...	740	.....1945...	1,474
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	280	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	160	.....1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	685	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	799	Full owners.....number 1950...	688
.....acres 1949...	13,614	.....1945...	617
.....1944...	16,943	Part owners.....number 1950...	215
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	222
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	104	Managers.....number 1950...	4
.....acres 1949...	1,327	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	37,861	All tenants.....number 1950...	571
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	180	.....1945...	628
.....acres 1949...	86	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	58.7
.....1944...	3,890	.....1945...	42.6
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,448	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	105
.....acres 1949...	127	.....1945...	147
.....1944...	70	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	254
Other pasture (not/cropland and		.....1945...	102
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	723	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	187
.....1944...	788	.....1945...	57
.....acres 1949...	20,423	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	52
.....1944...	21,787	.....1945...	155
Other land (house lots, roads,		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	27
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,454	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	1,466	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	18,530	.....1945...	20
.....1944...	17,842	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	
.....acres 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	999
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	924
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,479
		.....1945...	1,132
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,479
		.....1945...	1,033
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.58
		.....1945...	1,199
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	492
		.....1945...	261
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,419
		.....1945...	217
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	56
		.....1945...	520
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	455
		.....1945...	471
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	902
		.....1945...	928
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	106
		.....1945...	111
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	717
		.....1945...	750
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	15
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...
	1945...

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

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Table with columns: Item, County total. Includes sections: FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued, FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS, VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE, HORSES AND MULES, CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS, HOGS.

1 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.
2 Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
3 Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	132	Corn:	
1945.....	227	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,402
number 1950...	3,514	1944.....	1,417
1945.....	7,405	acres 1949...	95,226
1944.....		1944.....	84,023
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,398
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	180	1944.....	1,400
number 1950...	2,434	acres 1949...	88,573
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	128	1944.....	87,033
1945.....	215	bushels 1949...	4,091,527
number 1950...	2,304	1944.....	3,081,193
1945.....	5,030	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	600
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	68	acres 1949...	4,734
number 1950...	130	tons .green weight 1949...	49,748
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	79	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950...	1,080	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	328
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	118	1944.....	1,919
1944.....	201	number shorn 1949...	
number shorn 1949...	2,141	1944.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	18,222	1944.....	
1944.....	40,209	Sorghums:	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	6
		1944.....	7
		acres 1949...	20
		1944.....	58
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,273	1944.....	
1945.....	1,375	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	288,497	1944.....	
1945.....	341,223	bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,052	1944.....	
number 1949...	211,954	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	183,934	acres 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,252	tons .green weight 1949...	
dozens 1949...	3,078,784	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	1,088,109	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	11	acres 1949...	20
number 1950...	1,505	tons cut 1949...	14
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Small grains:	
1944.....	26	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	27,199	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	42,811	acres 1949...	619
		bushels 1949...	26,488
		1944.....	
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
		1944.....	11
		acres 1949...	122
		1944.....	92
		bushels 1949...	1,650
		1944.....	759
		Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
		or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres 1949...	5
		bushels 1949...	60
		Other spring wheat threshed or combined.:farms reporting 1949...	47
		acres 1949...	331
		bushels 1949...	5,376
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,331
		1944.....	1,545
		acres 1949...	57,071
		1944.....	47,983
		bushels 1949...	2,434,474
		1944.....	1,177,805
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		1944.....	26
		acres 1949...	97
		1944.....	324
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	121
		1944.....	15
		acres 1949...	2,329
		1944.....	189
		bushels 1949...	51,716
		1944.....	1,714
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	40
		1944.....	23
		acres 1949...	628
		1944.....	237
		bushels 1949...	9,859
		1944.....	1,711
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	10
		bushels 1949...	25
		Emmer and spelt threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	5
		bushels 1949...	90
		Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	616
		1944.....	364
		acres 1949...	15,356
		1944.....	6,585
		bushels 1949...	194,042
		1944.....	28,483
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold			
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,381		
dollars 1949...	5,734,487		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,240		
1944.....	1,279		
number 1949...	14,598		
1944.....	14,814		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,036		
number 1949...	10,806		
dollars 1949...	2,200,815		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	749		
number 1949...	3,592		
dollars 1949...	243,756		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,259		
1944.....	1,292		
number 1949...	73,573		
1944.....	79,633		
dollars 1949...	3,220,151		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	180		
1944.....	197		
number 1949...	2,910		
1944.....	5,780		
dollars 1949...	59,814		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	114		
number 1949...	222		
dollars 1949...	9,951		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,100		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	481		
number 1949...	555		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	320		
1944.....	517		
number 1949...	336		
1944.....	550		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	175		
1944.....	146		
number 1949...	189		
1944.....	164		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,041		
1944.....	1,192		
number 1949...	2,150		
1944.....	2,609		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from			
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	188		
dollars 1949...	5,420		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	720	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	108
.....1945.....	507	General farms.....number 1950...	350
.....number 1950.....	851	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	855	.....number 1950.....	8
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,101	.....number 1950.....	72
.....1945.....	1,081	.....number 1950.....	270
.....number 1950.....	1,959	.....number 1950.....	23
.....1945.....	1,509	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,101		
.....number 1950...	1,884		
.....1945.....	14		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	14		
.....number 1950...	57		
.....1945.....	17		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	17		
.....number 1950...	61		
.....1945.....	1,047		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,047		
.....1945.....	1,103		
.....number 1950.....	1,380		
.....1945.....	1,259		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	75		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	1		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	53		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	577		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	551		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,214
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	54	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	28
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	298	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	228
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	423	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	604
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	417	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	246
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	87
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	21
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	699	Other farms.....number 1950...	23
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Part-time ².....number 1950...	15
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	8
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	51	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	77	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,200,456
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	914	.....1944.....	4,278,894
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	187	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	5,635,755
		.....1944.....	1,598,599
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,623,080
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	1,584,189
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,058	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,900
.....persons 1950...	2,087	.....1944.....	3,821
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,038	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	755
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,003	.....1944.....	611
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	525	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	10,000
.....persons 1950...	889	.....1944.....	7,978
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	188	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,564,569
.....persons 1950...	225	.....1944.....	2,672,380
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	719,874
		.....1944.....	568,348
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	779,170
		.....1944.....	615,704
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,085,725
		.....1944.....	1,486,308
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	132
		.....1944.....	5,225
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	604
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1945...	604
		.....number 1950...	980
		.....1945.....	1,488
		.....number 1945...	3,776
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		.....1945.....	4
		.....number 1950...	52
		.....1945.....	5
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	964
		.....1945.....	1,058
		.....number 1950...	18,846
		.....1945.....	27,801
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	841
		.....1945 ³ ...	1,045
		.....number 1950...	8,015
		.....1945 ³ ...	12,800
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	698
		.....number 1950...	6,986
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	798
		.....number 1950...	4,318
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	761
		.....number 1950...	3,555
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	708
		.....number 1950...	2,958
		.....farms reporting 1949...	172
		.....pounds 1949...	43
		.....1944.....	10,275,876
		.....1944.....	2,659,791
		.....dollars 1949...	312,302
		.....1944.....	841
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	957
		.....1944.....	829,488
		.....dollars 1949...	970,488
		.....1944.....	407,372
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....dollars 1949...	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	724
		.....1945.....	849
		.....number 1950...	13,772
		.....1945.....	11,842
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	719
		.....number 1950...	6,840
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	273
		.....number 1950...	7,132
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	658
	1945.....	722
	number 1950...	4,441
	1945.....	5,976

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³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	93	Corn:	
..... 1945... number 1950...	222	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,094
..... 1945... number 1950...	4,028	..... 1944... acres 1949...	945
..... 1945... number 1950...	17,408	..... 1944... acres 1949...	60,324
..... 1945... number 1950...	17,408	..... 1944... acres 1949...	41,451
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	89	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,045
..... 1950... number 1950...	2,951	..... 1944... acres 1949...	780
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	88	..... 1944... acres 1949...	50,946
..... 1945... number 1950...	205	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	28,942
..... 1945... number 1950...	2,736	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	1,348,819
..... 1945... number 1950...	11,584	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	922,698
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	46	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	450
..... 1950... number 1950...	215	..... 1949... acres 1949...	6,479
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	50	..... 1949... tons..green weight 1949...	56,871
..... 1950... number 1950...	1,077	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	260
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	91	..... 1949... acres 1949...	2,899
..... 1944... number shorn 1949...	210	Sorghums:	
..... 1944... number shorn 1949...	2,985	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	7
..... 1944... pounds 1949...	24,874	..... 1944... acres 1949...	3
..... 1944... pounds 1949...	86,784	..... 1944... acres 1949...	58
Average date of emumeration..... 1950... Apr.1-Apr.14		..... 1944... acres 1949...	14
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	914	..... 1944... acres 1949...	
..... 1945... number 1950...	1,052	..... 1944... acres 1949...	
..... 1945... number 1950...	166,898	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	
..... 1945... number 1950...	178,389	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	720	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
..... 1949... number 1949...	127,970	..... 1949... acres 1949...	
..... 1949... dollars 1949...	117,945	..... 1949... tons..green weight 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	870	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
..... 1949... dozens 1949...	1,586,291	..... 1949... acres 1949...	56
..... 1949... dollars 1949...		..... 1949... tons cut 1949...	61
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	17	Small grains:	
..... 1950... number 1950...	108	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	32
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	35	..... 1949... acres 1949...	1,018
..... 1944... number 1949...	9,183	..... 1949... bushels 1949...	24,805
..... 1944... number 1944...	5,728	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		..... 1944... acres 1949...	774
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	989	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	12,481
..... 1949... dollars 1949...	2,040,756	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	886	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	315
..... 1944... number 1949...	976	..... 1949... acres 1949...	17,898
..... 1944... number 1944...	7,181	..... 1949... bushels 1949...	242,834
..... 1944... dollars 1949...	8,592	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	953
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	707	..... 1949... acres 1949...	80,805
..... 1949... number 1949...	4,928	..... 1949... bushels 1949...	759,425
..... 1949... dollars 1949...	874,869	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,105
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	468	..... 1944... acres 1949...	1,041
..... 1949... number 1949...	2,255	..... 1944... acres 1949...	69,896
..... 1949... dollars 1949...	146,374	..... 1944... acres 1949...	60,094
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	759	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	1,689,287
..... 1944... number 1949...	916	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	1,924,420
..... 1944... number 1949...	23,258	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	20
..... 1944... number 1944...	28,493	..... 1944... acres 1949...	5
..... 1944... dollars 1949...	966,213	..... 1944... acres 1949...	373
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	88	..... 1944... acres 1944...	53
..... 1944... number 1949...	186	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	802
..... 1944... number 1949...	2,794	..... 1944... acres 1949...	490
..... 1944... number 1944...	9,885	..... 1944... acres 1949...	55,452
..... 1944... dollars 1949...	48,695	..... 1944... acres 1944...	16,790
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	58	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	655,297
..... 1949... number 1949...	124	..... 1944... bushels 1944...	261,626
..... 1949... dollars 1949...	4,605	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	180
FARM SLAUGHTER		..... 1944... acres 1949...	48
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	850	..... 1944... acres 1949...	6,179
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	524	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	1,651
..... 1949... number 1949...	647	..... 1944... bushels 1944...	85,741
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	310	..... 1944... bushels 1944...	18,935
..... 1944... number 1949...	439	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
..... 1944... number 1949...	378	..... 1949... acres 1949...	229
..... 1944... number 1944...	514	..... 1949... bushels 1949...	1,431
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	227	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	26
..... 1944... number 1949...	159	..... 1949... acres 1949...	347
..... 1944... number 1949...	269	..... 1949... bushels 1949...	7,417
..... 1944... number 1944...	195	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	977
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	747	..... 1944... acres 1949...	248
..... 1949... number 1949...	922	..... 1944... acres 1949...	61,665
..... 1949... number 1949...	1,687	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	5,456
..... 1944... number 1944...	2,295	..... 1944... bushels 1949...	524,619
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	224	..... 1944... bushels 1944...	31,774
..... 1949... dollars 1949...	7,898		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	619 911
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ¹ ..	160 18	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	2 6 5 82 1,900 3,821
acres 1949... 1944 ¹ ..	3,827 182	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 2
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	145 18 3,428 177	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 2 1 (*)
bushels 1949... 1944...	39,061 2,201	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 1
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	12 120 153	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 (*)
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 7	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... .....
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	5 74	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	2 4 1 15 1
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	2 1 1 1 9 6	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... ..... ..... .....
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² .. acres 1949... 1944 ² .. bushels 1949... 1944 ²..	..... ..... ..... .....	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... .....
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... .....
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	911 45,768	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	2 4 1 14
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	648 784 15,225 16,513 22,417 23,844	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... .....
acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 9 6	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... .....
tons 1949... 1944...	.....	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	23 757 345 659 444	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	10 1 1,534 4
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	quarts 1949... 1944...	..... .....
tons 1949... 1944...	.....	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... .....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	42 10 691 143 479	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 1950 ⁴ .. 1945...	114 5 11 1
tons 1949... 1944...	.....	acres 1950 ⁴ .. 1945...	..... .....
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	97 406 591 25,921 34,076 16,777	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	88 86 983 493 757 226 161 187
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	..... ..... ..... ..... ..... .....
tons 1949... 1944...	.....	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	55 14 153 66 64 69 262
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	55,701 147 85 3,284 1,293 2,948 1,599	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	87 24 827 295 303 524 203 59
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	12 5 154 36 64 90 250 310
tons 1949... 1944...	.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons..green weight 1949...	4 86 295		
Field crops (other):			
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	196 140 5,587 2,281 6,434 1,451		
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	
bushels 1949... 1944...	.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	6 7 149 105 1,281 1,281		
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	
bushels 1949... 1944...	.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	113 37 946 5,161 1 4 5 5		
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	
bushels 1949... 1944...	.....	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	110 191		
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	
bushels 1949... 1944...	.....	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	114 349 871 1,596 101,682 91,613		
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	
bushels 1949... 1944...	.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	2 1 5		
acres 1949... 1944...	.....	
bushels 1949... 1944...	.....	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 100 lb. ear corn 1949...	..... ..... .....	

¹Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1.5 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
 FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,904	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	103
.....1945...	2,012	.....1945...	96
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	398,720	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...	398,720	.....1945...	17
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	90.5	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	79
.....1945...	90.5	.....1945...	79
Owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	253,296	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	72
.....1945...	253,296	.....1945...	70
Rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	124,603	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	66
.....1945...	124,603	.....1945...	71
Managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,846	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	53
.....1945...	19,926	.....1945...	50
In farms.....acres 1950...	360,819	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	147
.....1945...	370,466	.....1945...	178
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	189.5	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	255
.....1945...	184.1	.....1945...	284
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,391	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	357
.....1945...	10,530	.....1945...	381
Average per acre, dollars 1950*	88.24	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	220
.....1945...	57.19	.....1945...	257
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	215
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,807	.....1945...	210
.....1944...	1,986	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	353
.....acres 1949...	165,059	.....1945...	367
.....1944...	176,793	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	59
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	142	.....1945...	46
.....1944...	141	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	65	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	65		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	71	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	69	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	193	White operators.....number 1950...	1,904
.....1944...	218	.....1945...	2,012
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	647	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	717	.....1945...	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	578	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	598	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,162
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	111	.....1945...	1,169
.....1944...	129	Part owners.....number 1950...	258
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,212	.....1945...	200
.....1944...	1,202	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....acres 1949...	34,446	.....1945...	10
.....1944...	30,325	All tenants.....number 1950...	478
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	633
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	199	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	25.1
.....1944...	3,711	.....1945...	31.5
.....acres 1949...	5,344	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	142
.....1944...	1,185	.....1945...	245
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,182	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	44
.....1944...	79,508	.....1945...	243
.....acres 1949...	78,419	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	285
.....1944...	677	.....1945...	340
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	678	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	27
.....1944...	31,425	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21.6
.....acres 1949...	24,417	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
.....1944...		.....1945...	20
Other pasture (not cropland and		Other tenants.....number 1950...	14
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	750	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
.....1944...	1,054		
.....acres 1949...	26,957	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	37,916	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,473
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	1,365
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,846	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,783
.....1944...	1,986	.....1945...	1,303
.....acres 1949...	19,713	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,733
.....1944...	17,262	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	11.39
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,130
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	515
.....acres 1949...	64	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	465
.....1944...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,628
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	350
.....acres 1949...	64	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,232
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	147
		.....number 1950...	356
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	356
*Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,842	.....number 1950...	132
.....1945...	1,914	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	132
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	33	.....number 1950...	
.....1945...	64	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1,088
With other income of family exceeding value		.....number 1950...	1,181
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	236	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	482	.....number 1950...	25
.....1944...	160		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	221		
.....1944...	93		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	854	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	400
.....1945.....	687	General farms.....number 1950...	240
.....number 1950.....	945	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	721	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,557	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	149
.....1945.....	1,398	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	86
.....number 1950.....	2,115	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	188
.....1945.....	1,593		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,509	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,014	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,727
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	37
.....number 1950.....	80	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	159
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	624
.....number 1950.....	21	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	581
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,654	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	211
.....1945.....	1,721	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	115
.....number 1950.....	2,050	Other farms.....number 1950...	177
.....1945.....	1,921	Part-time ².....number 1950...	95
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	82
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	198	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	14	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	193	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,886,166
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,146	.....1944.....	7,686,001
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	353	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,030,705
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	467,558
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	669,994
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	95	.....1944.....	529,957
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	590	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	55,858
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	695	.....1944.....	69,576
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	573	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	67,714
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944.....	46,335
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	237,140
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,158	.....1944.....	121,690
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	155	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,844,609
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	330	.....1944.....	7,207,646
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,448,265
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	.....1944.....	2,856,070
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,656,889
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	432	.....1944.....	1,407,684
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,216	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,739,455
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	275	.....1944.....	2,945,692
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,851
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	10,797
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,858	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	3,678	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,402
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,828	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,395
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,765	.....1945.....	1,735
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	901	.....number 1950.....	4,051
.....persons 1950.....	1,553	.....1945.....	7,360
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	428	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	24
.....persons 1950.....	562	.....1945.....	34
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950...	61
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,909	.....1945.....	64
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,774	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,502	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,707
.....dollars 1949.....	244,810	.....1945.....	1,817
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,424	.....number 1950...	52,320
.....dollars 1949.....	83,665	.....1945.....	57,753
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,613	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,682
.....dollars 1949.....	1,481,629	.....1945 ³	1,792
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,533	.....number 1950...	25,391
.....dollars 1949.....	1,006,925	.....1945 ³	32,595
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,594	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,656
.....dollars 1949.....	308,890	.....number 1950...	23,929
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,759	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,544
.....dollars 1949.....	710,956	.....number 1950...	15,769
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,349	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,128
.....dollars 1949.....	153,993	.....number 1950...	5,032
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,523	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,334
.....dollars 1949.....	229,890	.....number 1950...	6,128
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	862
No sales.....number 1950...	27	.....1944.....	818
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	55	.....pounds 1949...	71,682,231
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	57	.....dollars 1949...	61,342,854
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	24	.....farms reporting 1949...	2,082,436
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	62	.....1944.....	852
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	96	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,053
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	182	.....1944.....	2,169,460
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	392	.....dollars 1949...	2,384,636
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	378	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,365,804
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	435	.....dollars 1949...	2
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	196		25
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	38	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,362
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	38	.....1945.....	1,472
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	43,397
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	32,969
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,334
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	19	.....number 1950...	20,319
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	966	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	743
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	43	.....number 1950...	23,078
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,204
		.....1945.....	1,833
		.....number 1950...	8,791
		.....1945.....	7,782

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	200	Corn:	
1945...	351	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,675
number 1950...	5,312	1944...	1,844
1945...	9,443	acres 1949...	48,545
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	52,996
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	196	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,622
number 1950...	3,526	1944...	1,793
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	193	acres 1949...	38,124
1945 ¹ ...	312	1944...	42,023
number 1950...	3,305	bushels 1949...	1,929,597
1945 ¹ ...	7,041	1944...	2,216,025
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	112	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	997
number 1950...	221	acres 1949...	9,109
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	130	tons..green weight 1949...	91,233
number 1950...	1,786	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	183	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	215
1944...	305	acres 1949...	1,312
number shorn 1949...	3,758	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	33,303	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	52,050	1944...	2
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	4
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,578	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945...	1,796	1944...	
number 1950...	245,867	acres 1949...	
1945...	323,418	1944...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,083	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	100,969	1944...	
dollars 1949...	181,437	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,467	acres 1949...	
dozens 1949...	2,484,121	tons..green weight 1949...	
1949...	896,042	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	15	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	3,444	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	40	tons cut 1949...	
1944...	43	Small grains:	
number 1949...	95,093	Grains grown together and threshed as	
1944...	74,529	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	285
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	6,646
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949...	258,637
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,716	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	94
dollars 1949...	4,675,991	1944...	215
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,661	acres 1949...	1,014
1944...	1,675	1944...	2,119
number 1949...	21,900	bushels 1949...	16,963
1944...	20,305	1944...	33,128
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,419	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
number 1949...	10,691	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22
dollars 1949...	1,837,579	acres 1949...	117
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,449	bushels 1949...	2,197
number 1949...	11,209	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	160
dollars 1949...	456,384	acres 1949...	1,615
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,376	bushels 1949...	36,878
1944...	1,507	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,422
number 1949...	58,382	1944...	1,572
1944...	58,096	acres 1949...	50,240
dollars 1949...	2,315,170	1944...	53,127
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	183	bushels 1949...	2,059,966
1944...	264	1944...	1,995,016
number 1949...	4,492	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944...	7,467	1944...	45
dollars 1949...	78,529	acres 1949...	207
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	143	1944...	312
number 1949...	236	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	177
dollars 1949...	8,389	1944...	123
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949...	2,941
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,414	1944...	1,639
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	751	bushels 1949...	81,429
number 1949...	905	1944...	28,561
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	646	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944...	794	1944...	12
number 1949...	717	acres 1949...	395
1944...	887	1944...	129
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	145	bushels 1949...	7,078
1944...	126	1944...	1,707
number 1949...	188	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944...	162	acres 1949...	115
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,321	bushels 1949...	1,918
1944...	1,557	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	3,452	acres 1949...	
1944...	4,322	bushels 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	33
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	305	1944...	35
dollars 1949...	6,743	acres 1949...	356
		1944...	423
		bushels 1949...	4,358
		1944...	3,781

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than	
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	156	Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,446
1944 ¹	288	1944.....	1,714
acres 1949.....	1,503	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	87
1944 ¹	2,527	1944.....	168
acres 1949.....	86	acres 1949.....	861
1944.....	133	1944.....	1,467
acres 1949.....	1,115	sold..dollars 1949.....	55,858
1944.....	1,614	1944.....	69,576
bushels 1949.....	18,583	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
1944.....	25,210	acres 1949.....	9
Soyb. cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	68	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	331	1944.....	14
tons 1949.....	590	acres 1949.....	1
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut		1944.....	4
forilage.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	19	acres 1949.....	.....
Soybeans plowed under for green		Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	acres 1949.....	37
acres 1949.....	38	1944.....	38
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans,		acres 1949.....	61
harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	12
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	30
1944.....	.....	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	81
bushels 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	173
1944.....	.....	1944.....	554
Dry field and seed peas harvested for		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	11
1944 ².....	.....	1944.....	12
acres 1949.....	.....	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
1944 ².....	.....	acres 1949.....	45
bushels 1949.....	.....	1944.....	67
1944 ².....	.....	acres 1949.....	538
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		1944.....	680
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,660	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	27
acres 1949.....	49,896	1944.....	39
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		acres 1949.....	18
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	935	1944.....	32
1944.....	710	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949.....	15,599	acres 1949.....	38
1944.....	7,569	1944.....	18
acres 1949.....	22,294	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	18
1944.....	16,204	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	1,308	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	55
1944.....	1,690	acres 1949.....	22
acres 1949.....	32,021	quarts 1949.....	30,141
1944.....	45,882	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	62
tons 1949.....	39,076	acres 1949.....	46
1944.....	66,740	quarts 1949.....	65,579
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	39	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	6	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	951
acres 1949.....	507	1945.....	229
1944.....	36	acres 1950 ³	542
acres 1949.....	342	1945.....	509
1944.....	35	1945.....	832
acres 1949.....	56	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	30,194
1944.....	53	1945.....	25,725
acres 1949.....	319	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	9,116
1944.....	561	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	21,078
acres 1949.....	313	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	41,917
1944.....	600	1944.....	11,527
acres 1949.....	192	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	48
1944.....	1,395	1945.....	14
acres 1949.....	5,177	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	91
1944.....	1,223	1945.....	35
acres 1949.....	5,611	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	52
1944.....	27	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	39
acres 1949.....	294	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	30
1944.....	1,154	1944.....	1
Field crops (other):		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	59
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	82	1945.....	35
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,949
acres 1949.....	493	1945.....	402
1944.....	42	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	90
bushels 1949.....	619	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,859
1944.....	20	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,188
acres 1949.....	223	1944.....	70
1944.....	140	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	182
acres 1949.....	2,335	1945.....	233
1944.....	1,560	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	851
bushels 1949.....	2,337	1945.....	3,718
1944.....	1,287	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	148
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	705
acres 1949.....	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	409
bushels 1949.....	10	1944.....	54
1944.....	54	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	159
acres 1949.....	504	1945.....	119
1944.....	1,584	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	2,139
acres 1949.....	15	1945.....	1,617
bushels 1949.....	149	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	168
1944.....	220	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,981
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	12,995
sale.....farms reporting 1949...	751	1944.....	5,236
1944.....	1,218	1945.....	.....
acres 1949 ³	261	1950.....	.....
1944.....	1,115	1945.....	.....
bushels 1949.....	25,271	1950.....	.....
1944.....	68,554	1945.....	.....
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1950.....
acres 1949.....	46	1944.....
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	569		

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

For release July 24, 1951

WRIGHT COUNTY, MINNESOTA

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,556	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	198
.....1945...	3,762	.....1945...	189
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	429,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	55
.....1945...	417,265	.....1945...	24
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	94.2	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	143
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	312,150	.....1945...	165
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	116,073	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	190
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,611	.....1945...	198
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,202	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	241
.....1945...	25,202	.....1945...	284
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	404,632	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	236
.....1945...	417,265	.....1945...	242
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	113.8	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	809
.....1945...	110.9	.....1945...	937
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	13,111	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	832
.....1945...	8,760	.....1945...	851
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	110.62	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	526
.....1945...	78.98	.....1945...	560
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	231
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,324	.....1945...	234
.....1944...	3,610	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	119
.....acres 1949...	231,585	.....1945...	119
.....1944...	241,464	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	165
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	182	.....1945...	140
.....1944...	240	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	7
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	140	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	145	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	195	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	228		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	670	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	749	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,473	White operators.....number 1950...	3,556
.....1944...	1,573	.....1945...	3,761
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	602	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	615	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,216
.....1944...	60	.....1945...	2,135
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	853	Part owners.....number 1950...	776
.....1944 ¹ ...	303	.....1945...	725
.....acres 1949...	16,807	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....1944 ¹ ...	4,717	.....1945...	11
Cropland not harvested and not		All tenants.....number 1950...	558
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	243	.....1945...	891
.....acres 1949...	3,590	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.7
.....1944...	5,766	.....1945...	23.7
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,871	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	278
.....1944...	1,661	.....1945...	583
.....acres 1949...	59,568	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	101
.....1944...	50,369	.....1945...	50
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	516	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	104
.....1944...	228	.....1945...	225
.....acres 1949...	8,344	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	53
.....1944...	4,581	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	51
Other pasture (not cropland and		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	75
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,771	.....1945...	33
.....1944 ¹ ...	2,424	Other tenants.....number 1950...	23
.....acres 1949...	49,746	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	52
.....1944 ¹ ...	76,990		
Other land (house lots, roads,		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	3,480	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,078
.....1944...	3,742	.....1945...	1,940
.....acres 1949...	34,992	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	3,128
.....1944...	33,378	.....1945...	1,874
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	3,098
.....1944...	3	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	11.56
.....acres 1949...	10	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,042
.....1944...	9	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,146
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	641
.....acres 1949...	9	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,898
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	330
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,962
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	162
		.....number 1950...	162
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	666
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,368	.....number 1950...	671
.....1945...	3,658	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	275
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	79	.....number 1950...	275
.....1945...	69	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1,813
With other income of family exceeding value		.....number 1950...	1,971
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	331	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	45
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	608	.....number 1950...	45
.....1944...	542		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	346		
.....1944...	198		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,027	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	460
.....1945.....	633	General farms.....number 1950.....	520
.....number 1950.....	1,078	.....number 1950.....	26
.....1945.....	660	.....number 1950.....	397
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,662	.....number 1950.....	97
.....1945.....	2,372	.....number 1950.....	290
.....number 1950.....	3,406		
.....1945.....	2,603		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,637		
.....number 1950.....	3,276		
.....1945.....	75		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	75		
.....number 1950.....	50		
.....1945.....	55		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	50		
.....number 1950.....	3,118		
.....1945.....	3,483		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,870		
.....1945.....	4,028		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	477		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	392		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,447		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,225		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	3,276
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	220	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	11
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,930	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	296
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,297	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	1,197
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	51	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	1,145
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	418
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	209
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,606	Other farms.....number 1950...	280
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	181
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	880	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	99
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	256	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	576	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,703,788
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	2,297	.....1944.....	11,746,787
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	580	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,583,507
		.....1944.....	605,499
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,377,896
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	450,010
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,313	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	148,260
.....persons 1950.....	6,290	.....1944.....	122,431
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,273	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	30,911
Operators.....persons 1950.....	3,158	.....1944.....	20,658
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,706	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	26,440
.....persons 1950.....	2,492	.....1944.....	12,400
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	508	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,111,348
.....persons 1950...	640	.....1944.....	11,123,413
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,910,034
		.....1944.....	5,184,004
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,295,508
		.....1944.....	2,039,068
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	5,905,806
		.....1944.....	3,900,341
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,933
		.....1944.....	17,875
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,781
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,774
		.....number 1950.....	3,016
		.....1945.....	4,150
		.....number 1950.....	9,179
		.....1945.....	16
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	33
		.....number 1950.....	43
		.....1945.....	73
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	3,134
		.....1945.....	3,439
		.....number 1950.....	67,022
		.....1945.....	71,253
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	3,089
		.....1945 ³	3,412
		.....number 1950.....	37,553
		.....1945 ³	44,717
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	3,051
		.....number 1950.....	37,011
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,664
		.....number 1950...	17,338
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,149
		.....number 1950...	5,520
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,942
		.....number 1950...	6,611
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,665
		.....1944.....	2,714
		.....pounds 1949.....	209,816,701
		.....1944.....	166,673,599
		.....dollars 1949.....	6,348,695
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	433
		.....1944.....	692
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	894,477
		.....1944.....	1,187,321
		.....dollars 1949.....	560,611
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	16
		.....dollars 1949...	728
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,265
		.....1945.....	2,508
		.....number 1950.....	50,951
		.....1945.....	38,323
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	2,226
		.....number 1950...	22,884
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
		.....number 1950...	28,067
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,983
		.....1945.....	1,998
		.....number 1950...	12,254
		.....1945.....	9,606

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

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	151	Corn:	
1945...	272	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3,113
number 1950...	3,914	1944...	3,403
1945...	5,016	acres 1949...	82,745
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	90,321
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	145	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	3,028
number 1950...	2,394	1944...	3,363
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	142	acres 1949...	65,096
1945 ¹ ...	244	1944...	71,939
number 1950...	2,190	bushels 1949...	3,058,525
1945 ¹ ...	3,627	1944...	3,088,956
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1,741
number 1950...	204	acres 1949...	14,910
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	105	tons..green weight 1949...	139,333
number 1950...	1,520	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	139	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	401
1944...	220	acres 1949...	2,739
number shorn 1949...	2,406	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	19,056	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	35
1944...	27,991	1944...	346
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	112
		1944...	1,310
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,957	1944...	
1945...	3,376	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	512,891	1944...	
1945...	592,523	bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,148	1944...	
number 1949...	346,425	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	302,848	acres 1949...	14
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,798	tons..green weight 1949...	60
dozens 1949...	5,179,592	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	1,885,242	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	13	acres 1949...	98
number 1950...	228	tons cut 1949...	206
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Small grains:	
1944...	68	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	15,782	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	458
1944...	22,290	acres 1949...	8,734
		bushels 1949...	325,891
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	217
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	944
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,166	acres 1949...	1,630
dollars 1949...	5,859,099	1944...	6,529
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,031	bushels 1949...	38,599
1944...	3,298	1944...	98,006
number 1949...	32,387	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
1944...	35,166	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	2,501	acres 1949...	300
number 1949...	11,196	bushels 1949...	6,590
dollars 1949...	2,023,573	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	476
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,745	acres 1949...	4,336
number 1949...	21,191	bushels 1949...	98,054
dollars 1949...	755,281	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2,721
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,376	1944...	2,944
1944...	2,808	acres 1949...	63,997
number 1949...	75,848	1944...	58,826
1944...	87,013	bushels 1949...	2,640,063
dollars 1949...	3,008,329	1944...	2,243,561
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	134	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1944...	186	1944...	75
number 1949...	2,540	acres 1949...	294
1944...	3,940	1944...	426
dollars 1949...	52,750	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	479
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	256	1944...	504
number 1949...	476	acres 1949...	5,716
dollars 1949...	19,166	1944...	4,568
		bushels 1949...	175,879
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	69,119
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,438	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	84
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,033	1944...	63
number 1949...	1,316	acres 1949...	1,317
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	851	1944...	755
1944...	1,260	bushels 1949...	23,242
number 1949...	977	1944...	6,570
1944...	1,479	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228	acres 1949...	104
1944...	319	bushels 1949...	860
number 1949...	339	Emer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	400	acres 1949...	54
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,214	bushels 1949...	1,364
1944...	2,820	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	165
number 1949...	5,478	1944...	60
1944...	7,092	acres 1949...	1,679
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944...	532
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	491	bushels 1949...	22,729
dollars 1949...	20,538	1944...	3,789

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	2,353 3,471
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	39 63 354 681	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	226 258 3,440 3,757 148,260 122,431
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	20 6 269 74 3,539 775	Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 5
Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949...	17 78 104	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 1
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	1 4	Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 1
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	1 3	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	4 10 (*) 3
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	3 2 20	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	6 6 178 234
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ... acres 1949... 1944 ² ... bushels 1949... 1944 ² ...	10 114 1,942	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	2,491 3,565 9 3 4 1
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	3 3 4 1
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	3,107 55,720	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	101 8 927 171
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	2,813 2,622 34,675 23,335 86,654 65,457 472 820 3,368 6,058 4,886 11,889	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	12 14 4 4 4 5 1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	82 143 523 835 674 1,170 1,398 1,595 12,486 16,493 18,976 29,114 667 1,417 5,322 13,183 8,612 24,454	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	4 5 1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	82 143 523 835 674 1,170 1,398 1,595 12,486 16,493 18,976 29,114 667 1,417 5,322 13,183 8,612 24,454	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	36 21 34,882 43 21 35,067
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	1,398 1,595 12,486 16,493 18,976 29,114 667 1,417 5,322 13,183 8,612 24,454	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	1,417 5,322 13,183 8,612 24,454	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... quarts 1949...	36 21 34,882 43 21 35,067
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons..green weight 1949...	15 95 501	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... quarts 1949...	21 34,882 43 21 35,067
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	88 10 603 58 534 29	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 1950*... 1945... acres 1950*... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	1,705 245 132 72 1,700 1,749 14,541 15,335 3,252 11,289 19,653 5,565
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	30 36 153 324 272 345	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	53 27 185 60 92 93 21 5
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	6 41 61 4 82 124	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 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...	115 69 292 231 129 163 2,305 190
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	4 82 124	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	560 637 2,658 2,886 372 2,286 1,521 294
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1 8 2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... 1950... 1945... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... vines not of bearing age..number 1950... vines of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	255 266 1,048 1,608 324 724 7,709 15,841
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944... ton harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 100 lb. ear corn 1949...	1,043 2,045 230 754 22,837 52,463 34 18 148		

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,204	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	55
1945...	2,228	1945...	51
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	485,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	21
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	98.6	1945...	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	286,928	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	32
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	249,591	1945...	42
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	800	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	37
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	58,685	1945...	49
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	478,254	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	43
1945...	481,086	1945...	29
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	217.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	19
1945...	215.9	1945...	19
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	24,508	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	105
1945...	15,198	1945...	107
average per acre, dollars 1950*	109.81	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	101
1945...	70.58	1945...	105
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	625
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,129	1945...	649
1944...	2,152	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	260
acres 1949...	370,651	1945...	254
1944...	295,130	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	362
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1945...	380
1944...	51	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	554
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1945...	552
1944...	24	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	54
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1945...	42
1944...	20	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1945...	1
1944...	77		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	197	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	522	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,155	White operators.....number 1950...	2,192
1944...	1,114	1945...	2,221
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	681	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	12
1944...	364	1945...	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	940	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	1,065	Full owners.....number 1950...	911
acres 1949...	15,355	1945...	957
1944 ¹ ...	17,205	Part owners.....number 1950...	428
		1945...	361
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	381	1945...	6
acres 1949...	6,890	All tenants.....number 1950...	685
1944...	74,944	1945...	924
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	245	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	59.2
1944...	219	1945...	41.5
acres 1949...	6,866	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	75
1944...	6,510	1945...	66
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	205	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	529
1944...	201	1945...	199
acres 1949...	2,227	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	225
1944...	1,344	1945...	608
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	180
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,095	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	65
1944 ¹ ...	1,183	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	58
acres 1949...	52,143	1945...	51
1944 ¹ ...	37,680	Other tenants.....number 1950...	14
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,181		
1944...	2,204	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	44,102	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,206
1944...	50,293	1945...	1,187
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,828
1944...		1945...	1,078
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,816
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.46
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,251
acres 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	528
1944...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	295
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,721
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	551
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	406
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	651
		number 1950...	641
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,281
		number 1950...	1,516
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	101
		number 1950...	111
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	661
		number 1950...	691
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,064		
1945...	2,089		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	120		
1945...	92		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	81		
1949...	476		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	276		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	100		
1944...	60		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	906	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	481
.....1945.....	863	General farms.....number 1950.....	534
.....number 1950.....	989	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	894	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	208
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,981	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	325
.....1945.....	1,986	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	52
.....number 1950.....	3,055		
.....1945.....	2,412	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,926	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,152
.....number 1950.....	2,972	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	25
.....1945.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	520
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	952
.....number 1950.....	46	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	488
.....1945.....	51	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	121
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,956	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	45
.....1945.....	2,103	Other farms.....number 1950.....	52
.....number 1950.....	2,469	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	26
.....1945.....	2,558	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	21
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	5
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	172	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	16,592,789
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	.....1944.....	10,581,800
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	881	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,551,468
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,075	.....1944.....	3,098,483
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,316,340
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	3,090,469
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,110
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	806	.....1944.....	3,784
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	935	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,018
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	370	.....1944.....	2,175
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	30,000
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	15
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,650	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,241,144
.....1950.....	70	.....1944.....	7,485,161
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	856,941
.....1950.....	85	.....1944.....	975,950
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,320,504
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2	.....1944.....	1,555,555
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,785,699
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	271	.....1944.....	4,955,876
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,850	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	187
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	.....1944.....	186
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,074
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,016	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,035
.....persons 1950.....	3,483	.....1945.....	1,892
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,001	.....number 1950.....	2,650
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,981	.....1945.....	6,605
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	815	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	21
.....persons 1950.....	1,270	.....1945.....	58
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	206	.....number 1950.....	39
.....persons 1950.....	282	.....1945.....	128
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,158	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,840
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,016	.....1945.....	2,055
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,850	.....number 1950.....	31,497
.....1949.....	492,970	.....1945.....	43,976
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,536	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,778
.....dollars 1949.....	700,410	.....1945.....	2,034
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,956	.....number 1950.....	12,111
.....dollars 1949.....	1,459,217	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	16,888
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,318	.....number 1950.....	1,881
.....dollars 1949.....	1,297,535	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10,110
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,828	.....number 1950.....	1,412
.....dollars 1949.....	525,195	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,919
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,041	.....number 1950.....	1,522
.....dollars 1949.....	1,098,788	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	8,358
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,898	.....number 1950.....	1,187
.....dollars 1949.....	301,842	.....number 1950.....	4,109
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,968	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	37
.....dollars 1949.....	411,782	.....1944.....	84
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949.....	2,411,507
No sales.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	3,178,457
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	26	.....1944.....	77,572
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	15	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,428
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	19	.....1944.....	1,827
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	24	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,155,772
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	44	.....1944.....	1,708,608
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	83	.....dollars 1949.....	759,544
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	283	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	425	.....dollars 1949.....	25
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	780	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	545	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,877
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	1,835
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,089	.....number 1950.....	80,065
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1,089	.....1945.....	52,569
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,640
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	26,294
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	848
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	33,789
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	29	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,505
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	39	.....1945.....	1,529
		.....number 1950.....	14,322
		.....1945.....	13,541

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

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	254	Corn:	
1945...	380	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,070
number 1950...	7,561	1944...	2,105
1945...	14,994	acres 1949...	158,471
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	188,727
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	251	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,058
number 1950...	5,501	1944...	2,085
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	250	acres 1949...	151,078
1945 ¹ ..	364	1944...	121,541
number 1950...	5,200	bushels 1949...	8,845,899
1945 ¹ ..	10,062	1944...	5,347,438
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	122	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	561
number 1950...	301	acres 1949...	4,708
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	149	tons..green weight 1949...	46,489
number 1950...	2,060	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	254	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	449
1944...	368	acres 1949...	2,888
number shorn 1949...	5,453	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	45,280	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	21
1944...	88,050	1944...	25
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	75
		1944...	120
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,844	1944...	1
1945...	2,047	acres 1949...	7
number 1950...	388,845	1944...	4
1945...	481,189	bushels 1949...	86
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,465	1944...	18
number 1949...	280,398	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	224,053	acres 1949...	14
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,792	tons..green weight 1949...	94
dozens 1949...	3,884,845	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	1,316,527	for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	10	acres 1949...	54
number 1950...	348	tons out 1949...	108
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Small grains:	
1944...	18	Grains grown together and threshed as	
number 1949...	12,378	a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	119
1944...	7,779	acres 1949...	5,278
		bushels 1949...	104,687
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	59
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	13
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,947	acres 1949...	904
dollars 1949...	5,754,958	1944...	272
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,830	bushels 1949...	14,488
1944...	1,873	1944...	3,650
number 1949...	15,950	Durum or macaroni wheat threshed	
1944...	17,728	or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,558	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	10,788	bushels 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,040,489	Other spring wheat threshed or combined..farms reporting 1949...	552
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	850	acres 1949...	10,184
number 1949...	3,192	bushels 1949...	1,040
dollars 1949...	229,853	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,890
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,731	1944...	1,987
1944...	1,938	acres 1949...	78,887
number 1949...	78,842	1944...	82,347
1944...	104,111	bushels 1949...	2,815,375
dollars 1949...	3,380,279	1944...	2,082,589
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	214	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944...	287	1944...	32
number 1949...	4,913	acres 1949...	76
1944...	8,877	1944...	304
dollars 1949...	89,787	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	844
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	156	1944...	342
number 1949...	378	acres 1949...	21,082
dollars 1949...	14,590	1944...	4,955
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	452,859
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,631	1944...	70,577
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	816	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	183
number 1949...	957	1944...	64
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	493	acres 1949...	2,365
1944...	959	1944...	887
number 1949...	550	bushels 1949...	40,833
1944...	1,085	1944...	10,580
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	349	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	167	acres 1949...	2
number 1949...	407	bushels 1949...	25
1944...	205	Emmer and spelt threshed or combined....farms reporting 1949...	8
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,498	acres 1949...	75
1944...	1,814	bushels 1949...	1,022
number 1949...	3,521	Flaxseed threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,688
1944...	4,478	1944...	1,447
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres 1949...	59,762
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	315	1944...	33,007
dollars 1949...	8,855	bushels 1949...	642,123
		1944...	287,009

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Annual legumes:		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1,347	
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 722		.....farms reporting 1944... 1,785	
.....acres 1949... 12,372		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 15	
.....acres 1944... 1,506		.....farms reporting 1944... 10	
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 82		.....acres 1949... 75	
.....acres 1944... 12,186		.....acres 1944... 78	
.....bushels 1949... 191,217		.....sold..dollars 1949... 3,110	
.....bushels 1944... 9,881		.....sold..dollars 1944... 5,784	
Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 38		Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... 149		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....tchs 1949... 225		Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 2		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... 9		Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 3		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... 28		Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 3	
Dry field and seed beans, except soybeans, harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... ..		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....acres 1944... ..		.....acres 1944... (*)	
.....bushels 1949... ..		Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 2	
.....bushels 1944... ..		.....acres 1949... (*)	
Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 13	
.....acres 1949... ..		.....acres 1944... 5	
.....acres 1944... ..		.....acres 1949... 72	
.....bushels 1949... ..		.....acres 1944... 76	
.....bushels 1944... ..		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... 2	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		.....acres 1949... (*)	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1,782		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... 1	
.....acres 1949... 25,048		.....acres 1949... (*)	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1,285		.....acres 1944... ..	
.....acres 1944... 1,588		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... 11,389		.....acres 1944... ..	
.....acres 1944... 18,280		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... 26,878		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 3	
.....acres 1944... 55,279		.....acres 1949... (*)	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 124		.....acres 1944... ..	
.....acres 1949... 118		Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
.....acres 1944... 975		.....acres 1949... ..	
.....acres 1949... 945		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....acres 1944... 1,297		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 18	
.....acres 1949... 1,488		.....acres 1949... 2	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 35		.....quarts 1949... 2,167	
.....acres 1949... 28		.....quarts 1949... 4	
.....acres 1944... 215		.....quarts 1949... 1	
.....acres 1949... 235		.....quarts 1949... 687	
.....acres 1944... 295		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949... 281		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 968	
.....acres 1944... 718		.....farms reporting 1945... 41	
.....acres 1949... 886		.....farms reporting 1950*... 204	
.....acres 1944... 9,245		.....farms reporting 1945... 22	
.....acres 1949... 11,646		Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1,043	
.....acres 1944... 11,027		.....farms reporting 1945... 287	
.....acres 1949... 14,606		.....trees of all ages..number 1950... 8,414	
.....acres 1944... 455		.....trees of all ages..number 1945... 2,497	
.....acres 1949... 726		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1,802	
.....acres 1944... 3,274		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950... 6,612	
.....acres 1949... 6,012		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 11,442	
.....acres 1944... 4,385		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944... 1,565	
.....acres 1949... 8,440		Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 52	
.....acres 1944... 6		.....farms reporting 1945... 10	
.....acres 1949... 56		.....farms reporting 1950... 110	
.....acres 1944... 316		.....farms reporting 1945... 21	
Field crops (other):		.....farms reporting 1950... 69	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 46		.....farms reporting 1945... 41	
.....farms reporting 1944... 19		.....farms reporting 1949... 47	
.....acres 1949... 508		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 114	
.....acres 1944... 147		.....farms reporting 1945... 34	
.....bushels 1949... 549		.....farms reporting 1950... 387	
.....bushels 1944... 111		.....farms reporting 1945... 208	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 27		.....farms reporting 1950... 201	
.....farms reporting 1944... 18		.....farms reporting 1945... 186	
.....acres 1949... 200		.....farms reporting 1949... 1,280	
.....acres 1944... 126		.....farms reporting 1944... 281	
.....bushels 1949... 224		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 375	
.....bushels 1944... 155		.....farms reporting 1945... 159	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 27		.....farms reporting 1950... 2,108	
.....farms reporting 1944... 1,806		.....farms reporting 1945... 962	
.....acres 1949... 435		.....farms reporting 1950... 401	
.....acres 1944... 1		.....farms reporting 1945... 1,707	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 4		.....farms reporting 1949... 1,047	
.....farms reporting 1944... 10		.....farms reporting 1944... 102	
.....acres 1949... 10		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 100	
.....acres 1944... ..		.....farms reporting 1945... 45	
.....acres 1949... ..		.....farms reporting 1950... 509	
.....acres 1944... ..		.....farms reporting 1945... 205	
.....bushels 1949... 10,582		.....farms reporting 1950... 152	
.....bushels 1944... 22,290		.....farms reporting 1949... 377	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 20		.....farms reporting 1944... 2,191	
.....farms reporting 1944... 15		.....farms reporting 1944... 775	
.....acres 1949... 15			
.....acres 1944... 457			

*Acres grown alone except for green manure. ²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas. ³For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. ⁴For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
⁵Reported 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 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
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950..	251,883	Under 10 acres.....number 1950..	24,229
1945..	263,528	1945..	19,609
Approximate land area.....acres 1950..	30,238,720	Under 3 acres.....number 1950..	1,215
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950..	68.5	1945..	1,175
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950..	16,257,566	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950..	23,014
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950..	6,431,365	1945..	18,434
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950..	1,325,555	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950..	87,308
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950..	3,303,715	1945..	101,657
Land in farms.....acres 1950..	20,710,770	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950..	42,413
1945..	19,616,533	1945..	47,605
Average size of farm.....acres 1950..	83.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950..	21,944
1945..	74.4	1945..	20,989
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	4,421	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950..	25,751
1945..	2,457	1945..	25,437
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	55.42	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950..	17,981
1945..	33.01	1945..	17,773
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950..	10,872
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949..	229,479	1945..	10,878
1944..	251,849	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950..	5,388
acres 1949..	6,186,206	1945..	5,372
1944..	6,472,820	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950..	3,452
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	45,318	1945..	3,094
1944..	38,745	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950..	7,713
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	83,651	1945..	6,874
1944..	95,851	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950..	3,299
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	51,276	1945..	2,796
1944..	64,747	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950..	1,733
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	33,124	1945..	1,454
1944..	36,389	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	11,008	Farms by color of operator:	
1944..	9,798*	White operators.....number 1950..	128,294
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	2,720	1945..	121,215
1944..	2,203	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950..	123,089
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949..	2,382	1945..	142,313
1944..	2,121	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949..	50,959	Full owners.....number 1950..	103,053
1944..	27,827	1945..	99,380
acres 1949..	1,604,183	Part owners.....number 1950..	17,576
1944..	848,537	1945..	6,925
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949..	60,766	Managers.....number 1950..	838
1944..	1,231,338	1945..	968
acres 1949..	963,387	All tenants.....number 1950..	129,821
1944..	87,880	1945..	156,255
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	73,623	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950..	51.6
1944..	4,482,716	1945..	59.3
acres 1949..	3,571,447	Cash tenants.....number 1950..	11,200
1944..	64,689	1945..	17,344
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	67,461	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950..	1,543
1944..	4,023,522	1945..	2,361
acres 1949..	3,375,537	Share tenants.....number 1950..	34,868
1944..		1945..	28,623
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants.....number 1950..	34,466
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949..	68,174	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950..	402
1944..	93,843	Croppers.....number 1950..	74,617
acres 1949..	2,279,944	1945..	97,074
1944..	3,384,051	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950..	7,593
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland,		1945..	11,853
etc.).....farms reporting 1949..	170,379	Other tenants.....number 1950..	3,425
1944..	200,184	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950..	4,168
acres 1949..	952,861	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944..	1,000,754	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950..	16,425
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949..	44	1945..	9,797
1944..	3	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950..	140,695
acres 1949..	5,086	1945..	50,219
1944..	3	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950..	140,147
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949..	18	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950..	3.73
1944..	177	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950..	36,188
FARM OPERATORS		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950..	15,005
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950..	238,471	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950..	11,255
1945..	248,168	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950..	54,350
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950..	7,364	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950..	14,288
1945..	8,017	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950..	1,312
With other income of family exceeding		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950..	3,463
value of agricultural products sold...operators reporting 1949..	74,591	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950..	4,845
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949..	97,122	number 1950..	5,994
1944..	49,180	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950..	695
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949..	44,266	number 1950..	778
1944..	20,053	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950..	3,089
		number 1950..	5,294
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950..	795
		number 1950..	1,068
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950..	547
		number 1950..	701

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	50,163 29,793 56,349 28,267	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950... General farms.....number 1950...	11,279 9,059
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	38,402 14,611 52,618 21,077	Primarily crop.....number 1950... Primarily livestock.....number 1950... Crop and livestock.....number 1950... Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	2,394 683 5,012 96,500
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	49,816 1,166	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	1,204 1,351	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	156,723
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	1,393 67,916	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950... Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950... Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950... Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950... Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950... Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950... Other farms.....number 1950... Part-time ².....number 1950... Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950... Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	1,125 2,099 4,150 16,115 52,140 21,094 94,550 37,133 57,453 84
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	54,776 76,250 56,906	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Farms by class of work power:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	339,712,858 284,487,801 251,067,014 285,724,874
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950... No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950... No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	94,472 34,478 88,956 28,213 10,254	All crops sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	243,190,900 226,699,564 2,748,120 4,623,891 3,754,765 3,808,324 1,373,228 598,225
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	285,699,564 2,748,120 4,623,891
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	3,754,765 3,808,324 1,373,228
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950... 1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	19,664 97,085 70,682 55,320 6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	1,373,228 598,225
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	81,551,946 44,903,445 25,338,524 17,730,224 10,740,565 8,757,740
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	109,115 17,577 47,953 17,251 1.3	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	45,477,257 18,415,391 7,094,493 3,859,482
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	10,740,565 8,757,740
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950... Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950... Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	35,959 134,962 58,839	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	45,477,257 18,415,391 7,094,493 3,859,482
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1944...	7,094,493 3,859,482
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950...	205,096 362,649	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	147,910 69,478 70,668 122,850 123,232
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950... Operators.....persons 1950... Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950... Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... persons 1950...	202,699 190,649 76,161 117,034 14,533 54,966	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	116,654 134,472 274,394 328,587
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire.....dollars 1949... Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ⁴ purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	205,190 142,389 113,108 15,965,745 81,170 44,162,818 122,592 25,774,511 69,957 19,295,710 118,557 8,331,277 54,423 15,862,901 25,424 6,891,344 57,468 8,649,259	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1944... gallons 1949... dollars 1949... Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1944... pounds of butterfat 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	170,752 199,643 1,571,569 1,655,024 155,222 185,371 858,051 971,469 154,910 531,065 83,035 265,022 45,392 141,689 87,132 279,749 29,622 23,917 64,993,470 58,995,245 24,509,236 4,990 6,497 916,252 1,452,054 521,911
No sales.....number 1950... \$1 to \$249.....number 1950... \$250 to \$399.....number 1950... \$400 to \$599.....number 1950... \$600 to \$999.....number 1950... \$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950... \$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950... \$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950... \$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950... \$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950... \$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	15,835 41,668 25,925 28,424 47,168 35,033 32,798 18,323 4,449 2,508 3,237	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	5,145 302,377
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950... Cash-grain.....number 1950... Cotton.....number 1950... Other field-crop.....number 1950... Vegetable farms.....number 1950... Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950... Dairy farms.....number 1950... Poultry farms.....number 1950...	124,127 1,585 121,972 570 1,076 318 7,309 1,705	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... 4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	169,588 161,303 875,444 924,032 148,507 521,100 58,847 354,344 53,984 60,456 66,534 117,325

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$25-\$1,199, and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,339	Sorghums:	
1945...	1,462	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	4,288
number 1950...	66,660	1944...	8,610
1945...	90,494	acres 1949...	20,854
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	36,710
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1,284	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	550
number 1950...	45,606	1944...	126
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1,286	acres 1949...	4,292
1945...	1,152	1944...	656
number 1950...	35,377	bushels 1949...	69,661
1945...	59,483	1944...	10,551
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	961	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	660
number 1950...	10,229	acres 1949...	6,785
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1,028	tons..green weight 1949...	56,997
number 1950...	21,054	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	892	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3,190
1944...	984	acres 1949...	9,777
number shorn 1949...	36,853	tons out 1949...	11,764
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	166,934	Small grains:	
1944...	237,788	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	376
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	6,702
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	109,066
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	209,582	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9,517
1945...	225,370	1944...	8,398
number 1950...	5,827,851	acres 1949...	103,296
1945...	7,389,903	1944...	349,371
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35,996	bushels 1949...	2,606,871
number 1949...	7,313,884	1944...	12,204,297
dollars 1949...	6,169,391	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	4,804
1944...	4,998	1944...	14,417
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	65,607	acres 1949...	32,950
dozens 1949...	10,474,852	1944...	61,719
dollars 1949...	4,229,754	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	6,953	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	24,215
number 1950...	31,937	acres grown alone 1949...	302,555
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	6,426	1944 ² ...	197,949
1944...	4,998	acres grown with other crops 1949...	69,640
number 1949...	78,950	1944 ² ...	124,619
1944...	61,760	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4,314
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres grown alone 1949...	3,476
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	163,830
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	118,206	bushels 1949...	5,001
dollars 1949...	45,112,398	1944...	2,825,484
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	90,407	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	724,388
1944...	59,453	acres grown alone 1949...	14,800
number 1949...	467,174	acres grown with other crops 1949...	102,861
1944...	370,255	tons 1949...	12,242
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	41,818	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949...	174,184	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5,013
dollars 1949...	18,042,976	acres grown alone 1949...	14,619
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	72,784	acres grown with other crops 1949...	41,617
number 1949...	292,990	Soybeans plowed under for green	
dollars 1949...	14,653,252	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1,874
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	61,252	acres grown alone 1949...	16,745
1944...	32,007	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10,780
number 1949...	539,424	1944 ² ...	31,627
1944...	331,389	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	56,082
dollars 1949...	11,260,270	acres grown alone 1949...	166,334
1944...	764	acres grown with other crops 1949...	52,951
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	551	1944 ² ...	88,370
number 1949...	26,057	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	15,108
1944...	22,048	1944...	28,459
dollars 1949...	284,424	acres grown alone 1949...	16,610
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	7,410	acres grown with other crops 1949...	18,311
number 1949...	13,732	bushels 1949...	148,294
dollars 1949...	871,476	1944...	333,798
FARM SLAUGHTER		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	13,760
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	173,707	acres grown alone 1949...	14,417
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7,749	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7,247
number 1949...	10,371	bushels in shells 1949...	245,648
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	641	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4,445
1944...	2,817	acres grown alone 1949...	13,967
number 1949...	974	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,986
1944...	5,189	tons 1949...	14,607
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7,208	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949...	5,368	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5,270
1944...	9,397	acres grown alone 1949...	7,777
1944...	8,366	acres grown with other crops 1949...	19,137
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	172,752	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944...	200,902	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1,944
number 1949...	387,355	acres grown alone 1949...	5,251
1944...	539,720	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6,270
Meat, lard, hides, and other		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	12,432
products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	2,745	acres grown alone 1949...	9,757
dollars 1949...	166,610	acres grown with other crops 1949...	19,634
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944...	1,172
Corn:		Peanuts harvested for picking	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	185,997	or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	12,219
1944...	220,025	1944...	12,159
acres 1949...	1,999,807	acres grown alone 1949...	6,862
1944...	2,426,416	1944 ² ...	14,887
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	183,713	acres grown with other crops 1949...	288
1944...	218,470	pounds 1949...	2,510,355
acres 1949...	1,968,820	1944...	3,710,694
1944...	2,408,762	Peanut vines or tops saved for	
bushels 1949...	37,933,711	hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	1,052
1944...	38,681,281	1944...	2,761
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	292	acres grown alone 1949...	1,217
acres 1949...	4,098	acres grown with other crops 1949...	47
tons..green weight 1949...	31,811	tons 1949...	1,243
Hogged or grazed, or cut for		1944...	4,774
green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	2,520	Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,279
acres 1949...	81,889	acres grown alone 1949...	2,058
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4,099
		bushels 1949...	20,819

¹Dres and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Dres not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and 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...	60,103	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1,161
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	623,564	1944.....	888
1944.....	1,371	acres 1949.....	1,800
1944.....	2,830	1944.....	617
acres 1949.....	19,579	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2,441
1944.....	60,550	1944.....	1,937
acres 1949.....	38,138	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	1,022
1944.....	180,438	1944.....	1,652
acres 1949.....	7,412	1944.....	845
1944.....	1,726	1944.....	2,038
acres 1949.....	53,947	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,952
1944.....	13,694	1944.....	5,150
acres 1949.....	61,857	acres 1949.....	4,855
1944.....	16,726	1944.....	7,854
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38,046	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3,006
1944.....	32,977	1944.....	6,299
acres 1949.....	328,068	acres 1949.....	4,269
1944.....	312,446	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4,269
acres 1949.....	378,460		
1944.....	346,487	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2,356	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	489
1944.....	1,035	acres 1949.....	168
acres 1949.....	16,686	quarts 1949.....	121,758
1944.....	6,824		
acres 1949.....	17,017	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	7,293	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	76,053
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	20,278	1945.....	31,687
acres 1949.....	205,855	acres 1950 ¹	130,180
1944.....	229,040	1945.....	106,893
acres 1949.....	219,489	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	42,614
1944.....	258,167	1945.....	42,949
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	25	trees of all ages..number 1950...	349,951
acres 1949.....	186	1945.....	336,856
tons..green weight 1949...	795	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	188,789
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	181,162
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,061	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	167,576
1944.....	1,715	1944.....	235,049
acres 1949.....	13,581	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	56,342
1944.....	21,907	1945.....	64,157
pounds 1949.....	2,028,674	trees of all ages..number 1950...	989,283
1944.....	3,243,159	1945.....	1,249,661
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	319	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	445,340
acres 1949.....	3,188	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	548,923
bushels 1949.....	9,027	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	188,967
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	74,445	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	688,618
1944.....	66,391	1945.....	33,567
acres 1949.....	5,886	trees of all ages..number 1950...	84,016
1944.....	24,343	1945.....	120,603
bushels 1949.....	751,594	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	43,371
1944.....	1,763,859	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	77,232
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	89,416	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	86,574
1944.....	98,334	1944.....	268,519
acres 1949.....	27,370	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	4,126
1944.....	49,675	1945.....	1,912
bushels 1949.....	2,668,297	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,319
1944.....	4,548,321	1945.....	5,793
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	190,732	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,891
1944.....	210,737	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,423
acres 1949.....	2,767,507	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,995
1944.....	2,292,749	1944.....	14,797
bales 1949.....	1,496,902	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	11,937
1944.....	1,861,727	1945.....	7,861
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	22,259	trees of all ages..number 1950...	64,470
acres 1949.....	12,898	1945.....	45,253
gallons 1949.....	1,426,542	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	26,575
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	522	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	87,895
acres 1949.....	4,242	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16,131
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	206,044	1944.....	19,598
1944.....	226,718	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	27,806
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10,885	1945.....	100,129
1944.....	18,143	trees of all ages..number 1950...	36,872
acres 1949.....	32,921	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	63,257
1944.....	49,824	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,851,503
acres 1949.....	2,748,120	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	15,099
1944.....	4,623,891	1945.....	10,388
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4,336	vines of all ages..number 1950...	65,136
1944.....	4,940	1945.....	50,013
acres 1949.....	5,599	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	29,183
1944.....	6,456	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	35,955
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2,108	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	809,054
acres 1949.....	1,380	1944.....	422,591
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2,325	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	26,713
1944.....	4,057	1945.....	448,364
acres 1949.....	6,034	trees of all ages..number 1950...	78,355
1944.....	8,984	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	370,009
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	716	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,042,936
acres 1949.....	603	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,237
		1944.....	127,483
		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	25,022
		1945.....	102,466
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,461,693
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,811
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,599
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,026,850
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	4,717,878
		1945.....	1,148,561
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,878,289
		1945.....	83,927,318
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	84,468,077
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944.....	

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

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

For release August 30, 1951

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 1,071 1945... 1,459	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 181 1945... 105
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 286,720 1945... 45.3	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 7 1945... ..
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 45.3 1945... ..	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 174 1945... 105
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 109,066 1945... 24,075	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 489 1945... 652
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 3,854 1945... 7,198	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 134 1945... 323
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 7,198 1945... 129,797	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 60 1945... 99
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 178,015 1945... 118.6	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 48 1945... 50
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 121.2 1945... 22.06	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 50 1945... 62
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*.. 21,791 1945... 2,617	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 22 1945... 18
.....average per acre, dollars	1950*.. 191.90 1945... 22.06	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 9 1945... 34
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 6 1945... 12
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 908 1944... 1,440	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 24 1945... 48
.....acres	1949... 15,892 1944... 29,932	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 24 1945... 30
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 349 1944... 311	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 24 1945... 28
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 347 1944... 727	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 129 1944... 278	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 46 1944... 72	White operators.....number	1950... 253 1945... 183
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 20 1944... 29	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 819 1945... 1,286
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 15	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 7 1944... 8	Full owners.....number	1950... 377 1945... 303
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 358 1944... 32	Part owners.....number	1950... 55 1945... 56
.....acres	1949... 12,925 1944... 4,597	Managers.....number	1950... 3 1945... 5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 240 1944... 11,761	All tenants.....number	1950... 636 1945... 1,115
.....acres	1949... 11,761 1944... 4,114	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 59.4 1945... 76.4
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 399 1944... 428	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 370 1945... 666
.....acres	1949... 35,128 1944... 71,492	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 18 1945... ..
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 161 1944... 91	Share tenants.....number	1950... 124 1945... 228
.....acres	1949... 34,559 1944... 13,958	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 124 1945... ..
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 216 1944... 785	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
.....acres	1949... 14,072 1944... 46,087	Croppers.....number	1950... 49 1945... 207
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 759 1944... 1,459	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 75 1945... 14
.....acres	1949... 5,662 1944... 2,855	Other tenants.....number	1950... 39 1945... 36
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
.....acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 85 1945... 65
.....acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 355 1945... 181
FARM OPERATORS		From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 355 1945... 181
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,052 1945... 1,413	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 6.92 1945... 184
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 20 1945... 18	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 68 1945... 42
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 510	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 159 1945... 57
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 476 1944... 151	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 299 1944... 56	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 33
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 53 1945... 53
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 33
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 53 1945... 53
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 7 1945... 7
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 24
			1950... 81 1945... 61

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	219	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	77
.....1945.....	151	General farms.....number 1950.....	45
.....number 1950.....	259	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	171	.....number 1950.....	9
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	87	.....number 1950.....	4
.....1945.....	74	.....number 1950.....	30
.....number 1950.....	118	.....number 1950.....	876
.....1945.....	115		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	77	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	106	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	402
.....1945.....	6	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	16
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	18
.....number 1950.....	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	12
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	19
.....number 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	70
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	232	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	267
.....1945.....	225	Other farms.....number 1950.....	669
.....number 1950.....	285	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	178
.....1945.....	244	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	465
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	141	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	232	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	969,971
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	811	.....1944.....	1,068,068
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	82	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	879,520
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	605,519
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	329,944
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	570,215
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,217
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	247	.....1944.....	14,985
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	225	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,409
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	485	.....1944.....	20,945
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	9	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,550
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	286
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	519	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	508,178
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	86	.....1944.....	412,575
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	295	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	170,648
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	151	.....1944.....	145,000
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.9	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,854
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	46,229
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	170	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	325,696
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	445	.....1944.....	221,546
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	542	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	61,478
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	46,172
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	954	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	894
.....persons 1950.....	2,001	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	717
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	907	.....1945.....	972
Operators.....persons 1950.....	851	.....number 1950.....	1,644
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	486	.....1945.....	1,984
.....persons 1950.....	772	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	556
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	156	.....1945.....	966
.....persons 1950.....	598	.....number 1950.....	947
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	1,679
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	795	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	417	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	813
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	214	.....1945.....	1,222
dollars 1949.....	22,593	.....number 1950.....	11,112
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	512	.....1945.....	17,042
dollars 1949.....	250,078	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	798
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	575	.....1945 ³	1,187
dollars 1949.....	210,601	.....number 1950.....	6,105
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	187	.....1945 ³	11,504
dollars 1949.....	105,041	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	658
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	404	.....number 1950.....	2,412
dollars 1949.....	22,695	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	528
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	178	.....number 1950.....	1,455
dollars 1949.....	56,747	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	245
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	59	.....number 1950.....	1,508
dollars 1949.....	16,732	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	489
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	125	.....number 1950.....	2,258
dollars 1949.....	29,060	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	18
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	60
No sales.....number 1950.....	105	gallons 1949.....	425,440
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	388	.....1944.....	285,415
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	140	dollars 1949.....	167,854
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	128	.....1944.....	4
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	153	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	87	.....1944.....	5,054
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	25	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	500
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	17	.....1944.....	2,859
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	4	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	10	.....dollars 1949.....	50
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	54	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	657
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	238	.....1945.....	1,178
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	6,585
Cotton.....number 1950.....	284	.....1945.....	9,161
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	4	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	728
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	5,097
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	550
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	5,468
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	419
		.....1945.....	1,021
		.....number 1950.....	854
		.....1945.....	1,785

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

FARMS; FARM CHARACTERISTICS, AND FARM PRODUCTS

ADAMS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Sorghums:	
1945.....	28	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950...	2,025	1944.....	14
1945.....	1,710	acres 1949...	148
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	543
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	22	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950...	1,070	1944.....	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	20	acres 1949...	20
1945 ¹	25	1944.....	1
number 1950...	717	bushels 1949...	475
1945 ¹	1,144	1944.....	8
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	21	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950...	555	acres 1949...	112
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	19	tons..green weight 1949...	1,576
number 1950...	953	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	15	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	18	acres 1949...	16
number shorn 1949...	559	tons cut 1949...	2
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,854	Small grains:	
1944.....	4,258	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS²		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	939	1944.....	51
1945.....	1,424	acres 1949...	408
number 1950...	25,247	1944.....	897
1945.....	41,997	bushels 1949...	10,658
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	97	1944.....	19,040
number 1949...	4,822	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	26
dollars 1949...	4,906	1944.....	18
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	196	acres 1949...	224
dozens 1949...	17,523	1944.....	572
dollars 1949...	7,846	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	79	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	142
number 1950...	319	acres grown alone 1949...	129
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	70	1944 ²	655
1944.....	26	acres grown with other crops 1949...	817
number 1949...	540	1944 ²	1,874
1944.....	217	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		1944.....	105
		acres grown alone 1949...	7
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
		bushels 1949...	80
		1944.....	2,012
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52
		acres grown alone 1949...	69
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	215
		tons 1949...	240
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	85
		acres grown alone 1949...	52
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	555
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	35
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	420
		acres grown alone 1949...	809
		1944 ²	680
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,542
		1944 ²	1,243
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	212
		1944.....	170
		acres grown alone 1949...	107
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	549
		bushels 1949...	2,371
		1944.....	826
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		acres grown alone 1949...	9
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	39
		bushels in shells 1949...	205
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	227
		acres grown alone 1949...	577
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	206
		tons 1949...	655
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	95
		acres grown alone 1949...	56
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	459
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	55
		acres grown alone 1949...	60
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	109
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	29
		acres grown alone 1949...	12
		1944.....	28
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
		1944.....	29
		Peanuts harvested for picking	
		or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	29
		1944.....	18
		acres grown alone 1949...	8
		1944 ³	18
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		pounds 1949...	5,242
		1944.....	3,640
		Peanut vines or tops saved for	
		hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	2
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	2
		1944.....	2
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres grown alone 1949...	5
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
		bushels 1949...	51

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949....	288	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949....	22
acres 1949....	2,829	1944....	6
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		acres 1949....	25
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949....	2	1944....	10
1944....	3	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949....	8
acres 1949....	15	acres 1949....	1
1944....	237	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949....	21
tons 1949....	11	1944....	19
1944....	870	acres 1949....	8
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	28	1944....	15
1944....	8	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949....	35
acres 1949....	825	1944....	25
1944....	188	acres 1949....	14
tons 1949....	1,084	1944....	16
1944....	285	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949....	17
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	48	acres 1949....	15
1944....	158	1944....	29
acres 1949....	489	Other vegetables.....acres 1949....	
1944....	1,784	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949....	800	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949....	1
1944....	2,140	acres 1949....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or		quarts 1949....	30
other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	51	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944....	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949....	90	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950....	583
1944....	50	1945....	9
tons 1949....	88	acres 1950 ² ..	646
1944....	100	1945....	41
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	207	Apples.....farms reporting 1950....	135
acres 1949....	1,476	1945....	120
1944....	1,117	trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,070
1944....	1,520	1945....	1,400
tons 1949....	1,182	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	361
Silage made from grass or hay crops...farms reporting 1949....		trees of bearing age..number 1950....	709
acres 1949....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	569
1944....		1944....	823
tons..green weight 1949....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950....	287
Field crops (other):		1945....	351
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950....	2,279
1944....	18	1945....	2,810
acres 1949....	52	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,089
1944....	335	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	1,180
pounds 1949....	1,750	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	652
1944....	51,277	1944....	1,750
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	12	Pears.....farms reporting 1950....	176
acres 1949....	322	1945....	187
bushels 1949....	780	trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,552
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945....	895
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	187	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	965
1944....	1,094	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	587
acres 1949 ¹ ..	44	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	1,134
1944....	454	1944....	2,467
bushels 1949....	5,714	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950....	17
1944....	54,261	1945....	1
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees of all ages..number 1950....	792
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	461	1945....	2
1944....	1,218	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	461
acres 1949 ¹ ..	273	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	331
1944....	712	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	20
bushels 1949....	22,454	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950....	95
1944....	60,564	1945....	8
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	594	trees of all ages..number 1950....	5,158
1944....	1,231	1945....	42
acres 1949....	5,516	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,826
1944....	7,507	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	1,332
bales 1949....	1,955	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	768
1944....	5,047	1944....	24
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested		Figs.....farms reporting 1950....	171
for sirup.....farms reporting 1949....	78	trees of all ages..number 1950....	695
acres 1949....	46	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	263
gallons 1949....	3,280	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	452
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than		quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	6,855
corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949....	6	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950....	20
acres 1949....	56	1945....	2
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		vines of all ages..number 1950....	1,114
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949....	901	1945....	4
1944....	1,418	vines not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,079
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	63	vines of bearing age..number 1950....	55
1944....	45	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	188
acres 1949....	122	1944....	25
1944....	121	Improved pecans (budded, grafted,	
sold..dollars 1949....	14,217	or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950....	152
1944....	15,863	trees of all ages..number 1950....	3,570
Green beans (snap, string, or wax)....farms reporting 1949....	37	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	778
1944....	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	2,792
acres 1949....	18	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	54,548
1944....	14	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950....	253
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949....	28	trees of all ages..number 1950....	9,541
acres 1949....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	2,132
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949....	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	7,409
1944....	17	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	129,899
acres 1949....	8	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950....	1
1944....	14	1945....	1
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949....	10	trees of all ages..number 1950....	10
acres 1949....	4	1945....	100
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950....	10
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	75
		1944....	.....

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
.....number 1950...	3,050	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	251
.....1945...	2,875	.....1945...	116
.....acres 1950...	259,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
.....1945...	83.1	.....1945...	5
.....percent 1950...	185,630	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	239
.....1945...	75,229	.....1945...	111
.....acres 1950...	45,395	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	659
.....1945...	215,464	.....1945...	569
.....acres 1950...	205,036	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	659
.....1945...	70.6	.....1945...	650
.....acres 1950...	71.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	377
.....1945...	1,899	.....1945...	390
.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	1,984	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	454
.....1945...	56.01	.....1945...	505
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	27.82	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	272
.....1945...		.....1945...	314
.....farms reporting 1949...	2,716	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	174
.....1944...	2,736	.....1945...	171
.....acres 1949...	67,401	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	87
.....1944...	67,236	.....1945...	66
.....farms reporting 1949...	425	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	30
.....1944...	384	.....1945...	25
.....farms reporting 1949...	710	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	73
.....1944...	784	.....1945...	62
.....farms reporting 1949...	768	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	12
.....1944...	753	.....1945...	7
.....farms reporting 1949...	610	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	631	.....1945...	
.....farms reporting 1949...	184	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	162	Farms by color of operator:	
.....farms reporting 1949...	15	White operators.....number 1950...	2,795
.....1944...	17	.....1945...	2,582
.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	255
.....1944...	5	.....1945...	293
.....acres 1949...	10,942	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	8,463	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,451
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,091	.....1945...	1,473
.....1944...	17,477	Part owners.....number 1950...	346
.....farms reporting 1949...	14,874	.....1945...	132
.....1944...	1,033	Managers.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	683	.....1945...	
.....farms reporting 1949...	31,847	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,253
.....1944...	16,842	.....1945...	1,270
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,307	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	41.1
.....1944...	1,356	.....1945...	44.2
.....acres 1949...	53,092	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	36
.....1944...	44,901	.....1945...	41
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,233	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	1,947	.....1945...	110
.....acres 1949...	22,495	Share tenants.....number 1950...	750
.....1944...	39,763	.....1945...	442
.....farms reporting 1949...	2,704	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	699
.....1944...	2,422	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	51
.....acres 1949...	12,210	Croppers.....number 1950...	361
.....1944...	12,957	.....1945...	306
.....farms reporting 1949...		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	102
.....1944...		.....1945...	371
.....farms reporting 1949...	2,925	Other tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....1945...	2,769	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	77
.....operators reporting 1950...	64	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1945...	64	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	287
.....operators reporting 1949...	897	.....1945...	299
.....operators reporting 1949...	1,078	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,014
.....1944...	841	.....1945...	859
.....1945...	483	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,999
.....1944...	367	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	2.87
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	338
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	313
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	157
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,144
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	262
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		.....number 1950...	52
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	32
		.....number 1950...	32
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
.....operators reporting 1950...	2,925		
.....operators reporting 1950...	2,769		
.....operators reporting 1949...	897		
.....operators reporting 1949...	1,078		
.....operators reporting 1949...	841		
.....operators reporting 1949...	483		
.....operators reporting 1944...	367		

for 1944, not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	634	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	44
.....1945.....	327	General farms.....number 1950.....	95
.....number 1950.....	671	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	30
.....1945.....	337	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	15
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	674	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	50
.....1945.....	370	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,090
.....number 1950.....	703		
.....1945.....	376	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	624	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,975
.....number 1950.....	640	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	2
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	25
.....number 1950.....	26	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	174
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	686
.....number 1950.....	37	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	1,088
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,125	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	1,075
.....1945.....	720	Other farms.....number 1950.....	545
.....number 1950.....	1,238	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	530
.....1945.....	727	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	530
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	842	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	246	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,043,562
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,299	.....1944.....	2,269,608
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	511	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,457,364
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	152	.....1944.....	1,681,028
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,440,026
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,650,577
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	176	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,079
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	920	.....1944.....	16,719
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,081	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,516
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	887	.....1944.....	11,732
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,743
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	2,000
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,805	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	536,882
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	.....1944.....	511,855
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	182	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	150,330
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	.....1944.....	225,674
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	76,278
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	143,232
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	696	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	310,274
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,097	.....1944.....	142,949
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	211	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	49,316
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	76,725
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,438	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,040
.....persons 1950.....	3,298	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	808
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,428	.....number 1945.....	813
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,297	.....number 1950.....	1,527
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	558	.....number 1945.....	1,332
.....persons 1950.....	827	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,590
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	91	.....number 1945.....	1,834
.....persons 1950.....	174	.....number 1950.....	3,763
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	4,223
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,459	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,829	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,395
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,409	.....1945.....	2,595
.....dollars 1949.....	76,345	.....number 1950.....	10,037
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,059	.....1945.....	11,099
.....dollars 1949.....	126,205	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,322
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,579	.....1945.....	2,560
.....dollars 1949.....	165,935	.....number 1950.....	5,428
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,017	.....1945.....	6,347
.....dollars 1949.....	124,775	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,261
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,193	.....number 1950.....	4,756
.....dollars 1949.....	49,995	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	989
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	739	.....number 1950.....	2,344
.....dollars 1949.....	97,093	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	310
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	358	.....number 1950.....	649
.....dollars 1949.....	22,275	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	926
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	918	.....number 1950.....	1,616
.....dollars 1949.....	28,395	.....1949.....	324
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	562
No sales.....number 1950.....	149	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	371,690
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	381	.....1944.....	813,144
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	285	.....dollars 1949.....	128,098
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	334	.....1944.....	198
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	767	.....dollars 1949.....	146
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	501	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	31,204
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	432	.....1944.....	26,780
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	150	.....dollars 1949.....	16,638
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	39	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	111
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	10	.....dollars 1949.....	5,594
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	2	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,097
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1,772	.....1945.....	1,773
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	7,663
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1,747	.....1945.....	5,680
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,699
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	4,653
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	763
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	34	.....number 1950.....	3,010
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	456
		.....1945.....	471
		.....number 1950.....	749
		.....1945.....	668

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950..	1	Sorghums:	
1945.....		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	30
number 1950.....	3	1944.....	227
1945.....		acres 1949.....	56
1945.....		1944.....	448
1945.....		1944.....	4
1945.....		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....		1944.....	16
1945.....		acres 1949.....	5
1945.....		1944.....	365
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	10
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		tons..green weight 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1945.....		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1945.....		1944.....	40
1945.....		acres 1949.....	52
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		tons out 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Small grains:	
1945.....		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....		1944.....	10
1945.....		acres 1949.....	20
1945.....		1944.....	25
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	40
1945.....		1944.....	185
1945.....		acres 1949.....	327
1945.....		1944.....	3,225
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	8,916
1945.....		1944.....	18
1945.....		acres 1949.....	37
1945.....		1944.....	44
1945.....		1944.....	117
1945.....		Annual legumes:	
1945.....		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	713
1945.....		1944.....	4,804
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	4,136
1945.....		1944.....	183
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	966
1945.....		1944.....	100
1945.....		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	98
1945.....		1944.....	1,508
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	8
1945.....		1944.....	22,513
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	4,814
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	652
1945.....		1944.....	3,226
1945.....		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	134
1945.....		1944.....	4,752
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
1945.....		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1945.....		1944.....	28
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	41
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Soybeans plowed under for green	
1945.....		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1945.....		1944.....	42
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	206
1945.....		1944.....	448
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	3,714
1945.....		1944.....	66
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	625
1945.....		1944.....	105
1945.....		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	266
1945.....		1944.....	107
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	29
1945.....		1944.....	722
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	2,306
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	69
1945.....		1944.....	49
1945.....		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....		1944.....	743
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	82
1945.....		1944.....	244
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	15
1945.....		1944.....	199
1945.....		tons 1949.....	
1945.....		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
1945.....		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1945.....		1944.....	17
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	10
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1945.....		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1945.....		1944.....	31
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	10
1945.....		1944.....	106
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	110
1945.....		1944.....	301
1945.....		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1945.....		1944.....	14
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		Peanuts harvested for picking	
1945.....		or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	106
1945.....		1944.....	217
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	41
1945.....		1944.....	267
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		pounds 1949.....	21,166
1945.....		1944.....	59,596
1945.....		Peanut vines or tops saved for	
1945.....		hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	31
1945.....		1944.....	102
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	45
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
1945.....		tons 1949.....	31
1945.....		1944.....	140
1945.....		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1945.....		1944.....	20
1945.....		acres grown alone 1949.....	21
1945.....		1944.....	30
1945.....		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1945.....		bushels 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,106	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	14
acres 1949...	7,067	1944...	15
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres 1949...	14
1944...	30	1944...	8
acres 1949...	106	farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	159	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	144	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944...	184	1944...	27
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	438	acres 1949...	4
1944...	39	1944...	14
acres 1949...	2,719	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944...	183	1944...	44
tons 1949...	2,633	acres 1949...	12
1944...	172	1944...	10
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	490	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944...	715	acres 1949...	16
acres 1949...	3,044	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3
1944...	3,620	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	3,592	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944...	3,269	acres 1949...	4
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	13	quarts 1949...	3,085
1944...	5	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	55	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,478
1944...	26	1945...	531
tons 1949...	37	acres 1950 ² ...	508
1944...	53	1945...	485
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	220	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,362
acres 1949...	1,169	1945...	1,499
1944...	1,656	trees of all ages..number 1950...	15,619
tons 1949...	1,074	1945...	17,335
1944...	1,368	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,251
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,368
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,851
tons..green weight 1949...		1944...	8,206
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,371
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945...	1,632
1944...	62	trees of all ages..number 1950...	20,967
acres 1949...	69	1945...	29,794
1944...	291	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,892
pounds 1949...	11,805	1950...	13,075
1944...	15,571	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	3,020
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	14,250
acres 1949...	44	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	827
bushels 1949...	158	1945...	827
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,734	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,276
1944...	1,717	1945...	2,343
acres 1949...	70	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	681
1944...	328	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,395
bushels 1949...	16,348	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,280
1944...	21,322	1944...	4,728
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,366	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	260
1944...	1,276	1945...	175
acres 1949...	79	trees of all ages..number 1950...	725
1944...	323	1945...	477
bushels 1949...	14,668	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	311
1944...	27,961	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	414
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,453	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	678
1944...	2,359	1944...	1,150
acres 1949...	27,813	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	321
1944...	19,933	1945...	204
bales 1949...	14,676	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,504
1944...	13,584	1945...	879
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	30	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	463
acres 1949...	29	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,041
gallons 1949...	1,363	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	210
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949...		1944...	829
acres 1949...		Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	147
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,746	trees of all ages..number 1950...	392
1944...	2,630	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	140
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	37	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	252
1944...	152	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	441
acres 1949...	61	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	591
1944...	199	1945...	688
acres 1949...	6,079	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,259
1944...	16,719	1945...	3,280
Green beans (snap, string, or wax)....farms reporting 1949...	13	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	587
1944...	39	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,672
acres 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	18,908
1944...	14	1944...	72,441
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	235
acres 1949...	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	818
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	482
1944...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	336
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,215
1944...	1	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	74
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	279
acres 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	113
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	166
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,166
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945...	
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
		1945...	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944...	

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,947	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 140
	1945... 2,927		1945... 102
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 466,560	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 4
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 66.8		1945... 5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 276,583	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 136
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 58,379		1945... 97
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 3,150	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 737
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 26,535		1945... 780
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 311,577	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 489
	1945... 277,675		1945... 520
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 105.7	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 293
	1945... 94.9		1945... 280
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 4,048	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 363
	1945... 1,915		1945... 372
	average per acre, dollars	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 239
	1950*... 39.48		1945... 332
	1945... 20.18	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 225
			1945... 225
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 107
Crop land harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 2,562		1945... 102
	1944... 2,747	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 61
	acres		1945... 46
	1949... 49,450	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 157
	1944... 61,400		1945... 137
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 625	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 55
	1944... 403		1945... 39
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 950	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 21
	1944... 943		1945... 12
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 593	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
	1944... 857	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 305	White operators.....number	1950... 1,488
	1944... 420		1945... 1,581
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 69	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1,459
	1944... 107		1945... 1,546
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 14	Farms by tenure of operator:	
	1944... 16	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,697
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 1		1945... 1,586
	1944... 1	Part owners.....number	1950... 176
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1,320		1945... 62
	1944 ¹ ... 952	Managers.....number	1950... 2
	acres		1945... 2
	1949... 50,737	All tenants.....number	1950... 1,072
	1944 ¹ ... 34,920		1945... 1,277
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 610	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 36.4
	1944... 11,578		1945... 45.6
	acres	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 229
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 12,997		1945... 453
	1944... 1,516	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 2
	acres		1945... 1
	1949... 1,073	Share tenants.....number	1950... 414
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 107,552		1945... 153
	1944... 62,897	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 414
	acres	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... ..
	1949... 1,119	Croppers.....number	1950... 321
	1944... 48,204		1945... 611
Other pasture (now cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 554	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 106
	1944 ¹ ... 941		1945... 59
	acres	Other tenants.....number	1950... 65
	1949... 34,892	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 41
	1944 ¹ ... 36,433	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,345	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 32
	1944... 2,728		1945... 30
	acres	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,546
	1949... 9,164		1945... 463
	1944... 9,314	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,541
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... ..		1945... 4.54
	1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 650
	acres		1945... 297
	1949... ..	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 287
	1944... ..		1945... 167
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... ..	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 728
	1945... ..		1945... 161
FARM OPERATORS		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 27
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,631	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 161
	1945... 2,791	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 246
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 58	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 21
	1945... 42		1945... 21
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 1,145	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 5
			1945... 5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,195	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 21
	1944... 776		1945... 21
	100 days or more.....operators reporting	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 6
	1949... 664		1945... 6
	1944... 384	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 15
			1945... 15

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	870	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	218
.....1945.....	247	General farms.....number 1950.....	127
.....number 1950.....	717	.....number 1950.....	39
.....1945.....	254	.....number 1950.....	10
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	287	.....number 1950.....	75
.....1945.....	108	.....number 1950.....	1,465
.....number 1950.....	342	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	111	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,501
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	281	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	325	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	13
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	89
.....number 1950.....	12	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	210
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	250
.....number 1950.....	1,001	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	928
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	837	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,446
.....1945.....	1,047	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	597
.....number 1950.....	848	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	849
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	748	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	653	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,986,924
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,248	.....1944.....	2,255,004
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	227	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	948,379
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	.....1944.....	1,446,538
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	657,055
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,392,371
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	135	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	82,446
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	645	.....1944.....	44,731
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,039	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,878
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,076	.....1944.....	11,989
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	247
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,184	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,801,296
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	131	.....1944.....	728,658
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	511	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,083,313
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	507	.....1944.....	380,891
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.3	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	79,643
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	98,177
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	485	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	638,340
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,712	.....1944.....	251,590
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	582	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	219,249
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	77,008
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,257	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,182
.....persons 1950.....	4,074	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,150
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,215	.....1945.....	1,141
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,947	.....number 1950.....	1,834
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,140	.....1945.....	1,846
.....persons 1950.....	1,837	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,686
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	194	.....1945.....	1,727
.....persons 1950.....	290	.....number 1950.....	2,957
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	3,289
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,364	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,137	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,529
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	863	.....1945.....	2,476
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	44,503	.....number 1950.....	37,017
.....1945.....	827	.....1945.....	35,659
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	127,228	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,500
.....dollars 1949.....	1,805	.....1945 ³	2,417
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	794,269	.....number 1950.....	20,961
.....dollars 1949.....	828	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	20,571
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	408,454	.....1945 ³	2,034
.....dollars 1949.....	1,402	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	12,864
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	84,912	.....number 1950.....	1,452
.....dollars 1949.....	476	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	8,063
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	77,351	.....number 1950.....	952
.....dollars 1949.....	214	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,671
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	26,203	.....number 1950.....	1,419
.....dollars 1949.....	650	.....number 1950.....	5,322
.....1945.....	18,632	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	549
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	204
No sales.....number 1950.....	241	gallons 1949.....	2,519,878
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	608	.....1944.....	1,168,529
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	524	dollars 1949.....	1,078,701
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	404	.....1944.....	17
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	511	.....1944.....	3
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	202	.....1944.....	2,179
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	144	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	2,220
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	148	.....1944.....	1,239
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	108	.....1944.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	45	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	65
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	14	.....dollars 1949.....	3,573
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	751	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,840
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	19	.....1945.....	2,358
Cotton.....number 1950.....	727	.....number 1950.....	5,906
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	.....1945.....	11,322
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	63	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,584
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	3,555
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	295	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	815
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	2,551
		.....number 1950.....	335
		.....1945.....	862
		.....number 1950.....	437
		.....1945.....	1,223

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Sorghums:	
1945...	14	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1950...	45	1944...	34
1945...	525	1949...	150
1944...		1944...	89
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	3	1944...	
number 1950...	40	1949...	acres
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	3	1944...	
1945 ¹ ...	9	1949...	bushels
number 1950...	39	1944...	
1945 ² ...	213	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1	number 1950...	45
number 1950...	1	1949...	acres
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	1944...	235
number 1950...	5	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	3	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	22
1944...	7	1949...	acres
number shorn 1949...	21	1944...	105
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	128	1949...	142
1944...	1,397	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,616	1949...	acres
1945...	2,692	1944...	392
number 1950...	70,046	1949...	509
1945...	113,016	1944...	6,060
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	456	1949...	10,233
number 1949...	30,401	1944...	86
dollars 1949...	30,531	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	66
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,185	1944...	89
dozens 1949...	119,405	1949...	482
dollars 1949...	48,160	1944...	566
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	65	Annual legumes:	
number 1950...	371	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	97
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1944 ² ...	87
1944...	54	1949...	81
number 1949...	492	acres grown with other crops 1949...	482
1944...	423	1944 ² ...	623
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1949...	25
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944...	13
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,603	1949...	15
dollars 1949...	635,934	acres grown with other crops 1949...	51
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,453	1944...	418
1944...	805	1949...	182
number 1949...	9,793	1944...	48
1944...	6,664	1949...	46
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	729	acres grown with other crops 1949...	197
number 1949...	2,961	1944...	199
dollars 1949...	288,505	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,191	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949...	6,852	1944...	25
dollars 1949...	293,211	1949...	202
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	476	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944...	311	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949...	2,044	1944...	1
1944...	2,543	1949...	32
dollars 1949...	47,520	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	304
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944...	312
1944...	6	1949...	853
number 1949...	26	acres grown with other crops 1949...	633
1944...	38	1944 ² ...	161
dollars 1949...	356	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	189
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1944...	255
number 1949...	87	1949...	97
dollars 1949...	6,342	acres grown with other crops 1949...	369
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	1,653
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,082	1949...	2,166
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	98	1944...	282
number 1949...	133	1949...	124
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	4	acres grown with other crops 1949...	100
1944...	32	bushels in shells 1949...	2,989
number 1949...	4	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944...	81	1944...	43
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	94	1949...	15
number 1949...	44	acres grown with other crops 1949...	43
1944...	129	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	62	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	35
1944...	2,067	1944...	26
number 1949...	2,388	1949...	128
1944...	4,581	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Meat, lard, hides, and other		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	12
products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	22	1944...	22
dollars 1949...	2,137	1949...	21
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown with other crops 1949...	350
Corn:		1944...	115
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,357	1949...	165
1944...	2,655	acres grown with other crops 1949...	31
acres 1949...	24,854	1944...	
1944...	33,333	1949...	330
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,553	1944...	134
1944...	2,654	1949...	103
acres 1949...	24,791	1944 ³ ...	158
1944...	33,312	1949...	4
bushels 1949...	394,887	pounds 1949...	52,634
1944...	455,551	1944...	31,127
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Peanut vines or tops saved for	
1944...	3	hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949...	35	1944...	
1944...	200	1949...	5
Hogged or grazed, or cut for		acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944...	5
acres 1949...	28	1949...	
		1944...	
		1949...	124
		acres grown alone 1949...	42
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	518
		bushels 1949...	2,903

¹Bees and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	742	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....acres 1949...	5,025	.....1944...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	1	.....1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	40	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	32
.....1944...	1	.....acres 1949...	24
.....tons 1949...	5	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....1944...	45	.....acres 1949...	6
.....1944...	4	.....1944...	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	95	.....1944...	7
.....1944...	1	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
.....acres 1949...	639	.....1944...	7
.....1944...	7	.....acres 1949...	4
.....tons 1949...	394	.....1944...	6
.....1944...	14	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	16
.....1944...	14	.....acres 1949...	8
.....1944...	14	.....1944...	259
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	421	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	259
.....1944...	719		
.....acres 1949...	3,014	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	4,577	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949...	3,812	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	5,933	.....quarts 1949...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944...	9	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	759
.....acres 1949...	76	.....1945...	280
.....1944...	41	.....acres 1950 ² ...	519
.....tons 1949...	95	.....1945...	195
.....1944...	40	.....1945...	254
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	234	.....1945...	332
.....acres 1949...	1,854	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,773
.....1944...	302	.....1945...	1,755
.....tons 1949...	1,976	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,185
.....1944...	309	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	597
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	251
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1944...	722
.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1950...	295
Field crops (other):		.....1945...	540
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,397
.....1944...	19	.....1945...	6,445
.....acres 1949...	39	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,822
.....1944...	221	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,774
.....pounds 1949...	3,610	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	276
.....1944...	41,920	.....1944...	5,559
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	296
.....acres 1949...	6	.....1945...	381
.....bushels 1949...	29	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,192
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,443	.....1945...	2,055
.....1944...	1,529	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	489
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	193	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	753
.....1944...	325	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,150
.....bushels 1949...	22,535	.....1944...	4,642
.....1944...	71,302	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	4
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,684	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	1,762	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	14
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	535	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	1,012	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14
.....bushels 1949...	55,679	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	99,030	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,473	.....1944...	.....
.....1944...	2,024	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	153
.....acres 1949...	14,646	.....1945...	119
.....1944...	17,436	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,373
.....bales 1949...	5,340	.....1945...	1,169
.....1944...	11,669	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	668
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	649	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	707
.....acres 1949...	319	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	280
.....gallons 1949...	51,470	.....1944...	589
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	342
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,254
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,564	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	408
.....1944...	2,569	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	846
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	343	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14,057
.....1944...	238	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	56
.....acres 1949...	457	.....1945...	9
.....sold..dollars 1949...	82,446	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	334
.....1944...	44,731	.....1945...	32
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	121	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	296
.....acres 1949...	103	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	33
.....1944...	183	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	291
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	25	.....1944...	30
.....acres 1949...	5	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	345
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,909
.....1944...	4	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	459
.....acres 1949...	3	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,450
.....1944...	4	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	51,278
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....1944...	72
.....acres 1949...	1	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	2,561
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	60
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,481
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,317
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	39
		.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		.....1945...	30
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,004
		.....1945...	6,760
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,066
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,938
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,085
		.....1944...	76,945

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,645	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	187
1945...	3,659	1945...	53
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	465,380	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	75.5	1945...	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	292,180	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	175
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	99,565	1945...	51
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,754	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	907
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	45,771	1945...	856
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	349,728	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	552
1945...	353,345	1945...	653
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	95.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	315
1945...	96.6	1945...	328
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	3,341	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	540
1945...	1,654	1945...	545
average per acre, dollars 1950*	34.46	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	444
1945...	16.92	1945...	453
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	290
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,266	1945...	332
1944...	3,466	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	141
acres 1949...	74,398	1945...	146
1944...	81,883	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	84
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	568	1945...	86
1944...	300	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	157
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,159	1945...	157
1944...	1,261	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	32
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	853	1945...	45
1944...	1,098	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	16
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	494	1945...	6
1944...	643		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	156	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	147	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	27	White operators.....number 1950...	2,172
1944...	13	1945...	1,994
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,473
1944...	4	1945...	1,685
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	715	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	327	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,904
acres 1949...	21,421	1945...	1,575
1944 ¹ ...	8,415	Part owners.....number 1950...	190
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	1,358	1945...	116
acres 1949...	24,079	Managers.....number 1950...	5
1944...	18,178	1945...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,054	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,548
1944...	1,866	1945...	1,967
acres 1949...	105,725	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	42.4
1944...	94,859	1945...	55.8
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,329	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	184
1944...	1,511	1945...	322
acres 1949...	72,176	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944...	66,488	1945...	64
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants.....number 1950...	553
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,557	1945...	494
1944 ¹ ...	2,464	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	545
acres 1949...	40,137	1945...	8
1944 ¹ ...	68,763	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	784
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland,		Croppers.....number 1950...	1,009
etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,878	1945...	86
1944...	3,626	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	78
acres 1949...	13,792	1945...	47
1944...	14,779	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	311
1944...		1945...	178
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,051
acres 1949...		1945...	246
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,041
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.12
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	500
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	194
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	187
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	711
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	203
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	41
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	41
		number 1950...	41
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	75
		number 1950...	76
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	7
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	11

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	773	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	196
1945.....	299	General farms.....number 1950...	227
number 1950.....	821	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	28
1945.....	316	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	9
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	428	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	190
1945.....	184	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	2,095
number 1950.....	482		
1945.....	197		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	406		
number 1950.....	466		
1945.....	21		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	21		
number 1950.....	5		
1945.....	1		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5		
number 1950.....	1,080		
1945.....	873		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,080		
number 1950.....	1,119		
1945.....	884		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	994		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	583		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,639		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	333		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	96		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	172		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,229		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,224		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	983		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	578		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	186		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,314		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	922		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.8		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	442		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,166		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,975		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,151		
persons 1950.....	5,157		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,119		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,844		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,467		
persons 1950.....	2,102		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	111		
persons 1950.....	211		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	3,075		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,837		
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,470		
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	64,258		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	761		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	140,880		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,362		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	309,455		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,356		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	232,787		
No sales.....number 1950...	1,779		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	77,017		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	782		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	121,455		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	285		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	31,740		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	991		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	58,602		
\$4,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...			
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...			
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	884		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	5		
Cotton.....number 1950...	879		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...			
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	220		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	23		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,619
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	4
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	8
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	87
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	109
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	289
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	1,172
		Other farms.....number 1950...	2,026
		Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	768
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,258
		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,470,662
		1944.....	2,950,923
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,281,546
		1944.....	2,208,271
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,264,682
		1944.....	2,175,164
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	8,481
		1944.....	6,979
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,703
		1944.....	17,248
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	3,500
		1944.....	8,880
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	982,314
		1944.....	655,822
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	231,663
		1944.....	293,678
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	112,779
		1944.....	118,400
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	577,872
		1944.....	243,546
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	207,002
		1944.....	87,050
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,528
		1945.....	1,293
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,532
		1945.....	1,954
		number 1950.....	2,565
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	2,038
		1945.....	2,196
		number 1950.....	4,310
		1945.....	4,962
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,866
		1945.....	3,522
		number 1950.....	22,061
		1945.....	25,020
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,818
		1945.....	3,190
		number 1950.....	11,551
		1945.....	15,868
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,697
		number 1950.....	6,757
		1945.....	1,529
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,317
		number 1950.....	976
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,805
		number 1950.....	1,529
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,788
		number 1950.....	634
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	755
		1944.....	752,859
		gallons 1949.....	1,052,516
		1944.....	264,524
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	259
		1944.....	520
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	49,223
		1944.....	85,205
		dollars 1949.....	25,945
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	39
		dollars 1949.....	1,196
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,645
		1945.....	2,714
		number 1950.....	9,004
		1945.....	8,984
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	2,144
		number 1950.....	5,843
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	968
		number 1950.....	5,161
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	531
		1945.....	665
		number 1950.....	811
		1945.....	837

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Sorghums:	
1945 ¹	14	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	90
number 1950.....	240	1944.....	197
1945.....	704	acres 1949.....	484
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	618
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	7	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950.....	139	1944.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	7	acres 1949.....	132
1945 ¹	13	1944.....	7
number 1950.....	130	bushels 1949.....	1,793
1945 ¹	507	1944.....	40
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1950.....	9	1944.....	110
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	7	acres 1949.....	980
number 1950.....	101	tons..green weight 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	13	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	59
number shorn 1949.....	65	acres 1949.....	242
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	244	tons cut 1949.....	198
1944.....	1,548	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	3,196	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	3,425	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	32
number 1950.....	87,772	1944.....	81
1945.....	115,105	acres 1949.....	489
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	639	1944.....	1,209
number 1949.....	41,655	bushels 1949.....	8,531
dollars 1949.....	39,929	1944.....	58,977
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,344	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	50
dozens 1949.....	180,958	1944.....	215
dollars 1949.....	71,613	acres 1949.....	312
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	45	1944.....	878
number 1950.....	156	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	312
1944.....	15	acres grown alone 1949.....	997
number 1949.....	320	1944 ²	970
1944.....	177	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	681
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944 ²	1,219
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	25
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,871	1944.....	14
dollars 1949.....	571,960	acres grown alone 1949.....	153
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,503	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	36
1944.....	1,122	bushels 1949.....	2,554
number 1949.....	8,712	1944.....	157
1944.....	5,922	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	233
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	874	acres grown alone 1949.....	744
number 1949.....	3,390	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	332
dollars 1949.....	351,282	tons 1949.....	1,061
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,065	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949.....	3,322	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	55
dollars 1949.....	145,358	acres grown alone 1949.....	96
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	928	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	244
1944.....	512	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	5,559	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	2,997	acres grown alone 1949.....	4
dollars 1949.....	86,078	acres grown with other crops 1949...	69
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	577
1944.....	7	acres grown alone 1949.....	751
number 1949.....	38	1944 ²	1,888
1944.....	97	acres grown with other crops 1949...	853
dollars 1949.....	431	1944 ²	2,179
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	154	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	585
number 1949.....	220	1944.....	946
dollars 1949.....	10,811	acres grown alone 1949.....	321
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	283
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,892	bushels 1949.....	5,367
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	190	1944.....	9,278
number 1949.....	258	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	275
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	22	acres grown alone 1949.....	265
1944.....	119	acres grown with other crops 1949...	113
number 1949.....	25	bushels in shells 1949.....	2,892
1944.....	180	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	172	acres grown alone 1949.....	90
1944.....	92	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
number 1949.....	213	tons 1949.....	115
1944.....	121	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,884	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	70
1944.....	3,001	acres grown alone 1949.....	61
number 1949.....	8,298	acres grown with other crops 1949...	375
1944.....	7,377	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Meat, lard, hides, and other		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	13
products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	54	acres grown alone 1949.....	14
dollars 1949.....	5,614	acres grown with other crops 1949...	75
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949.....	419
Corn:		1944.....	280
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,998	acres grown with other crops 1949...	558
1944.....	3,556	1944.....	25
acres 1949.....	55,185	Peanuts harvested for picking	
1944.....	41,440	or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	419
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,974	1944.....	258
1944.....	3,554	acres grown alone 1949...	224
acres 1949.....	52,685	1944 ³	268
1944.....	41,540	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
bushels 1949.....	426,802	pounds 1949.....	76,843
1944.....	666,295	1944.....	61,960
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Peanut vines or tops saved for	
acres 1949.....	270	hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	20
tons..green weight 1949...	2,530	1944.....	77
Hogged or grazed, or cut for		acres grown alone 1949...	17
green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	248	tons 1949.....	21
		1944.....	87
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres grown alone 1949.....	2
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949.....	40

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1,240 9,337	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944... ..	18 11 13 3
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. tons 1949... 1944... ..	4 43 28	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... ..	7 1
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. tons 1949... 1944... ..	218 120 1,605 711 1,509 661	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... .. 1944... ..	20 19 20 5
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. tons 1949... 1944... ..	613 953 5,010 6,067 5,888 7,957	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... ..	24 37 8 8 31 21 1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. tons 1949... 1944... ..	17 24 121 113 112 135	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... ..	51 21
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. tons 1949... 1944... ..	447 2,452 1,531 2,580 1,438	Other vegetables.....acres 1949... ..	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... .. tons..green weight 1949... ..	1 100 100	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Field crops (other):		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... .. quarts 1949... ..	8 3 1,226
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. pounds 1949... 1944... ..	4 17 48 153 8,500 28,023	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... .. bushels 1949... ..	1 4 5	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. acres 1950 ² .. 1945... ..	1,547 1,821 316 1,214 1,215 1,448 8,592 9,412 4,119 4,473 3,204 6,665 1,365 1,890 22,085 36,924 9,923 12,162 4,340 19,225 728 901 2,044 1,945... .. 801 1,243 1,197 4,966
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949 ¹ .. 1944... .. bushels 1949... 1944... ..	1,140 1,073 50 208 8,131 11,548	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... .. trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944... ..	1,365 1,890 22,085 36,924 9,923 12,162 4,340 19,225 728 901 2,044 1,945... .. 801 1,243 1,197 4,966
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949 ¹ .. 1944... .. bushels 1949... 1944... ..	1,525 1,922 356 870 35,708 55,365	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... .. trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944... ..	1,365 1,890 22,085 36,924 9,923 12,162 4,340 19,225 728 901 2,044 1,945... .. 801 1,243 1,197 4,966
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. bales 1949... 1944... ..	2,679 2,958 27,173 23,968 7,505 17,273	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... .. trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944... ..	173 186 781 589 386 395 182 183 558 1,898 878 1,020 21,905
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... .. gallons 1949... ..	686 312 30,630	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... .. trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944... ..	173 186 781 589 386 395 182 183 558 1,898 878 1,020 21,905
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... ..	1 12	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... ..	508 217 912 770 464 448 3,777 5,322
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... ..	3,160 3,422	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... .. vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944... ..	508 217 912 770 464 448 3,777 5,322
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... .. sold..dollars 1949... 1944... ..	59 70 92 81 8,461 6,979	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... ..	492 2,710 808 1,902 51,399
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... ..	29 12 10 4	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... ..	103 823 189 684 5,441
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... ..	29 11 8	Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... .. trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... .. trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... .. quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944... ..	5 22 1 31 10
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... .. acres 1949... 1944... ..	21 2 4		
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... ..	14 5		

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,768	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	79
1945...	1,744	1945...	66
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	263,680	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	65.4	1945...	12
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	131,587	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	72
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	71,607	1945...	54
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,143	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	448
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,997	1945...	439
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	172,340	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	304
1945...	172,898	1945...	277
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	97.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	176
1945...	99.1	1945...	187
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	3,319	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	200
1945...	1,839	1945...	198
average per acre, dollars 1950A*	32.62	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	191
1945...	18.55	1945...	193
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	155
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,638	1945...	160
1944...	1,632	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	62
acres 1949...	44,278	1945...	62
1944...	41,259	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	47
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	213	1945...	46
1944...	171	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	66
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	489	1945...	88
1944...	458	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	30
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	441	1945...	22
1944...	548	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	348	1945...	6
1944...	351		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	122	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	91	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19	White operators.....number 1950...	1,023
1944...	11	1945...	977
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	745
1944...	2	1945...	767
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	444	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	420	Full owners.....number 1950...	651
acres 1949...	9,819	1945...	612
1944 ¹ ...	18,073	Part owners.....number 1950...	134
		1945...	98
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	491	1945...	2
acres 1949...	7,339	All tenants.....number 1950...	981
1944...	5,058	1945...	1,032
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	954	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	55.5
1944...	861	1945...	59.2
acres 1949...	46,796	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	47
1944...	39,066	1945...	92
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	607	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
1944...	609	1945...	
acres 1949...	35,676	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	320
1944...	31,257	1945...	323
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	317
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	661	1945...	3
1944 ¹ ...	938	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	202
acres 1949...	19,277	1945...	67
1944 ¹ ...	29,361	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	188
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	34
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,601		
1944...	1,689	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	8,955	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	115
1944...	8,824	1945...	13
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	501
1944...		1945...	162
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	501
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.98
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	119
acres 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	58
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	303
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	75
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		number 1950...	32
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		number 1950...	11
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	38
		number 1950...	43
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	19
		number 1950...	19
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,692		
1945...	1,625		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	44		
1945...	54		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	445		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	513		
1944...	487		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	215		
1944...	168		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	369	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	128
1945.....	170	number 1950.....	61
number 1950.....	380	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
1945.....	177	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	361	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	56
1945.....	106	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	605
number 1950.....	456	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	.....
1945.....	118		
number 1950.....	356	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	451	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,178
number 1950.....	.....	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	5
number 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	22
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	93
number 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	352
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	471	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	700
1945.....	351	Other farms.....number 1950.....	590
number 1950.....	538	Part-time.....number 1950.....	262
1945.....	367	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	328
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	449	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	98	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,570,672
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	846	1944.....	1,580,449
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	244	1949.....	1,156,042
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	131	1944.....	1,313,682
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,155,355
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	1,309,291
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	199	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,37
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	746	1944.....	1,434
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	395	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	550
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	319	1944.....	2,782
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	175
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	525	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	380,429
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	100	1944.....	224,695
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	588	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	38,534
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	240	1944.....	39,331
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.3	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	41,383
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	44,549
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	242	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	300,512
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	507	1944.....	140,815
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	889	1949.....	34,201
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	42,072
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,455	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,226
persons 1950.....	2,502	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	640
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,445	1945.....	681
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,364	number 1950.....	1,256
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	610	1945.....	1,174
persons 1950.....	936	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	104	1945.....	1,153
persons 1950.....	202	number 1950.....	2,677
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		1945.....	2,746
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,375	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	922	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,405
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	638	1945.....	1,511
dollars 1949.....	34,262	number 1950.....	8,725
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	592	1945.....	8,744
dollars 1949.....	84,650	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,350
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	900	1945 ³	1,470
dollars 1949.....	95,828	number 1950.....	4,818
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	470	1945 ³	4,770
dollars 1949.....	131,738	1950.....	1,281
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	897	number 1950.....	3,542
dollars 1949.....	37,924	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	493
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	394	number 1950.....	1,373
dollars 1949.....	81,454	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	266
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	191	number 1950.....	559
dollars 1949.....	26,630	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	763
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	308	number 1950.....	1,975
dollars 1949.....	13,198	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	69
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	85
No sales.....number 1950.....	62	gallons 1949.....	89,125
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	266	1944.....	62,560
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	220	dollars 1949.....	31,828
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	299	1949.....	89
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	344	1944.....	166
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	253	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	11,140
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	198	1944.....	41,592
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	56	dollars 1949.....	6,187
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	59	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	22
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	.....	1949.....	519
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	11	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,353
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	939	1945.....	1,208
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	10	number 1950.....	7,118
Cotton.....number 1950.....	920	1945.....	5,659
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,183
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	4,262
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	580
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	25	number 1950.....	2,856
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	10	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	543
		1945.....	385
		number 1950.....	892
		1945.....	613

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Sorghums:	
1945.....	5	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	44
number 1950.....	357	1944.....	175
1945.....	114	acres 1949.....	216
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	453
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950.....	184	1944.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	6	acres 1949.....	34
1945 ¹	3	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	173	bushels 1949.....	756
1945 ¹	103	1944.....	20
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1950.....	11	1944.....	148
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	acres 1949.....	1,298
number 1950.....	173	tons green weight 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	3	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number shorn 1949.....	212	1944.....	34
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,421	acres 1949.....	102
1944.....	620	tons out 1949.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,544	1949.....	15
1945.....	1,534	acres 1949.....	75
number 1950.....	39,208	bushels 1949.....	4
1945.....	46,631	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	256	1944.....	150
number 1949.....	16,227	acres 1949.....	146
dollars 1949.....	14,702	1944.....	3,600
1944.....	430	bushels 1949.....	5,289
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	58,290	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
dollars 1949.....	24,974	1944.....	23
1944.....	37	acres 1949.....	118
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	234	Annual legumes:	
number 1950.....	36	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	51
1944.....	13	1949.....	605
number 1949.....	394	acres grown alone 1944 ²	448
1944.....	204	1949.....	132
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres grown with other crops 1944 ²	750
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	11
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046	1944.....	9
dollars 1949.....	295,942	acres grown alone 1949.....	409
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	780	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	32
1944.....	659	bushels 1949.....	3,085
number 1949.....	2,644	1944.....	85
1944.....	2,912	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	32
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	327	1949.....	155
number 1949.....	916	acres grown alone 1949.....	36
dollars 1949.....	86,489	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	115
1944.....	651	tons 1949.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,728	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949.....	88,279	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
dollars 1949.....	88,279	1949.....	27
1944.....	657	acres grown alone 1949.....	49
number 1949.....	387	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	5,463	Soybeans plowed under for green	
dollars 1949.....	3,726	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
108,532		1949.....	14
6		acres grown alone 1949.....	15
12		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	137
64		1944 ²	253
dollars 1949.....	3,039	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	934
number 1949.....	68	1944 ²	326
1944.....	204	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	732
dollars 1949.....	9,603	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	100
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	127
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,423	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	202
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	39	bushels 1949.....	1,581
number 1949.....	62	1944.....	1,547
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	7	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	23	1949.....	17
number 1949.....	9	acres grown alone 1949.....	9
1944.....	33	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	153
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	36	bushels in shells 1949.....	21
1944.....	65	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	82
number 1949.....	53	1949.....	
1944.....	80	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,423	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	70
1944.....	1,467	tons 1949.....	
number 1949.....	3,091	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	3,665	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Meat, lard, hides, and other		1949.....	4
products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	42	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	6
dollars 1949.....	3,401	1944.....	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Corn:		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,440	1949.....	23
1944.....	1,489	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	109
acres 1949.....	16,496	1944.....	28
1944.....	18,202	acres grown alone 1949.....	41
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,434	1944.....	163
1944.....	1,487	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	16,365	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	28
1944.....	18,162	1949.....	41
bushels 1949.....	292,124	acres grown alone 1944.....	163
1944.....	294,988	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	11	Peanuts harvested for picking	
tons green weight 1949.....	100	or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Hogged or grazed, or cut for		1944.....	63
green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	16	acres grown alone 1949.....	19
acres 1949.....	120	1944 ³	72
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		pounds 1949.....	5,874
		1944.....	12,865
		Peanut vines or tops saved for	
		hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944.....	61
		acres grown alone 1949.....	11
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		tons 1949.....	4
		1944.....	77
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	837	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	7,600	.....acres 1949...	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	31	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	1	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	164	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	15	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949...	164	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	35	.....1944...	(*)
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	134	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944...	46	.....acres 1949...	4
.....acres 1949...	1,019	.....1944...	.....
.....1944...	185	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....tons 1949...	858	.....acres 1949...	2
.....1944...	232	.....1944...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	672	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	615		
.....acres 1949...	5,936	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	5,033	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....tons 1949...	5,861	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	4,977	.....quarts 1949...	256
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944...	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	467
.....acres 1949...	66	.....1945...	439
.....1944...	2	.....1950 ² ...	152
.....tons 1949...	48	.....acres 1945...	377
.....1944...	2	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	465
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	59	.....1945...	565
.....acres 1949...	411	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,540
.....1944...	373	.....1945...	5,353
.....tons 1949...	319	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,212
.....1944...	346	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
Stlage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,003
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1944...	1,750
.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	447
		.....1945...	749
Field crops (other):		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,693
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945...	14,623
.....1944...	31	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,566
.....acres 1949...	143	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,727
.....1944...	155	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,307
.....pounds 1949...	8,402	.....1944...	3,523
.....1944...	33,710	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	224
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945...	499
.....acres 1949...	30	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,212
.....bushels 1949...	216	.....1945...	1,257
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	833	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	456
.....1944...	968	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	756
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	86	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	334
.....1944...	1,700	.....1944...	1,075
.....bushels 1949...	9,034	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	93
.....1944...	11,981	.....1945...	54
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	560	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	215
.....1944...	857	.....1945...	366
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	85	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	56
.....1944...	216	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	119
.....bushels 1949...	8,566	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	163
.....1944...	18,472	.....1944...	379
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,418	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	106
.....1944...	1,446	.....1945...	162
.....acres 1949...	17,209	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	336
.....1944...	13,891	.....1945...	707
.....bales 1949...	7,170	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	132
.....1944...	9,957	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	192
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	13
.....acres 1949...	58	.....1944...	42
.....gallons 1949...	2,121	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	73
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes...farms reporting 1949...	(*) 1	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	159
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	67
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,504	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	125
.....1944...	1,555	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	87
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	146
.....1944...	11	.....1945...	216
.....acres 1949...	1	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	661
.....1944...	9	.....1945...	896
.....sold..dollars 1949...	137	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	257
.....1944...	1,434	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	544
Green beans (snap, string, or wax)....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,612
.....1944...	1	.....1944...	5,615
.....acres 1949...	(*)	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	119
.....1944...	(*)	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	558
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	289
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	508
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,234
.....1944...	1	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	23
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	27
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	140
		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...	.....

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	9,436	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	1,877
.....1945...	10,217	.....1945..	1,554
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	586,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	20
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	83.6	.....1945..	12
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	307,453	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	1,857
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	250,595	.....1945..	1,542
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	85,800	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	5,207
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	153,135	.....1945..	6,767
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	490,713	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	1,086
.....1945...	435,388	.....1945..	1,010
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	52.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	357
.....1945...	42.6	.....1945..	232
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,422	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	269
.....1945..	3,609	.....1945..	175
average per acre, dollars 1950*	113.47	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	150
.....1945..	84.70	.....1945..	92
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	75
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9,299	.....1945..	56
.....1944..	10,170	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	67
acres 1949...	315,058	.....1945..	30
.....1944..	310,665	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2,011	.....1945..	21
.....1944..	1,689	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	119
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4,124	.....1945..	126
.....1944..	5,085	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	120
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,272	.....1945..	102
.....1944..	1,821	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	67
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,023	.....1945..	52
.....1944..	892	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	429	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944..	319	White operators.....number 1950...	2,204
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	200	.....1945..	1,520
.....1944..	132	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	7,232
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	240	.....1945..	8,697
.....1944..	232	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	728	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,059
.....1944..	574	.....1945..	935
acres 1949...	22,193	Part owners.....number 1950...	326
.....1944..	9,156	.....1945..	87
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	1,124	Managers.....number 1950...	53
acres 1949...	35,851	.....1945..	88
.....1944..	22,532	All tenants.....number 1950...	7,998
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	338	.....1945..	9,107
.....1944..	140	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	84.8
acres 1949...	14,684	.....1945..	89.1
.....1944..	5,556	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	404
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	612	.....1945..	369
.....1944..	458	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	299
acres 1949...	65,322	.....1945..	145
.....1944..	30,965	Share tenants.....number 1950...	744
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	386	.....1945..	627
.....1944..	217	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	735
acres 1949...	6,776	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944..	21,440	Croppers.....number 1950...	6,423
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,700	.....1945..	7,549
.....1944..	3,574	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	128
acres 1949...	30,829	.....1945..	417
.....1944..	35,074	Other tenants.....number 1950...	20
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	108
.....1944..	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	496
.....1944..	.....	.....1945..	202
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	3,911
acres 1949...	.....	.....1945..	1,370
.....1944..	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	3,906
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.05
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	8,696	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	823
.....1945..	9,677	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	357
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	639	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	280
.....1945..	282	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,001
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting 1949...	1,325	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	575
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	3,469	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
.....1944..	637	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	18
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	797	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	415
.....1944..	173	.....number 1950...	635
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1950...	48
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	317
		.....number 1950...	355
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	38
		.....number 1950...	66
		Fit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....number 1950...	31

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,456	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	38
.....farms reporting 1945.....	632	.....number 1945.....	32
.....number 1950.....	1,876	General farms.....number 1950.....	20
.....number 1945.....	787	.....number 1945.....	20
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,717	.....number 1950.....	12
.....farms reporting 1945.....	716	.....number 1945.....	1,218
.....number 1950.....	4,369	.....number 1950.....	832
.....number 1945.....	1,471	.....number 1945.....	381
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,657	.....number 1945.....	5
.....number 1950.....	4,203		
.....number 1945.....	21	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	8,218
.....number 1950.....	108	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	99
.....number 1945.....	145	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	192
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	108	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	346
.....number 1950.....	2,281	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1,203
.....number 1945.....	1,925	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	3,336
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,078	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	3,042
.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,057	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,218
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ².....number 1950.....	832
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,160	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	381
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	247	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	5
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,236		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	720	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,073	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	22,565,468
		.....dollars 1944.....	16,832,671
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,438,632
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	15,465,603
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	948	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,398,142
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,089	.....dollars 1944.....	16,435,999
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,434	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,341
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	700	.....dollars 1944.....	5,508
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,076
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	24,095
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,148	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,073
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,042	.....dollars 1944.....	.....
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,646	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,116,820
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	181	.....dollars 1944.....	365,998
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.7	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	183,618
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	55,270
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	852	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	61,061
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,720	.....dollars 1944.....	31,476
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,257	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	872,141
		.....dollars 1944.....	279,252
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,016
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	1,070
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,757		
.....persons 1950.....	13,148	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,680	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,159
Operators.....persons 1950.....	6,474	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	530
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,196	.....farms reporting 1945.....	423
.....persons 1950.....	1,663	.....number 1950.....	1,441
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	660	.....number 1945.....	914
.....persons 1950.....	5,011	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,972
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,660
		.....number 1950.....	7,122
		.....number 1945.....	10,839
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	8,525	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	7,989	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,201
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	7,421	.....farms reporting 1945.....	4,944
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,648,366	.....number 1950.....	16,754
.....dollars 1949.....	4,119	.....number 1945.....	14,234
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,640,519	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,032
.....dollars 1949.....	3,486	.....farms reporting 1945 ³	4,614
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	494,787	.....number 1950.....	9,411
.....dollars 1949.....	2,171	.....number 1945 ³	8,642
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	4,226	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,854
.....dollars 1949.....	492,761	.....number 1950.....	4,610
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,785	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	888
.....dollars 1949.....	1,280,187	.....number 1950.....	2,531
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,707	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	502
.....dollars 1949.....	642,365	.....number 1950.....	1,851
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,222	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,009
.....dollars 1949.....	212,731	.....number 1950.....	3,001
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	132
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....farms reporting 1944.....	64
No sales.....number 1950.....	117	.....gallons 1949.....	408,559
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	269	.....gallons 1944.....	143,830
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	429	.....dollars 1949.....	174,015
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	599	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	71
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	2,007	.....farms reporting 1944.....	2
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	1,921	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	5,967
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	2,254	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	60
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	1,016	.....dollars 1949.....	3,215
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	280		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	244	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	143
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	291	.....dollars 1949.....	6,388
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	8,110	Hog and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,508
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	115	.....farms reporting 1945.....	6,764
Cotton.....number 1950.....	7,995	.....number 1950.....	24,545
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	23,856
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,740
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	16,133
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	18	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,635
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	15	.....farms reporting 1950.....	8,412
		.....number 1950.....	1,362
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,395
		.....number 1950.....	2,831
		.....number 1945.....	2,920

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	907 19,670	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	13 4 10 3
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	249 786 5,370 19,623 10,044 41,919	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	5 2 2 4 4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	33 9 744 142 781 185	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	2 2 2 4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	678 306 12,059 9,965 14,250 9,555	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	17 9 10 5 10 20 44
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	43 5 649 120 868 88	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944...	10 2 2,146
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	52 647 456 851 451	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons..green weight 1949...		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Field crops (other):		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... quarts 1949...	10 2
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... pounds 1949... 1944...	19 10 387 156 221,750 25,270	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949...	6 36 63	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... acres 1950 ² ... 1945...	1,313 56 742 200
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949 ³ ... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1,046 202 22 38 4,954 3,843	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	386 90 2,209 503 925 1,284 805 400
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949 ³ ... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1,891 565 37 220 15,709 17,469	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	1,057 196 9,107 3,023 2,982 6,125 7,644 4,733
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bales 1949... 1944...	9,131 10,039 210,583 161,335 131,864 149,065	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	400 111 1,111 391 444 667 979 1,189
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested For sirup.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... gallons 1949...	5 5 259	Cherries.....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...	42 9 70 37 53 17 25 27
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	316 76 1,770 313 499 1,271 561 263
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	5,828 8,628	Figs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	202 776 395 381 1,541
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	28 28 105 69 6,341 5,508	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... vines not of bearing age..number 1950... vines of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	97 8 513 46 324 189 1,080 350
Green beans (snap, string, or wax)....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	8 4 6 4	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	348 8,958 2,782 6,176 78,963 71
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	8 4	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	523 187 338 7,732
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	7 3 3 1	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...	
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	2 2		

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,167	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	196
1945.....	2,909	1945.....	145
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	378,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	77.4	1945.....	30
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	250,659	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	182
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	86,073	1945.....	115
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,503	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	750
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	46,868	1945.....	581
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	293,367	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	583
1945.....	265,181	1945.....	587
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	92.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	323
1945.....	91.2	1945.....	303
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	3,726	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	411
1945.....	2,078	1945.....	445
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	42.42	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	329
1945.....	22.79	1945.....	280
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	184
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,825	1945.....	234
1944.....	2,760	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	121
acres 1949.....	85,971	1945.....	118
1944.....	83,337	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	76
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	343	1945.....	69
1944.....	335	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	134
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	608	1945.....	107
1944.....	549	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	48
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	756	1945.....	31
1944.....	731	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	12
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	751	1945.....	9
1944.....	833		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	314	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	272	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	White operators.....number 1950...	2,549
1944.....	31	1945.....	2,356
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	618
1944.....	9	1945.....	553
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	480	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	408	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,430
acres 1949.....	9,335	1945.....	1,434
1944.....	5,554	Part owners.....number 1950...	322
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	837	1945.....	122
1944.....	9,957	Managers.....number 1950...	2
acres 1949.....	13,025	1945.....	2
1944.....	9,957	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,413
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,409	1945.....	1,353
1944.....	1,378	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	44.6
acres 1949.....	65,896	1945.....	46.5
1944.....	49,512	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	42
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,164	1945.....	17
1944.....	1,270	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949.....	75,026	1945.....	34
1944.....	61,730	Share tenants.....number 1950...	752
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,364	1945.....	556
1944.....	1,650	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	748
acres 1949.....	33,881	1945.....	4
1944.....	42,749	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,167	Croppers.....number 1950...	539
1944.....	2,850	1945.....	652
acres 1949.....	10,233	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	76
1944.....	12,342	1945.....	94
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Other tenants.....number 1950...	30
1944.....		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	46
acres 1949.....			
1944.....		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	127
acres 1949.....		1945.....	175
1944.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,492
		1945.....	585
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,481
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.26
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	317
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	213
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	174
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,319
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	282
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	90
		number 1950.....	91
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950.....	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	49
		number 1950.....	49
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950.....	10
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	16
		number 1950.....	21

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,006	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	182
.....1945.....	363	General farms.....number 1950...	250
.....number 1950.....	1,112	.....number 1950.....	86
.....1945.....	373	.....number 1950.....	35
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	659	.....number 1950.....	159
.....1945.....	257	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,173
.....number 1950.....	861		
.....1945.....	285		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	643	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	839	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,023
.....1945.....	16	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).number 1950...	3
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).number 1950...	14
.....number 1950.....	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).number 1950...	14
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).number 1950...	235
.....number 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).number 1950...	785
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	725	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹ .number 1950...	562
.....1945.....	598	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,144
.....number 1950.....	785	Part-time ².....number 1950...	543
.....1945.....	608	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold) ².....number 1950...	601
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	843		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	212	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,448	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,568,121
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	521	.....1944.....	2,665,180
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	143	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,517,992
		.....1944.....	2,035,783
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,511,311
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	2,016,567
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	343	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,815
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,157	.....1944.....	4,565
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	986	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,394
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	591	.....1944.....	13,411
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	665
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	1,700
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,308	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	927,041
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	255	.....1944.....	584,696
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	756	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	123,553
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	211	.....1944.....	87,892
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	141,106
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	193,673
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	366	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	662,382
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,790	.....1944.....	303,111
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	886	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	123,088
		.....1944.....	44,761
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,102
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,506	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	524
.....persons 1950.....	4,336	.....1945.....	1,522
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,500	.....number 1950.....	1,551
.....persons 1950.....	2,359	.....1945.....	1,733
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,223	.....number 1950.....	1,844
.....persons 1950.....	1,727	.....1945.....	4,352
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	113	.....1945.....	4,855
.....persons 1950.....	250		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,639	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,523
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,963	.....1945.....	2,641
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,732	.....number 1950...	16,449
.....dollars 1949.....	137,135	.....1945.....	17,303
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	992	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,454
.....dollars 1949.....	525,866	.....1945 ³	2,637
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,946	.....number 1950.....	8,747
.....dollars 1949.....	258,726	.....1945 ³	9,212
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,283	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,368
.....dollars 1949.....	179,450	.....number 1950.....	6,523
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,478	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,141
.....dollars 1949.....	68,412	.....number 1950.....	3,122
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	894	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	572
.....dollars 1949.....	126,376	.....number 1950.....	1,423
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	373	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,417
.....dollars 1949.....	39,845	.....number 1950.....	3,345
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,060	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	246
.....dollars 1949.....	30,497	.....1944.....	166
		.....gallons 1949...	335,340
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	195,541
No sales.....number 1950...	136	.....dollars 1949...	110,576
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	465	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	121
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	288	.....1944.....	303
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	431	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	14,779
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	587	.....1944.....	50,846
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	471	.....dollars 1949...	7,493
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	523		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	188	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	48	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,275
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	13	.....1945.....	2,144
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	17	.....number 1950...	14,463
		.....1945.....	11,251
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,912
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1,479	.....number 1950...	7,753
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	11	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,142
Cotton.....number 1950...	1,418	.....number 1950...	6,712
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	50	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	89
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	74
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	1,721
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	26	.....1945.....	1,100
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	25		

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Sorghums:	
1945.....	5	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	72
number 1950.....	4	1944.....	275
1945.....	94	acres 1949.....	236
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	1,040
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	2	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949.....	3
1945 ¹	5	1944.....	
number 1950.....	1	bushels 1949.....	22
1945 ¹	78	1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1950.....	1	acres 1949.....	124
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	tons..green weight 1949...	784
number 1950.....	2	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	5	acres 1949.....	109
number shorn 1949.....		tons cut 1949...	185
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	585	Small grains:	
1944.....		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949.....	8
		bushels 1949.....	65
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	50
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,750	acres 1949.....	589
1945.....	2,659	1944.....	1,829
number 1950.....	95,973	bushels 1949.....	16,873
1945.....	109,238	1944.....	49,072
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	860	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1949.....	37,134	acres 1949.....	117
dollars 1949.....	35,609	1944.....	95
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,670	acres 1949.....	539
dozens 1949.....	302,464	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949.....	105,206	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	349
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	21	acres grown alone 1949...	1,497
number 1950.....	64	1944 ²	1,874
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	23	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,367
1944.....	5	1944 ²	5,123
number 1949.....	128	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	37
1944.....	16	1944.....	23
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres grown alone 1949...	259
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	100
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,926	bushels 1949.....	3,439
dollars 1949.....	655,958	1944.....	503
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,488	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	241
1944.....	1,415	acres grown alone 1949...	998
number 1949.....	4,810	acres grown with other crops 1949...	373
1944.....	5,324	tons 1949.....	1,259
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	540	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949.....	1,304	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	84
dollars 1949.....	122,658	acres grown alone 1949...	221
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	acres grown with other crops 1949...	686
number 1949.....	3,506	Soybeans plowed under for green	
dollars 1949.....	178,574	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,204	acres grown alone 1949...	19
1944.....	944	acres grown with other crops 1949...	208
number 1949.....	13,128	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	226
1944.....	8,804	acres grown alone 1949...	488
dollars 1949.....	329,179	1944 ²	1,138
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...		acres grown with other crops 1949...	485
1944.....	3	1944 ²	2,128
number 1949.....	60	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	81
dollars 1949.....	255	1944.....	299
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	431	acres grown alone 1949...	54
1944.....	25,547	acres grown with other crops 1949...	147
		bushels 1949.....	535
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	2,809
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,500	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	56
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	102	acres grown alone 1949...	31
number 1949.....	135	acres grown with other crops 1949...	44
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1	bushels in shells 1949...	506
1944.....	25	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	67
number 1949.....	36	acres grown alone 1949...	283
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	101	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
1944.....	112	tons 1949...	307
number 1949.....	134	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,493	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	46
1944.....	2,547	acres grown alone 1949...	105
number 1949.....	5,512	acres grown with other crops 1949...	179
1944.....	7,203	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Meat, lard, hides, and other		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	21
products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	95	acres grown alone 1949...	15
dollars 1949.....	5,842	acres grown with other crops 1949...	100
		1944.....	106
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	42
Corn:		1944.....	141
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,625	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
1944.....	2,564	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	40,347	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	106
1944.....	41,648	acres grown alone 1949...	42
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,620	1944.....	141
1944.....	2,563	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
acres 1949.....	40,162	1944.....	2
1944.....	41,559	Peanuts harvested for picking	
bushels 1949.....	889,453	or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	106
1944.....	850,862	1944.....	94
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres grown alone 1949...	31
acres 1949.....	9	1944 ³	119
tons..green weight 1949...	80	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
Hogged or grazed, or cut for		pounds 1949.....	21,501
green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1944.....	39,145
acres 1949.....	176	Peanut vines or tops saved for	
		hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		1944.....	14
		acres grown alone 1949...	7
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	6
		1944.....	23
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949...	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,489	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	14,894	1944...	15
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		acres 1949...	3
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944...	26
1944...	6	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	13	1944...	(*)
1944...	40	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949...	306	1944...	15
1944...	41	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38	1944...	7
1944...	6	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949...	298	1944...	17
1944...	40	acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	306	1944...	6
1944...	41	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,324	1944...	22
1944...	1,245	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	13,105		
1944...	11,326	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	14,117	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	11,335	acres 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or		quarts 1949...	1,045
other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3		
1944...	6	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	22	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944...	45	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,271
tons 1949...	24	1945...	1,203
1944...	81	acres 1950 ² ...	287
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	184	1945...	787
acres 1949...	1,297	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,692
1944...	876	1945...	1,063
tons 1949...	1,199	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,796
1944...	755	1945...	8,973
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,940
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,856
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,155
tons..green weight 1949...		1944...	8,836
		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,132
		1945...	1,223
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	17,551
		1945...	26,536
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,223
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,332
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,853
		1944...	18,702
		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	623
		1945...	453
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,667
		1945...	1,176
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	651
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,016
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	514
		1944...	2,184
		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	139
		1945...	25
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	232
		1945...	58
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	135
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	97
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	232
		1944...	212
		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	325
		1945...	109
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,630
		1945...	485
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	323
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,377
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	276
		1944...	499
		Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	460
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	932
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	285
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	652
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,819
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	457
		1945...	139
		vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,881
		1945...	574
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	675
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,186
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,494
		1944...	4,758
		Improved pecans (budded, grafted,	
		or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	393
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,454
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	732
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,822
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,247
		Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	77
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	239
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	64
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	149
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,515
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945...	1
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
		1945...	1
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1
		1944...	1

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

For release September 1, 1951

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,798	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	179
1945...	2,860	1945...	78
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	408,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	25
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	79.0	1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	248,255	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	154
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	111,728	1945...	77
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	20,645	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	872
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	58,194	1945...	719
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	322,434	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	331
1945...	295,712	1945...	500
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	115.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	162
1945...	103.4	1945...	236
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	3,063	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	279
1945...	1,851	1945...	362
average per acre, dollars 1950*	28.46	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	267
1945...	17.90	1945...	328
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	234
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,513	1945...	243
1944...	2,754	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	144
acres 1949...	63,616	1945...	135
1944...	74,680	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	67
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	337	1945...	65
1944...	212	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	176
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	908	1945...	120
1944...	800	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	58
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	692	1945...	56
1944...	843	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	29
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	433	1945...	18
1944...	752		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	98	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	114	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	White operators.....number 1950...	1,255
1944...	18	1945...	1,157
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,543
1944...	15	1945...	1,703
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	605	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	169	Full owners.....number 1950...	932
acres 1949...	31,846	1945...	954
1944 ¹ ...	3,927	Part owners.....number 1950...	210
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	532	1945...	24
acres 1949...	14,746	Managers.....number 1950...	7
1944...	8,387	1945...	4
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,116	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,649
1944...	963	1945...	1,878
acres 1949...	68,589	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	58.9
1944...	44,139	1945...	65.7
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	905	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	96
1944...	1,046	1945...	153
acres 1949...	68,405	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
1944...	61,224	1945...	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	897	Share tenants.....number 1950...	737
1944 ¹ ...	1,769	1945...	691
acres 1949...	46,676	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	725
1944 ¹ ...	61,158	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	12
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,191	Croppers.....number 1950...	669
1944...	2,842	1945...	943
acres 1949...	28,556	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	140
1944...	22,217	1945...	91
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Other tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944...		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	115
acres 1949...			
1944...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	166
acres 1949...		1945...	99
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,531
		1945...	389
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,531
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.50
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	156
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	103
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	91
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	449
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	138
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	34
		number 1950...	46
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		number 1950...	9
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	13
		number 1950...	13
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	17
		number 1950...	29
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	4
		number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,696		
1945...	2,786		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	62		
1945...	37		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	568		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	703		
1944...	936		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	310		
1944...	187		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	615	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	278
.....1945.....	299	General farms.....number 1950.....	93
.....number 1950.....	708	.....number 1950.....	21
.....1945.....	513	.....number 1950.....	15
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	330	.....number 1950.....	57
.....1945.....	128	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,085
.....number 1950.....	456		
.....1945.....	170	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	310	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,758
.....number 1950.....	433	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	3
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	17
.....number 1950.....	23	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	28
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	615	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	96
.....1945.....	715	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	427
.....number 1950.....	720	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	1,187
.....1945.....	726	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,040
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	278
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	857	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	782
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	313	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,285		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	235	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	98	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,508,754
		.....1944.....	2,794,400
		.....1949.....	1,659,960
		.....1944.....	2,331,054
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,647,222
		.....1944.....	2,238,835
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,706
		.....1944.....	56,755
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5,632
		.....1944.....	38,843
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	400
		.....1944.....	820
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	735,185
		.....1944.....	431,521
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	100,171
		.....1944.....	115,197
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	46,345
		.....1944.....	63,039
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	589,669
		.....1944.....	253,265
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	112,609
		.....1944.....	31,825
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,867
		.....1950.....	1,092
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,168
		.....number 1950.....	1,886
		.....1945.....	1,888
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,653
		.....1945.....	2,081
		.....number 1950.....	3,885
		.....1945.....	4,338
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,157
		.....1945.....	2,540
		.....number 1950.....	22,664
		.....1945.....	21,758
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,124
		.....1945 ³	2,508
		.....number 1950.....	12,324
		.....1945 ³	11,987
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,920
		.....number 1950.....	7,009
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,047
		.....number 1950.....	3,310
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	758
		.....number 1950.....	2,635
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,238
		.....number 1950.....	4,395
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	256
		.....1944.....	365
		.....gallons 1949.....	292,816
		.....1944.....	367,826
		.....dollars 1949.....	93,279
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	68
		.....1944.....	58
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	9,028
		.....1944.....	8,658
		.....dollars 1949.....	4,753
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	31
		.....dollars 1949.....	2,129
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,224
		.....1945.....	2,378
		.....number 1950.....	14,923
		.....1945.....	13,213
		.....farms reporting 1950...	1,975
		.....number 1950.....	8,145
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,107
		.....number 1950.....	6,777
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,016
		.....1945.....	1,624
		.....number 1950.....	1,797
		.....1945.....	2,146

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

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Sorghums:	
1945.....	14	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	63
number 1950.....	175	1944.....	33
1945.....	463	acres 1949.....	259
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	272
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	104	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	acres 1949.....	15
1945.....	13	1944.....	
number 1950.....	92	bushels 1949.....	350
1945.....	354	1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950.....	12	acres 1949.....	87
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	tons..green weight 1949.....	803
number 1950.....	71	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	57
1944.....	7	acres 1949.....	157
number shorn 1949.....	79	tons cut 1949.....	63
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	585	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	1,220	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	37
		bushels 1949.....	1,000
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,357	acres 1949.....	26
1945.....	2,634	1944.....	208
number 1950.....	86,252	acres 1949.....	1,327
1945.....	86,382	bushels 1949.....	4,037
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	228	1944.....	44,725
number 1949.....	11,983	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
dollars 1949.....	12,401	acres 1949.....	44
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	511	1944.....	96
dozens 1949.....	89,320	acres 1944.....	310
dollars 1949.....	32,575	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	59	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	355
number 1950.....	128	acres grown alone 1949.....	2,868
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	54	1944 ²	1,979
1944.....	84	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,750
number 1949.....	362	1944 ²	2,690
1944.....	696	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	59
		1944.....	61
		acres grown alone 1949.....	1,755
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	87
		bushels 1949.....	27,761
		1944.....	3,761
		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	102
		acres grown alone 1949.....	640
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	153
		tons 1949.....	2,075
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	158
		acres grown alone 1949.....	315
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,177
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	42
		acres grown alone 1949.....	158
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	323
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	709
		acres grown alone 1949.....	1,594
		1944 ²	2,362
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,933
		1944 ²	2,425
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	345
		1944.....	669
		acres grown alone 1949.....	622
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	592
		bushels 1949.....	2,650
		1944.....	9,233
		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	151
		acres grown alone 1949.....	112
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	83
		bushels in shells 1949.....	1,387
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	48
		acres grown alone 1949.....	157
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	85
		tons 1949.....	133
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	295
		acres grown alone 1949.....	584
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	1,065
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	27
		acres grown alone 1949.....	119
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	110
		Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	200
		acres grown alone 1949.....	147
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	217
		1944.....	1
		Peanuts harvested for picking	
		or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	191
		1944.....	180
		acres grown alone 1949.....	67
		1944 ²	186
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		pounds 1949.....	37,781
		1944.....	41,204
		Peanut vines or tops saved for	
		hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
		1944.....	57
		acres grown alone 1949.....	15
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		tons 1949.....	22
		1944.....	70
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	676	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949.....	6,583	1944.....	70
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	1	1944.....	57
acres 1949.....	22	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	5	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	23	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	5	1944.....	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	47	acres 1949.....	19
1944.....	12	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	305	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944.....	128	1944.....	38
tons 1949.....	334	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	159	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	480	acres 1949.....	20
1944.....	559	1944.....	42
acres 1949.....	4,670	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	4,102	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	5,208	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	4,610	acres 1949.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quarts 1949.....	300
1944.....	1	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	24	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	824
1944.....	1	1945.....	1,117
tons 1949.....	15	acres 1950 ²	351
1944.....	2	1945.....	659
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	164	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	504
acres 1949.....	1,347	1945.....	530
1944.....	689	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,305
tons 1949.....	1,560	1945.....	3,614
1944.....	702	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,926
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,379
acres 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,858
tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	1944.....	3,747
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	707
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	1,095
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,827
acres 1949.....	42	1945.....	24,350
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,158
pounds 1949.....	6,485	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,669
1944.....	1,800	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,742
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	26,412
acres 1949.....	42	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	396
bushels 1949.....	53	1945.....	569
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	401	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,145
1944.....	801	1945.....	2,344
acres 1949 ¹	29	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	419
1944.....	284	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	655
bushels 1949.....	3,494	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	114
1944.....	24,585	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	45
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	583	1945.....	13
1944.....	1,487	trees of all ages..number 1950...	94
acres 1949 ¹	202	1945.....	21
1944.....	656	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	61
bushels 1949.....	13,883	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	33
1944.....	63,562	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	759
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,200	1944.....	183
1944.....	2,511	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	96
acres 1949.....	24,124	1945.....	116
1944.....	24,742	trees of all ages..number 1950...	286
bales 1949.....	9,756	1945.....	409
1944.....	16,607	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	138
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	198	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	145
1944.....	182	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	161
acres 1949.....	10,424	1944.....	211
gallons 1949.....	2	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	299
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	899
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	318
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,197	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	581
1944.....	2,753	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14,654
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	32	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	137
1944.....	547	1945.....	44
acres 1949.....	84	1950.....	424
1944.....	536	1945.....	199
acres 1949.....	6,708	vines of all ages..number 1950...	244
1944.....	56,756	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	160
Green beans (snap, string, or wax)....farms reporting 1949...	21	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,731
1944.....	21	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,050
acres 1949.....	6	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	229
1944.....	10	1950.....	1,220
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	22	trees of all ages..number 1950...	378
acres 1949.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	842
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,226
1944.....	7	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	63
acres 1949.....	3	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	834
1944.....	2	1950.....	40
acres 1949.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	794
Cantaloupes and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11,403
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
		Tung nuts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		1945.....	.....
		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.....

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Farms.....number 1950...	2,948	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	186
.....1945...	2,8051945...	86
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	323,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	78.7	.....1945...	20
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	201,754	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	157
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	95,208	.....1945...	66
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,395	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	857
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	48,486	.....1945...	716
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	254,871	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	597
.....1945...	240,881	.....1945...	616
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	86.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	279
.....1945...	85.9	.....1945...	317
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	3,203	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	349
.....1945...	1,909	.....1945...	359
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	38.78	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	280
.....1945...	22.23	.....1945...	272
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	165
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,712	.....1945...	194
.....1944...	2,680	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	65
.....acres 1949...	78,033	.....1945...	80
.....1944...	78,883	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	53
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	351	.....1945...	42
.....1944...	213	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	119
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	790	.....1945...	98
.....1944...	755	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	59
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	741	.....1945...	55
.....1944...	787	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	540	.....1945...	10
.....1944...	671	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	217	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	195	White operators.....number 1950...	1,575
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	.....1945...	1,414
.....1944...	39	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1,375
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	78	.....1945...	1,591
.....1944...	20	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	295	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,065
.....1944 ¹ ...	152	.....1945...	905
.....acres 1949...	8,268	Part owners.....number 1950...	302
.....1944 ¹ ...	5,002	.....1945...	141
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	667	Managers.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	7,769	.....1945...	5
.....acres 1949...	13,865	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,580
.....1944...	7,769	.....1945...	1,754
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,178	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	55.6
.....1944...	928	.....1945...	62.5
.....acres 1949...	50,789	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	94
.....1944...	51,890	.....1945...	121
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	801	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	633	.....1945...	24
.....acres 1949...	33,376	Share tenants.....number 1950...	785
.....1944...	22,231	.....1945...	816
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,407	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	775
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,989	.....1945...	10
.....acres 1949...	58,882	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	648
.....1944 ¹ ...	78,727	.....1945...	754
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,151	Croppers.....number 1950...	47
.....1944...	2,788	.....1945...	59
.....acres 1949...	13,610	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	18
.....1944...	18,679	.....1945...	29
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	1	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	292
.....acres 1949...	1	.....1945...	125
.....1944...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,559
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	517
.....acres 1949...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,989
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.66
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,825	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	404
.....1945...	2,701	.....farms reporting 1950...	255
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	85	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	150
.....1945...	65	.....farms reporting 1950...	776
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	702	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	200
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	851	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	26
.....1944...	428	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	88
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	949	.....farms reporting 1950...	55
.....1944...	155	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	64
		.....number 1950...	55
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	54
		.....number 1950...	6
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	5
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
	number 1950...	5

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	548	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	157
.....1945...	298	General farms.....number 1950...	158
.....number 1950...	591	.....1945...	
.....1945...	314	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	40
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	469	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	195	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	105
.....number 1950...	572	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	922
.....1945...	221		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	469	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	569	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,955
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
.....number 1950...	1	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	19
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	19
.....number 1950...	2	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	41
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	655	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	510
.....1945...	455	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	1,323
.....number 1950...	655	Other farms.....number 1950...	983
.....1945...	482	Part-time ².....number 1950...	599
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	587
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	863	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	170		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,446	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	409	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,866,753
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	60	.....1944...	3,073,445
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,720,102
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	2,108,551
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,709,653
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	207	.....1944...	2,038,850
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,071	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	4,552
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,105	.....1944...	4,710
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	522	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,452
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944...	8,662
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,440
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,628	.....1944...	4,049
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	200	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,115,378
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	618	.....1944...	948,663
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	434,847
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.8	.....1944...	455,665
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	50,590
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	304	.....1944...	129,512
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,714	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	627,941
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	858	.....1944...	581,438
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	53,273
FARM LABOR*		.....1944...	20,212
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,593	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,024
.....persons 1950...	3,940	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,195
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,580	.....1945...	1,278
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,450	.....number 1950...	2,355
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	852	.....1945...	2,442
.....persons 1950...	1,229	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,612
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	126	.....1945...	1,662
.....persons 1950...	261	.....number 1950...	4,323
		.....1945...	5,063
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,872	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,511
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,990	.....1945...	2,428
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,795	.....number 1950...	23,511
.....dollars 1949...	153,415	.....1945...	25,658
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	919	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,671
.....dollars 1949...	185,323	.....1945 ³ ...	2,423
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,782	.....number 1950...	13,847
.....dollars 1949...	246,937	.....1945 ³ ...	14,927
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	809	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,157
.....dollars 1949...	187,592	.....number 1950...	5,745
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,738	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,108
.....dollars 1949...	89,768	.....number 1950...	3,772
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	674	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	45
.....dollars 1949...	156,986	.....number 1950...	2,223
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	351	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,179
.....dollars 1949...	61,656	.....number 1950...	4,545
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,469	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	57
.....dollars 1949...	55,505	.....1944...	1,181
		.....gallons 1949...	1,551,331
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1949...	1,846,732
No sales.....number 1950...	111	.....1944...	450,623
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	476	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	438	.....1944...	33
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	377	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	6,520
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	679	.....dollars 1949...	8,453
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	387	.....1949...	3,755
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	348	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	72	.....dollars 1949...	59
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	24		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	14	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	22	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,027
		.....1945...	2,021
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	9,559
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1,569	.....1945...	9,623
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	29	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,663
Cotton.....number 1950...	1,283	.....number 1950...	5,704
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	57	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	87
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	4,231
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	751
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	290	.....1945...	931
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	4	.....number 1950...	1,321
		.....1945...	1,421

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

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Sorghums:	
1945... 7		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	58
number 1950... 162		1944... 124	
1945 ¹ ... 246		acres 1949... 225	
Sheep and lambs born before		1944... 559	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950... 105		1944... ..	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 6		acres 1949... 20	
1945 ¹ ... 7		1944... ..	
number 1950... 92		bushels 1949... 300	
1945 ¹ ... 147		1944... ..	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number 1950... 13		acres 1949... 114	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	tons..green weight 1949... 1,139	
number 1950... 57		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944... 7		acres 1949... 69	
number shorn 1949... 29		tons cut 1949... 51	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 115		Small grains:	
1944... 901		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Average date of enumeration.....1950... Apr. 15-Apr. 25		acres 1949... 76	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949... 1,085	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,581	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	39
1945... 2,565		1944... 55	
number 1950... 88,643		acres 1949... 950	
1945... 92,287		1944... 1,136	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	377	bushels 1949... 25,110	
number 1949... 11,073		1944... 58,264	
dollars 1949... 10,752		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	883	1944... 62	
dozens 1949... 94,141		acres 1949... 183	
dollars 1949... 34,914		1944... 518	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	101	Annual legumes:	
number 1950... 588		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	404
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	96	acres grown alone 1949... 3,397	
1944... 144		1944 ² ... 2,846	
number 1949... 1,440		acres grown with other crops 1949... 923	
1944... 2,080		1944 ² ... 1,947	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	45
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres grown alone 1949... 26	
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,586	acres grown with other crops 1949... 984	
dollars 1949... 625,758		bushels 1949... 12,724	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,320	1944... 3,487	
1944... 1,128		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	240
number 1949... 7,249		acres grown alone 1949... 2,046	
1944... 7,504		acres grown with other crops 1949... 287	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	547	tons 1949... 2,483	
number 1949... 2,376		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949... 252,637		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	76
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,149	acres grown alone 1949... 286	
number 1949... 4,873		acres grown with other crops 1949... 356	
dollars 1949... 201,728		Soybeans plowed under for green	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	806	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944... 771		acres grown alone 1949... 81	
number 1949... 7,711		acres grown with other crops 1949... 27	
dollars 1949... 156,943		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	278
1944... 7,535		acres grown alone 1949... 465	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944 ² ... 1,545	
1944... 2		acres grown with other crops 1949... 277	
number 1949... 84		1944 ² ... 197	
1944... 4		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	34
dollars 1949... 984		1944... 117	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	113	acres grown alone 1949... 47	
number 1949... 303		acres grown with other crops 1949... 27	
dollars 1949... 13,466		bushels 1949... 309	
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944... 1,478	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,221	Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	48
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	103	acres grown alone 1949... 52	
number 1949... 150		acres grown with other crops 1949... 14	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	2	bushels in shells 1949... 1,442	
1944... 23		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	68
number 1949... 5		acres grown alone 1949... 200	
1944... 98		acres grown with other crops 1949... 45	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	102	tons 1949... 221	
1944... 62		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949... 147		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	75
1944... 202		acres grown alone 1949... 138	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,215	acres grown with other crops 1949... 161	
1944... 2,289		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
number 1949... 4,786		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944... 6,278		acres grown alone 1949... 28	
Meat, lard, hides, and other		acres grown with other crops 1949... 50	
products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	15	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	109
dollars 1949... 1,757		acres grown alone 1949... 122	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944... 220	
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949... 96	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,376	1944... 2	
1944... 2,516		Peanuts harvested for picking	
acres 1949... 28,969		or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	105
1944... 32,677		1944... 187	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,320	acres grown alone 1949... 74	
1944... 2,515		1944 ³ ... 200	
acres 1949... 28,283		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
1944... 32,642		pounds 1949... 27,759	
bushels 1949... 545,510		1944... 61,466	
1944... 692,404		Peanut vines or tops saved for	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949... 69		1944... 75	
tons..green weight 1949... 300		acres grown alone 1949... 5	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	61	tons 1949... 4	
acres 1949... 617		1944... 100	
		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	..
		acres grown alone 1949... ..	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
		bushels 1949... ..	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and 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...	1,232	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	16,631	1944...	6
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres 1949...	6
1944...	15	1944...	4
acres 1949...	149	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	256	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	283	Green peas (English).....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944...	467	acres 1949...	5
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	65	acres 1949...	3
1944...	17	1944...	1
acres 1949...	524	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944...	102	acres 1949...	6
tons 1949...	489	acres 1949...	5
1944...	106	1944...	2
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	625	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944...	659	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	5,912	1944...	2
1944...	5,859	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	6,777	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	7,071	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19	acres 1949...	6
1944...	4	quarts 1949...	4,101
acres 1949...	209	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	38	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	652
tons 1949...	221	1945...	524
1944...	35	acres 1950...	308
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	681	1945...	355
acres 1949...	9,892	1945...	611
1944...	10,171	acres 1945...	406
tons 1949...	9,645	farms reporting 1950...	5,529
1944...	12,791	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,046
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	2,924
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,605
tons..green weight 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,278
Field crops (other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,605
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	40	1944...	869
1944...	24	acres 1945...	518
acres 1949...	480	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,114
1944...	208	1945...	11,937
pounds 1949...	82,122	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,141
1944...	45,306	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,973
Crimson clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,652
acres 1949...	24	1944...	7,198
bushels 1949...	70	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	288
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	472	1945...	1,111
1944...	371	trees of all ages..number 1950...	914
acres 1949...	26	1945...	515
1944...	87	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	596
bushels 1949...	3,812	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	644
1944...	5,102	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,058
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	724	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	70
1944...	844	1945...	16
acres 1949...	714	1945...	135
1944...	688	trees of all ages..number 1950...	85
bushels 1949...	69,475	1945...	98
1944...	76,394	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	37
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,258	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	161
1944...	2,299	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	240
acres 1949...	25,345	1944...	127
1944...	21,722	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	78
bales 1949...	9,719	1945...	415
1944...	15,878	1945...	329
Sugarcane or sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	117	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	212
acres 1949...	113	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	203
gallons 1949...	4,923	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	154
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	114
acres 1949...	6	Figs.....farms reporting 1950...	206
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,530	trees of all ages..number 1950...	501
1944...	2,670	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	191
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	310
1944...	42	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,291
acres 1949...	33	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	203
1944...	64	1945...	86
acres 1949...	4,552	1945...	1,018
1944...	4,710	acres 1945...	442
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	15	vines of all ages..number 1950...	408
1944...	4	1945...	612
acres 1949...	5	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,859
1944...	1	1945...	5,525
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949...	2	Improved pecans (budded, grafted, or top-worked).....farms reporting 1950...	250
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	1,384
1944...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	551
acres 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	815
1944...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,861
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	27
acres 1949...	2	Wild or seedling pecans.....farms reporting 1950...	95
	2	1945...	23
	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	85
	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	930
	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5
	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7
	2	1945...	7
	2	1945...	7
	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
	2	1944...	

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,721	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	51
1945.....	1,761	1945.....	46
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	266,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	66.6	1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	161,379	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	50
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	27,292	1945.....	45
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	380	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	243
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	10,840	1945.....	272
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	178,211	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	216
1945.....	183,833	1945.....	203
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	103.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	160
1945.....	104.4	1945.....	188
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	2,832	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	371
1945.....	1,295	1945.....	358
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	26.12	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	303
1945.....	12.41	1945.....	285
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	158
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,564	1945.....	165
1944.....	1,698	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	83
acres 1949.....	32,694	1945.....	104
1944.....	36,392	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	52
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	287	1945.....	47
1944.....	255	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	69
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	609	1945.....	77
1944.....	628	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	10
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	388	1945.....	12
1944.....	464	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	208	1945.....	4
1944.....	281	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	59	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	64	White operators.....number 1950...	1,331
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945.....	1,319
1944.....	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	390
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	442
1944.....	2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	361	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,269
1944.....	87	1945.....	1,154
acres 1949.....	7,149	Part owners.....number 1950...	109
1944.....	1,485	1945.....	85
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	864	Managers.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	12,481	1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	9,152	All tenants.....number 1950...	342
1944.....	1,033	1945.....	521
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	662	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.2
1944.....	39,487	1945.....	29.6
acres 1949.....	26,330	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	45
1944.....	1,066	1945.....	38
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,185	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
1944.....	57,346	1945.....	86
acres 1949.....	64,823	Share tenants.....number 1950...	124
1944.....		1945.....	151
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,024	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	123
1944.....	1,340	1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	22,169	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	113
1944.....	41,334	1945.....	211
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,543	Croppers.....number 1950...	58
1944.....	1,740	1945.....	35
acres 1949.....	6,885	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
1944.....	4,317	1945.....	32
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
1944.....		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	51
1944.....		1945.....	58
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,096
acres 1949.....		1945.....	98
1944.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,096
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.21
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	133
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	81
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	91
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	382
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	373	Livestock: farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	93
.....farms reporting 1945.....	201	General farms.....number 1950.....	163
.....number 1950.....	413	.....number 1950.....	34
.....number 1945.....	212	.....number 1950.....	29
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	193	.....number 1950.....	100
.....farms reporting 1945.....	65	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,113
.....number 1950.....	198		
.....number 1945.....	68		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	183		
.....number 1950.....	188		
.....number 1950.....	.....	
.....number 1950.....	.....	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	
.....number 1950.....	.....	
.....number 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	367		
.....number 1945.....	323		
.....number 1950.....	378		
.....number 1945.....	326		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	367		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	323		
.....number 1950.....	378		
.....number 1945.....	326		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	326		
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.....	857		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	163		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	30		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	646
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	807	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	9
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	522	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	267	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	49
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	176
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	411
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	601	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,075
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	110	Part-time.....number 1950.....	365
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	471	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	710
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	62	Abnormal.....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	240		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	972		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	464		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	937,758
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,424	.....dollars 1944.....	886,494
.....persons 1950.....	2,383	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	408,301
.....persons 1950.....	1,399	.....dollars 1944.....	646,478
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,399	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	388,107
.....persons 1950.....	1,318	.....dollars 1944.....	622,148
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,318	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,817
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	592	.....dollars 1944.....	1,946
.....persons 1950.....	972	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,678
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	66	.....dollars 1944.....	8,500
.....persons 1950.....	93	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,699
		.....dollars 1944.....	14,084
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	421,277
		.....dollars 1944.....	240,096
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	118,587
		.....dollars 1944.....	57,083
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	52,641
		.....dollars 1944.....	80,404
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	250,049
		.....dollars 1944.....	102,609
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	108,180
		.....dollars 1944.....	81,920
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,361
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	588
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	747
		.....number 1950.....	885
		.....number 1945.....	1,154
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,085
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,273
		.....number 1950.....	2,175
		.....number 1945.....	2,654
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,504
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,659
		.....number 1950.....	9,613
		.....number 1945.....	9,567
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,486
		.....farms reporting 1945 ¹	1,619
		.....number 1950.....	4,770
		.....number 1945 ¹	5,271
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,450
		.....number 1950.....	4,394
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	744
		.....number 1950.....	1,845
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	462
		.....number 1950.....	1,041
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	858
		.....number 1950.....	1,857
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	254
		.....farms reporting 1944.....	79
		.....gallons 1949.....	296,365
		.....gallons 1944.....	114,657
		.....dollars 1949.....	106,248
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	119
		.....farms reporting 1944.....	296
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	21,125
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	62,293
		.....dollars 1949.....	11,173
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	34
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,166
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,278
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,281
		.....number 1950.....	4,798
		.....number 1945.....	4,029
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,027
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,893
		.....number 1950.....	540
		.....number 1950.....	1,805
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	329
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	264
		.....number 1950.....	540
		.....number 1945.....	574
		.....number 1950.....	540
		.....number 1945.....	574

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Sorghums:	
1945.....	7	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1950.....	18	1944.....	82
1945.....	91	acres 1949.....	69
1944.....		1944.....	179
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	13	1944.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	3	acres 1949.....	2
1945.....	6	1944.....	42
number 1950.....	13	bushels 1949.....	2
1945.....	59	1944.....	2
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	10
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	tons..green weight 1949...	65
number 1950.....	5	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	32
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	59
1944.....	5	tons out 1949...	69
number shorn 1949.....	19	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	106	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	135	acres 1949.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	bushels 1949.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,548	1944.....	31
1945.....	1,665	acres 1949.....	81
number 1950.....	44,576	1944.....	498
1945.....	59,965	bushels 1949.....	1,132
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	408	1944.....	9,000
number 1949.....	11,598	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	47
dollars 1949.....	11,199	1944.....	104
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	813	acres 1949.....	138
dozens 1949.....	107,740	1944.....	461
dollars 1949.....	40,148	Annual legumes:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	26	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	299
number 1950.....	86	acres grown alone 1949.....	701
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1944.....	601
1944.....	4	acres grown with other crops 1949...	767
number 1949.....	291	1944.....	514
1944.....	36	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	41
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	18
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,049	acres grown alone 1949.....	239
dollars 1949.....	248,271	acres grown with other crops 1949...	47
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	831	bushels 1949.....	2,791
1944.....	703	1944.....	947
number 1949.....	2,607	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	235
1944.....	2,284	acres grown alone 1949...	378
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	451	acres grown with other crops 1949...	508
number 1949.....	1,090	tons 1949.....	557
dollars 1949.....	107,121	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	25
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	647	acres grown alone 1949...	76
number 1949.....	1,517	acres grown with other crops 1949...	131
dollars 1949.....	59,148	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	563	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944.....	393	acres grown with other crops 1949...	81
number 1949.....	4,182	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	294
1944.....	2,424	acres grown alone 1949...	428
dollars 1949.....	74,517	1944.....	1,161
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres grown with other crops 1949...	601
1944.....	2	1944.....	197
number 1949.....	87	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	198
1944.....	15	acres grown alone 1949...	367
dollars 1949.....	920	acres grown with other crops 1949...	172
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	83	bushels 1949.....	318
number 1949.....	122	1944.....	1,597
dollars 1949.....	6,565	1944.....	3,930
FARM SLAUGHTER		Cowpeas harvested for green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	58
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,370	acres grown alone 1949...	22
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	85	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
number 1949.....	70	bushels in shells 1949...	622
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	35
1944.....	30	acres grown alone 1949...	101
number 1949.....	1	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
1944.....	35	tons 1949...	86
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	83	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	40
1944.....	59	acres grown alone 1949...	50
number 1949.....	89	acres grown with other crops 1949...	123
1944.....	80	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	42
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,366	acres grown alone 1949...	83
1944.....	1,476	acres grown with other crops 1949...	130
number 1949.....	2,789	Peanuts grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	232
1944.....	3,211	acres grown alone 1949...	99
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered...farms reporting 1949...	27	1944.....	138
dollars 1949.....	1,266	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944.....	5
Corn:		Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting 1949...	232
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,505	1944.....	93
1944.....	1,633	acres grown alone 1949...	71
acres 1949.....	16,879	1944.....	127
1944.....	21,072	acres grown with other crops 1949...	42,250
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,502	pounds 1949...	19,422
1944.....	1,632	Peanut vines or tops saved for hay or forage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
acres 1949.....	18,819	1944.....	12
1944.....	21,047	acres grown alone 1949...	11
bushels 1949.....	276,687	acres grown with other crops 1949...	11
1944.....	340,461	tons 1949...	11
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	18
acres 1949.....		Velvetbeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons..green weight 1949.....		acres grown alone 1949...	8
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	15	acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	60	bushels 1949...	90

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

³Acres grown alone and grown with other crops.