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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,289	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	224
1945...	3,482	1945...	238
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	402,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	28
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	77.2	1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	235,259	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	196
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	95,986	1945...	233
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,772	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	564
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	26,102	1945...	621
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	310,915	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	693
1945...	311,263	1945...	727
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	94.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	259
1945...	89.4	1945...	233
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	6,252	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	520
1945...	3,785	1945...	615
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	65.48	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	331
1945...	42.34	1945...	368
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	245
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,189	1945...	273
1944...	2,492	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	146
acres 1949...	99,222	1945...	152
1944...	130,815	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	107
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	574	1945...	83
1944...	443	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	165
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	397	1945...	141
1944...	411	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	30
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	256	1945...	23
1944...	310	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	336	1945...	8
1944...	440	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	360	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	516	White operators.....number 1950...	3,284
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	197	1945...	3,477
1944...	301	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	69	1945...	5
1944...	71	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,714	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,251
1944 ¹ ...	1,631	1945...	2,385
acres 1949...	50,032	Part owners.....number 1950...	500
1944 ¹ ...	48,771	1945...	322
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	6
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	560	1945...	7
acres 1949...	12,076	All tenants.....number 1950...	532
1944...	5,607	1945...	768
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,712	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	16.2
1944...	1,353	1945...	22.1
acres 1949...	64,027	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	247
1944...	47,108	1945...	523
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	690	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	62
1944...	599	1945...	13
acres 1949...	19,913	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	93
1944...	12,048	1945...	166
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	75
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,536	1945...	18
1944 ¹ ...	1,648	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	130
acres 1949...	50,968	1945...	66
1944 ¹ ...	53,796	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	46
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	84
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	3,225	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	3,475	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,344
acres 1949...	14,677	1945...	736
1944...	13,118	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,770
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	1,478
1944...	13	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,765
acres 1949...	13	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.21
1944...	2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,695
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945...	517
acres 1949...	12	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	152
FARM OPERATORS		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	2,194
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,192	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	312
1945...	3,383	1945...	31
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	63	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	423
1945...	69	1945...	123
With other income of family exceeding value		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	129
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,441	1945...	27
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,559	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	27
1944...	893	1945...	70
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,059	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	70
1944...	786	1945...	128
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	132
		1945...	45
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		1945...	45
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		1945...	45

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...	1,275	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	251
.....1945.....	987	General farms.....number 1950...	251
.....number 1950.....	1,370	.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	1,029	.....number 1950.....	87
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,075	.....number 1950.....	153
.....1945.....	634	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,465
.....number 1950.....	1,253		
.....1945.....	677		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	970		
.....number 1950.....	1,075		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	150		
.....number 1950.....	150		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	28		
.....number 1950.....	28		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,079		
.....1945.....	2,461		
.....number 1950.....	2,312		
.....1945.....	2,558		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	953		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	416		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	831		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	543*		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	543		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,824
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,077	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	74
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,367	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	190
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	621	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	428
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	698
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	433
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	832	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,465
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	315	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	651
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,452	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	804
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	310	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	10
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.9		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	673		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,257		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,245		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,858,839
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,800	.....1944.....	4,585,418
.....persons 1950.....	4,987	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,059,312
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,794	.....1944.....	756,214
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,604	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	668,864
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,377	.....1944.....	508,713
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,947	.....1949.....	44,967
.....persons 1950.....	260	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1944.....	27,134
	436	.....1949.....	143,555
		.....1944.....	44,700
		.....1949.....	201,926
		.....1944.....	175,677
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,777,642
		.....1944.....	3,811,450
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,345,098
		.....1944.....	2,087,415
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	728,975
		.....1944.....	667,374
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,703,569
		.....1944.....	1,056,661
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	21,885
		.....1944.....	17,754
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,853
		.....1950.....	1,763
		.....number 1945.....	2,119
		.....number 1950.....	3,797
		.....number 1945.....	5,257
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	182
		.....1945.....	430
		.....number 1950.....	282
		.....number 1945.....	839
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	3,014
		.....1945.....	3,254
		.....number 1950.....	39,743
		.....number 1945.....	38,537
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,873
		.....1945 ³	3,141
		.....number 1950.....	20,101
		.....number 1945 ³	24,517
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,751
		.....number 1950.....	17,998
		.....number 1950.....	2,129
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	10,398
		.....number 1950.....	1,142
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,143
		.....number 1950.....	1,845
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	6,141
		.....number 1950.....	2,054
		.....number 1949.....	2,198
		.....pounds 1949.....	66,389,363
		.....1944.....	70,372,278
		.....dollars 1949.....	2,326,637
		.....1944.....	132
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	148
		.....1944.....	36,660
		.....dollars 1949.....	67,845
		.....1949.....	17,581
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	23
		.....dollars 1949.....	880
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,444
		.....1945.....	1,409
		.....number 1950.....	13,342
		.....1945.....	10,944
		.....number 1950.....	1,246
		.....number 1950.....	6,576
		.....number 1950.....	732
		.....number 1950.....	6,766
		.....number 1950.....	780
		.....number 1945.....	782
		.....number 1950.....	1,819
		.....1945.....	1,528

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...	109	Sorghums:	
1945.....	239	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	270
number 1950...	3,780	1944...	416
1945.....	6,279	acres 1949...	2,137
1944.....		1944...	3,836
Sheep and lambs born before		farms reporting 1949...	40
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	107	1944...	37
number 1950...	2,161	acres 1949...	355
1944.....	104	1944...	364
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	221	bushels 1949...	7,612
number 1950...	1,842	1944...	3,860
1945.....	5,259	farms reporting 1949...	86
1944.....	70	acres 1949...	912
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	319	tons..green weight 1949...	7,637
number 1950...	91		
1944.....	1,619	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	112	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	153
number 1950...	211	acres 1949...	870
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1944...	2,233	tons out 1949...	1,744
number shorn 1949...	14,445		
1944.....	28,509	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1944...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		acres 1949...	580
		bushels 1949...	10,380
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,653	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	524
1945.....	3,023	acres 1949...	868
number 1950...	169,981	1944...	18,645
1945.....	198,600	acres 1944...	26,953
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,155	bushels 1949...	279,334
number 1949...	413,498	1944...	485,143
dollars 1949...	355,612	Oats-threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	847
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,606	acres 1949...	759
dozens 1949...	905,184	1944...	23,437
dollars 1949...	336,158	acres 1944...	21,809
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	34	bushels 1949...	538,019
number 1950...	343	1944...	430,947
1944.....	38		
number 1949...	17	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	349
1944.....	5,891	acres 1944...	907
number 1944...	7,128	acres 1949...	3,792
		1944...	12,676
		acres 1949...	157
		1944...	173
		acres 1944...	2,132
		bushels 1949...	2,156
		1944...	42,502
		1944...	50,563
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	42
		acres 1944...	132
		acres 1949...	353
		bushels 1944...	1,562
		bushels 1949...	4,457
		1944...	22,088
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	260
		acres grown alone 1949...	3,131
		1944?	2,280
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	31
		1944?	13
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	69
		acres grown alone 1949...	26
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,296
		bushels 1949...	4
		1944...	12,891
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	4,849
		bushels 1949...	195
		1944...	1,618
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	27
		acres grown alone 1949...	1,961
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		acres grown alone 1949...	79
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		acres grown alone 1949...	138
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	38
		acres grown alone 1949...	200
		1944?	2,932
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
		1944?	12
		bushels 1949...	5
		1944...	5
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres grown alone 1949...	26
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	220
		1944...	54
		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		acres grown alone 1949...	133
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
		tons 1949...	163
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres grown alone 1949...	26
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres grown alone 1949...	15
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	

¹Does and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	132
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,568	.....farms reporting 1944...	151
acres 1949...	30,557	acres 1949...	259
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	338	.....farms reporting 1944...	335
1944...	264	acres 1949...	44,967
acres 1949...	2,760	.....farms reporting 1949...	27,104
1944...	2,672	acres 1949...	36
tons 1949...	6,292	.....farms reporting 1944...	35
1944...	6,073	acres 1949...	44
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	144	.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	236	.....farms reporting 1944...	4
acres 1949...	1,725	acres 1949...	6
1944...	2,843	.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949...	2,039	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	3,668	acres 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,004	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	40
1944...	913	.....farms reporting 1944...	15
acres 1949...	13,697	acres 1949...	24
1944...	15,776	.....farms reporting 1949...	27
tons 1949...	17,398	.....farms reporting 1944...	15
1944...	16,350	acres 1949...	7
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	291	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	110	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	2,937	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	1,328	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	3,096	.....farms reporting 1949...	95
1944...	1,330	.....farms reporting 1944...	113
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	282	acres 1949...	145
1944...	359	.....farms reporting 1949...	173
acres 1949...	7,674	acres 1949...	2
1944...	11,044	.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	8,685	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	40
1944...	12,203		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	157	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	129	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	191
acres 1949...	1,696	acres 1949...	241
1944...	1,574	quarts 1949...	354,680
tons 1949...	1,783	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944...	1,635	acres 1949...	6
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...	15	quarts 1949...	898
acres 1949...	226		
tons, green weight 1949...	931	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,012
Field crops (other):		.....farms reporting 1945...	507
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	46	acres 1950 ¹ ...	1,618
1944...	26	.....farms reporting 1945...	2,132
acres 1949...	624	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	735
1944...	308	.....farms reporting 1945...	969
bushels 1949...	577	trees of all ages, number 1950...	47,051
1944...	470	.....farms reporting 1945...	89,667
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	109	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	9,930
1944...	95	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	37,121
acres 1949...	1,542	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	61,883
1944...	1,388	.....farms reporting 1944...	20,050
pounds 1949...	286,510	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	558
1944...	274,269	.....farms reporting 1945...	924
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages, number 1950...	16,841
acres 1949...	21	.....farms reporting 1945...	27,431
bushels 1949...	61	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	3,371
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	32	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	13,470
acres 1949...	472	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	7,074
pounds 1949...	34,909	.....farms reporting 1944...	424
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	952	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	189
1944...	1,062	.....farms reporting 1945...	345
acres 1949 ² ...	92	trees of all ages, number 1950...	671
1944...	220	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,350
bushels 1949...	14,479	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	337
1944...	20,535	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	334
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	219	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	278
1944...	260	.....farms reporting 1944...	44
acres 1949 ² ...	13	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	234
1944...	79	.....farms reporting 1945...	524
bushels 1949...	2,149	trees of all ages, number 1950...	910
1944...	8,447	.....farms reporting 1945...	3,254
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	346
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,617
1944...	.....	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	445
bales 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1944...	193
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	375
acres 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	687
1944...	.....	trees of all ages, number 1950...	2,176
pounds 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	270
1944...	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	617
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	154
acres 1949...	8	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	.....
gallons 1949...	289	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	214
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....farms reporting 1945...	477
acres 1949...	13	vines of all ages, number 1950...	26,840
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	171	.....farms reporting 1945...	81,303
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949...	5	vines not of bearing age, number 1950...	2,969
acres 1949...	68	vines of bearing age, number 1950...	23,871
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,512	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	76,997
1944...	3,101	.....farms reporting 1944...	82,139
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	19
	farms reporting 1945...
		trees of all ages, number 1950...	266
	farms reporting 1945...
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		quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	158
	farms reporting 1944...

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Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	65,1171945.....	126
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	543,211	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	168
.....1945.....	545,416	.....1945.....	140
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	173.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	128
.....1945.....	169.0	.....1945.....	124
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950.....	17,110	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	473
.....1945.....	11,270	.....1945.....	469
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	97.88	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	497
.....1945.....	66.68	.....1945.....	560
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	500
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,873	.....1945.....	553
.....1944.....	2,982	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	322
.....acres 1949.....	252,857	.....1945.....	320
.....1944.....	250,618	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	277
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	138	.....1945.....	277
.....1944.....	163	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	417
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	161	.....1945.....	450
.....1944.....	146	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	91
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	219	.....1945.....	71
.....1944.....	182	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	14
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	446	.....1945.....	11
.....1944.....	515		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	973	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	1,106	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	753	White operators.....number 1950.....	3,134
.....1944.....	704	.....1945.....	3,226
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	183	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	166	.....1945.....	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,465	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹	1,010	Full owners.....number 1950.....	1,724
.....acres 1949.....	93,015	.....1945.....	1,402
.....1944 ¹	40,810	Part owners.....number 1950.....	580
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	617
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950.....	8
pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	536	.....1945.....	15
.....acres 1949.....	13,222	All tenants.....number 1950.....	823
.....1944.....	17,690	.....1945.....	1,193
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	657	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	26.3
.....1944.....	639	.....1945.....	37.0
.....acres 1949.....	17,907	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	134
.....1944.....	16,683	.....1945.....	198
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	321	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	348
.....1944.....	238	.....1945.....	612
.....acres 1949.....	5,804	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	267
.....1944.....	4,076	.....1945.....	356
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	96
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,891	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	171
.....1944 ¹	2,907	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	74
.....acres 1949.....	127,606	.....1945.....	27
.....1944 ¹	186,147	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	6
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	68
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,984		
.....1944.....	3,175	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹	
.....acres 1949.....	32,800	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,648
.....1944.....	29,392	.....1945.....	2,815
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,566
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	976
.....acres 1949.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,565
.....1944.....		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	7.04
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	804
.....acres 1949.....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	466
.....1944.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	201
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,114
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	528
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	27
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	183
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	369
		.....number 1950.....	369
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	679
		.....number 1950.....	687
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	194
		.....number 1950.....	194
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	68
		.....number 1950.....	83
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	75
		.....number 1950.....	76
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	2,914		
.....1945.....	3,047		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	176		
.....1945.....	137		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	360		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	802		
.....1944.....	571		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	313		
.....1944.....	157		

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...	779	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	2,351
1945.....	348	General farms.....number 1950...	172
number 1950.....	804	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	365	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	81
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,162	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	86
1945.....	1,319	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	296
number 1950.....	2,646		
1945.....	1,428		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,036		
number 1950.....	2,507		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	103		
number 1950.....	105		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	29		
number 1950.....	34		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,558		
1945.....	2,656		
number 1950.....	3,012		
1945.....	2,848		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	339		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	51		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	620		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,622		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	503		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,839
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	221	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	104
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	231
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	724
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	513	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	854
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	659
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	267
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,075	Other farms.....number 1950...	296
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	413	Part-time ².....number 1950...	196
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,149	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	98
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	140	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	2
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	371		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,014		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,666		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,102,359
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,877	1944.....	11,497,792
persons 1950.....	4,936	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,799,358
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,865	1944.....	1,297,692
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,805	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,744,816
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,240	1944.....	1,243,622
persons 1950.....	1,721	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,516,611
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	294	1944.....	1,127
persons 1950.....	410	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	9,769
		1944.....	5,214
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	36,837
		1944.....	45,729
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,299,190
		1944.....	10,192,204
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	867,444
		1944.....	723,722
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	932,963
		1944.....	946,036
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	12,498,783
		1944.....	8,520,446
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,811
		1944.....	7,896
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,297
		1945.....	2,247
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1945...	2,731
		number 1950.....	6,565
		1945.....	11,371
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	222
		1945.....	572
		number 1950.....	515
		1945.....	1,456
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,951
		1945.....	3,011
		number 1950.....	75,782
		1945.....	75,807
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,921
		1945 ³	2,978
		number 1950.....	32,793
		1945 ³	35,990
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,727
		number 1950.....	14,628
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,088
		number 1950.....	14,136
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,988
		number 1950.....	16,224
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,276
		number 1950.....	12,429
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	244
		1944.....	347
		pounds 1949.....	7,373,911
		1944.....	9,018,055
		dollars 1949.....	261,109
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,858
		1944.....	2,140
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,082,350
		1944.....	960,787
		dollars 1949.....	605,522
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	12
		dollars 1949.....	813
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,645
		1945.....	2,613
		number 1950.....	153,584
		1945.....	100,176
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	2,575
		number 1950.....	81,841
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,796
		number 1950.....	73,743
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	2,369
		1945.....	2,139
		number 1950.....	24,028
		1945.....	18,109

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...	522	Sorghums:	
1945.....	763	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1950...	23,700	1944.....	192
1945.....	25,253	acres 1949...	233
1944.....		1944.....	1,062
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	506	1944.....	12
number 1950...	12,673	acres 1949...	49
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	501	1944.....	76
1945 ¹	736	bushels 1949...	840
number 1950...	11,917	1944.....	1,342
1945 ¹	21,448	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	321	acres 1949...	70
number 1950...	756	tons..green weight 1949...	463
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	472	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	11,027	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	523	acres 1949...	114
1944.....	729	tons out 1949...	400
number shorn 1949...	17,224	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	142,521	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	161,563	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	602
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	12,340
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,708	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	771
1945.....	2,966	acres 1949...	512
number 1950...	273,790	1944.....	20,405
1945.....	399,544	acres 1944...	11,225
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,894	bushels 1949...	386,289
number 1949...	169,059	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,600
dollars 1949...	166,009	acres 1944...	1,535
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,330	1944.....	36,055
dozens 1949...	1,789,253	acres 1949...	33,850
dollars 1949...	616,900	bushels 1949...	772,856
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	12	1944.....	578,533
number 1950...	1,257	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	199
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1944.....	273
1944.....	24	acres 1949...	2,191
number 1949...	24,830	1944.....	3,079
1944.....	12,663	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1944...	436
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949...	10
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,956	1944.....	9,481
dollars 1949...	12,429,034	1944.....	150
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,652	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	32
1944.....	2,688	1944.....	51
number 1949...	36,415	acres 1949...	302
1944.....	41,143	1944.....	407
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,831	bushels 1949...	3,566
number 1949...	22,216	1944.....	4,820
dollars 1949...	3,777,045	Annual legumes:	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,850	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	80
number 1949...	14,199	acres grown alone 1949...	1,197
dollars 1949...	1,491,647	1944 ²	1,044
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,694	acres grown with other crops 1949...	54
1944.....	2,731	1944 ²	295
number 1949...	177,096	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	65
1944.....	172,584	acres grown alone 1949...	78
dollars 1949...	6,768,369	acres grown with other crops 1949...	997
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	533	bushels 1949...	18,273
1944.....	679	1944.....	15,333
number 1949...	18,277	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	21,518	acres grown alone 1949...	61
dollars 1949...	338,079	acres grown with other crops 1949...	79
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	384	tons 1949...	3
number 1949...	1,134	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	53,894	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949...	52
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,416	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	99
number 1949...	1,097	acres grown alone 1949...	7
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	173	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
1944.....	636	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	200	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	695	1944 ²	31
dollars 1949...	847	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	497	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	897	1944.....	
number 1949...	518	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	518	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,279	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,637	acres grown alone 1949...	
number 1949...	5,065	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	6,525	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	304	acres grown alone 1949...	
dollars 1949...	8,044	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		tons 1949...	
Corn:		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,657	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	2,805	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949...	122,689	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	138,528	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,637	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	2,803	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	118,133	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	137,462	acres grown alone 1949...	
bushels 1949...	4,233,705	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	5,249,953	tons 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
acres 1949...	836	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	5,265	acres grown alone 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...	5,265	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	310	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	3,720	acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	

¹Does and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,494	..... 1944...	21
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	65,725	..... acres 1949...	47
..... 1944...	1,347	..... sold..dollars 1944...	17
..... acres 1949...	1,637	..... 1944...	5,916
..... 1944...	14,946	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3,127
..... tons 1949...	16,953	..... 1944...	8
..... 1944...	36,215	..... acres 1949...	2
..... 1944...	37,672	..... 1944...	5
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,770	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944...	1,675	..... 1944...	3
..... acres 1949...	36,511	..... acres 1949...	2
..... 1944...	29,533	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... tons 1949...	43,451	..... 1944...	5
..... 1944...	35,418	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	607	..... acres 1949...	18
..... 1944...	678	..... 1944...	2
..... acres 1949...	8,559	..... acres 1949...	13
..... 1944...	8,576	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
..... tons 1949...	9,424	..... acres 1949...	7
..... 1944...	8,416	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	282	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944...	142	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
..... acres 1949...	3,712	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944...	1,621	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
..... tons 1949...	3,365	..... 1944...	13
..... 1944...	1,136	..... acres 1949...	5
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	43	..... 1944...	5
..... 1944...	61	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
..... acres 1949...	669	..... acres 1949...	8
..... 1944...	479	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	14
..... tons 1949...	683	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944...	685	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	109
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	118	..... acres 1949...	326
..... 1944...	59	..... quarts 1949...	566,992
..... acres 1949...	1,902	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
..... 1944...	524	..... acres 1949...	
..... tons 1949...	2,284	..... quarts 1949...	
..... 1944...	603	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,814
..... acres 1949...	46	..... 1945...	684
..... tons..green weight 1949...	250	..... acres 1950 ¹ ...	241
Field crops (other):		..... 1945...	407
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	658	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,093
..... 1944...	865	..... 1945...	1,199
..... acres 1949...	9,968	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,680
..... 1944...	13,528	..... 1945...	10,234
..... bushels 1949...	6,761	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,808
..... 1944...	13,160	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,872
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	33	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,912
..... 1944...	181	..... 1944...	2,572
..... acres 1949...	202	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,474
..... 1944...	2,131	..... 1945...	1,449
..... pounds 1949...	48,522	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	17,368
..... 1944...	386,828	..... 1945...	22,087
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	190	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,310
..... acres 1949...	2,392	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13,058
..... bushels 1949...	6,566	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9,294
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	..... 1944...	10
..... acres 1949...	68	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	821
..... pounds 1949...	7,380	..... 1945...	849
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,908	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,276
..... 1944...	1,733	..... 1945...	2,433
..... acres 1949 ¹ ...	268	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	680
..... 1944...	326	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,596
..... bushels 1949...	35,796	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,936
..... 1944...	14,475	..... 1944...	157
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	266	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	939
..... 1944...	387	..... 1945...	1,022
..... acres 1949 ¹ ...	1	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,151
..... 1944...	40	..... 1945...	4,091
..... bushels 1949...	686	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,428
..... 1944...	1,587	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,723
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13,036
..... 1944...		..... 1944...	2,825
..... acres 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	539
..... 1944...		..... 1945...	777
..... bales 1949...		..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,472
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1945...	4,751
..... 1944...		..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	699
..... acres 1949...		..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,773
..... 1944...		..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	988
..... pounds 1949...		..... 1944...	30
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	990
..... acres 1949...	16	..... 1945...	1,367
..... gallons 1949...	1,333	..... vines of all ages..number 1950...	12,438
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	112	..... 1945...	20,213
..... acres 1949...	929	..... vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,463
..... 100 lb. ear corn 1949...	14,865	..... vines of bearing age..number 1950...	8,975
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	83,185
..... acres 1949...	22	..... 1944...	158,786
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,627	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	10
..... 1944...	3,020	..... 1945...	
		..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	26
		..... 1945...	
		..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14
		..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12
		..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	280
		..... 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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950.....	1,951	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	60
.....1945.....	1,924	.....1945.....	79
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	501,780	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	87.7	.....1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	288,806	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	79
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	39,328	.....1945.....	78
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	10,715	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	141
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	9,336	.....1945.....	114
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	339,511	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	240
.....1945.....	340,973	.....1945.....	256
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	174.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	119
.....1945.....	176.8	.....1945.....	97
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	3,716	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	388
.....1945.....	2,360	.....1945.....	351
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	20.42	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	259
.....1945.....	13.35	.....1945.....	208
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	232
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,413	.....1945.....	246
.....1944.....	1,630	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	144
acres 1949.....	38,782	.....1945.....	126
.....1944.....	45,050	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	95
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	348	.....1945.....	98
.....1944.....	461	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	185
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	342	.....1945.....	204
.....1944.....	380	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	51
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	252	.....1945.....	48
.....1944.....	268	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	29
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	280	.....1945.....	27
.....1944.....	276		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	152	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	193	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	32	White operators.....number 1950.....	1,951
.....1944.....	41	.....1945.....	1,924
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	
.....1944.....	11	.....1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,421	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	1,644	Full owners.....number 1950.....	1,580
acres 1949.....	86,848	.....1945.....	1,587
.....1944.....	83,000	Part owners.....number 1950.....	202
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	162
pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	250	Managers.....number 1950.....	2
acres 1949.....	5,373	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	2,019	All tenants.....number 1950.....	187
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,425	.....1945.....	178
.....1944.....	1,322	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	6.6
acres 1949.....	130,597	.....1945.....	9.0
.....1944.....	98,273	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	51
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	555	.....1945.....	83
.....1944.....	602	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	5
acres 1949.....	47,308	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	44,207	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	28
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945.....	85
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	599	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	26
.....1944.....	673	.....1945.....	2
acres 1949.....	40,823	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944.....	55,687	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	83
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945.....	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,880	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	23
.....1944.....	1,919	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	60
acres 1949.....	9,680		
.....1944.....	11,857	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	401
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	425
acres 1949.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,173
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	361
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,167
.....1944.....		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	4.26
		.....1945.....	185
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	99
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	91
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	935
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	44
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	34
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	86
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	87
		number 1950.....	1
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
		number 1950.....	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
		number 1950.....	14
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	27
		number 1950.....	50
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
		number 1950.....	27
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	1,886		
.....1945.....	1,734		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	73		
.....1945.....	184		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	838		
.....1944.....	854		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	815		
.....1944.....	504		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	509		
.....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...	817	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	611
.....number 1945...	447	General farms.....number 1950...	86
.....number 1950...	845	.....number 1945...	5
.....number 1945...	489	.....number 1950...	64
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	331	.....number 1950...	19
.....number 1945...	146	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	921
.....number 1950...	864		
.....number 1945...	156		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	311		
.....number 1950...	338		
.....number 1945...	12		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	12		
.....number 1950...	12		
.....number 1945...	14		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	14		
.....number 1950...	809		
.....number 1945...	691		
.....number 1950...	872		
.....number 1945...	720		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	493		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	265		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	864		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	229		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	100		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,036
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	145	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	13
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	901	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	56
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	482	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	56
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	412	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	143
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	277
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	511
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	341	Other farms.....number 1950...	374
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	271	Part-time.....number 1950...	374
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	653	Residential (Less than \$230 value of products sold).....number 1950...	541
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	338	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.7		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	136		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	628		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,158		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,046,716
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,689	.....dollars 1944...	1,985,071
.....persons 1950...	2,658	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	126,276
.....persons 1949...	1,679	.....dollars 1944...	96,626
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,679	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	77,799
.....persons 1950...	1,587	.....dollars 1944...	64,228
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	657	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,556
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	884	.....dollars 1944...	1,517
.....persons 1950...	126	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	59,600
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	126	.....dollars 1944...	50,253
.....persons 1950...	207	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	7,277
		.....dollars 1944...	586
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,878,777
		.....dollars 1944...	1,849,922
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	489,970
		.....dollars 1944...	372,063
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	270,566
		.....dollars 1944...	371,347
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry sold.....dollars 1949...	2,114,241
		.....dollars 1944...	1,108,582
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	46,664
		.....dollars 1944...	26,535
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,537
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,247
		.....number 1945...	1,256
		.....number 1950...	2,756
		.....number 1945...	3,062
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	223
		.....number 1945...	444
		.....number 1950...	453
		.....number 1945...	890
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,756
		.....number 1945...	1,735
		.....number 1950...	24,897
		.....number 1945...	25,237
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,700
		.....number 1945...	1,686
		.....number 1950...	11,676
		.....number 1945...	15,375
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,627
		.....number 1950...	2,603
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	937
		.....number 1950...	4,525
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	611
		.....number 1950...	4,805
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,050
		.....number 1950...	3,789
		.....number 1949...	750
		.....number 1944...	528
		.....pounds 1949...	15,195,616
		.....pounds 1944...	11,456,916
		.....dollars 1949...	456,503
		.....dollars 1944...	312
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	566
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	102,216
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	177,862
		.....dollars 1949...	52,108
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		.....dollars 1949...	359
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,311
		.....number 1945...	1,285
		.....number 1950...	25,475
		.....number 1945...	14,770
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,453
		.....number 1950...	10,685
		.....number 1950...	971
		.....number 1950...	14,846
		.....number 1950...	1,181
		.....number 1945...	1,071
		.....number 1950...	4,578
		.....number 1945...	2,929

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...	85	Sorghums:	
1945.....	504	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	372
number 1950....	2,249	1944.....	656
1945.....	6,728	acres 1949...	2,443
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	3,853
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	52	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950....	1,280	1944.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	81	acres 1949...	107
1945 ¹ ..	290	1944.....	14
number 1950....	1,175	bushels 1949...	1,352
1945 ¹ ..	5,986	1944.....	160
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950....	54	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	39
number 1950....	105	acres 1949...	878
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	69	tons..green weight 1949...	7,015
number 1950....	969	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	96	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	327
1944.....	288	acres 1949...	1,458
number shorn 1949...	1,759	tons out 1949...	2,948
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949....	8,670	Small grains:	
1944.....	85,237	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950....	Apr.1-Apr.14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	150
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,645	bushels 1949...	2,666
1945.....	1,638	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	185
number 1950....	100,742	1944.....	169
1945.....	128,557	acres 1949...	1,536
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	589	1944.....	2,120
number 1949...	72,461	bushels 1949...	18,890
dollars 1949....	55,912	1944.....	31,281
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,003	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	299
dozens 1949....	531,162	1944.....	181
dollars 1949....	194,583	acres 1949...	4,833
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950....	28	1944.....	3,190
number 1950....	101	bushels 1949...	96,452
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1944.....	59,103
number 1949...	19	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	165
1944.....	428	1944.....	725
1944.....	2,649	acres 1949...	1,390
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	6,541
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	148
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,684	1944.....	79
dollars 1949....	2,104,765	acres 1949...	2,080
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,475	1944.....	1,094
1944.....	1,413	bushels 1949...	43,451
number 1949...	12,890	1944.....	28,697
1944.....	14,795	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	770	1944.....	15
number 1949...	6,756	acres 1949...	84
dollars 1949....	1,056,410	1944.....	117
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,298	bushels 1949...	825
number 1949...	6,134	1944.....	1,326
dollars 1949....	332,333	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,375	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	51
1944.....	1,249	acres grown alone 1949...	383
number 1949...	89,728	1944 ² ..	207
dollars 1949....	31,694	acres grown with other crops 1949...	61
1944.....	629,205	1944 ²..	.....
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	85	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	269	1944.....	6
number 1949...	1,518	acres grown alone 1949...	43
1944.....	4,872	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
dollars 1949....	28,841	bushels 1949...	650
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	184	1944.....	133
number 1949...	1,369	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	37
dollars 1949....	63,974	acres grown alone 1949...	205
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,185	tons 1949...	373
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	158	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	191	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres grown alone 1949...	78
1944.....	37	acres grown with other crops 1949...	45
number 1949...	54	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	40	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	107	acres grown alone 1949...	57
1944.....	78	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
number 1949...	157	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	81	acres grown alone 1949...	121
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,174	1944 ² ..	73
1944.....	1,373	acres grown with other crops 1949...	21
number 1949...	2,427	1944 ² ..	1
1944.....	3,506	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	13
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	62	acres grown alone 1949...	2
dollars 1949....	1,184	acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		bushels 1949...	25
Corn:		1944.....	211
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	677	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	900	acres grown alone 1949...	82
acres 1949....	5,585	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
1944.....	8,090	tons 1949...	62
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	840	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	880	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949....	5,825	acres grown alone 1949...	28
1944.....	7,908	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
bushels 1949....	171,162	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	141,093	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres grown alone 1949...	11
acres 1949....	41	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
tons..green weight 1949...	849	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		1944.....	13
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	58	acres grown alone 1949...	2
acres 1949....	217	acres grown with other crops 1949...	8

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,142	.....farms reporting 1944...	38
.....acres 1949...	21,495	.....acres 1949...	9
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	114	.....sold..dollars 1949...	31
.....1944...	75	.....1944...	1,566
.....acres 1949...	785	.....1944...	1,547
.....1944...	375	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....tons 1949...	1,694	.....farms reporting 1944...	5
.....1944...	754	.....acres 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	64	.....1944...	1
.....1944...	55	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....acres 1949...	841	.....farms reporting 1944...	1
.....1944...	626	.....acres 1949...	1
.....tons 1949...	1,109	.....1944...	(*)
.....1944...	781	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....acres 1949...	575	.....farms reporting 1944...	(*)
.....1944...	751	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	15,831	.....farms reporting 1944...	4
.....1944...	10,854	.....acres 1949...	3
.....tons 1949...	16,189	.....1944...	4
.....1944...	9,658	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	324	.....farms reporting 1944...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	282	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	2,820	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
.....1944...	2,254	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949...	2,578	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
.....1944...	2,243	.....acres 1949...	.....
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....1944...	(*)
.....1944...	37	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....acres 1949...	437	.....farms reporting 1944...	28
.....1944...	259	.....acres 1949...	2
.....tons 1949...	444	.....1944...	16
.....1944...	282	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	154	.....farms reporting 1944...	(*)
.....farms reporting 1944...	221	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	861	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
.....1944...	2,359	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1949...	865	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....1944...	2,159	.....farms reporting 1944...	5
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quarts 1949...	4,942
.....acres 1949...	.....	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1944...	8
Field crops(other):		.....quarts 1949...	2,749
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944...	2	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,055
.....acres 1949...	49	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,241
.....1944...	21	.....acres 1950 ¹ ...	1,161
.....bushels 1949...	38	.....1945...	2,296
.....1944...	5	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	954
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,544
.....1944...	20	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	19,170
.....acres 1949...	256	.....1945...	86,999
.....1944...	192	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,589
.....pounds 1949...	44,707	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15,631
.....1944...	28,510	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	17,285
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1944...	15,598
.....acres 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	959
.....bushels 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,407
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	40,735
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	69,175
.....pounds 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,408
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,210	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	55,325
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,500	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	24,644
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	125	.....1944...	18,890
.....1944...	347	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	869
.....bushels 1949...	18,118	.....farms reporting 1945...	454
.....1944...	22,871	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,204
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	498	.....1945...	1,473
.....farms reporting 1944...	693	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	356
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	15	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	688
.....1944...	145	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,041
.....bushels 1949...	4,485	.....1944...	617
.....1944...	6,594	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	366
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....farms reporting 1945...	618
.....farms reporting 1944...	34	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,256
.....acres 1949...	176	.....1945...	2,575
.....1944...	194	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	612
.....bales 1949...	97	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	724
.....1944...	81	.....quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	3,882
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1944...	15,308
.....farms reporting 1944...	48	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	358
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....farms reporting 1945...	547
.....1944...	11	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,490
.....pounds 1949...	170	.....1945...	2,934
.....1944...	2,775	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	456
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,034
.....farms reporting 1944...	8	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	239
.....acres 1949...	461	.....1944...	814
.....gallons 1949...	50	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	647
.....acres 1949...	15	.....farms reporting 1945...	488
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	85	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	6,423
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....1945...	8,528
.....farms reporting 1944...	156	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,047
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	5,376
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,827	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	31,610
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,727	.....1944...	42,189

¹For 1945, 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.
 *less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,764	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	92
.....1945.....	1,914	.....1945.....	132
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	384,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.4	.....1945.....	16
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	313,282	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	68
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	54,167	.....1945.....	116
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	88
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,823	.....1945.....	103
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	351,626	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	79
.....1945.....	359,045	.....1945.....	92
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	199.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	67
.....1945.....	187.6	.....1945.....	72
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	6,186	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	150
.....1945.....	4,361	.....1945.....	184
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	31.69	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	259
.....1945.....	23.25	.....1945.....	273
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	261
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,520	.....1945.....	283
.....1944.....	1,671	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	196
acres 1949...	72,706	.....1945.....	202
.....1944.....	82,360	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	167
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	155	.....1945.....	153
.....1944.....	221	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	341
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	179	.....1945.....	348
.....1944.....	147	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	73
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	196	.....1945.....	63
.....1944.....	161	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	388	.....1945.....	9
.....1944.....	411	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	492	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	594	White operators.....number 1950...	1,762
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....1945.....	1,914
.....1944.....	131	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	6	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	772	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,347
.....1944 ¹	546	.....1945.....	1,449
acres 1949...	24,938	Part owners.....number 1950...	218
.....1944 ¹	15,995	.....1945.....	189
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	.....
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	371	.....1945.....	2
.....1949.....	9,159	All tenants.....number 1950...	199
.....1944.....	4,542	.....1945.....	274
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,291	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.3
.....1944.....	1,343	.....1945.....	14.3
acres 1949...	126,762	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	54
.....1944.....	120,847	.....1945.....	83
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	583	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....1944.....	514	.....1945.....	13
acres 1949...	31,373	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	86
.....1944.....	25,553	.....1945.....	123
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	58
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,302	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	28
.....1944 ¹	1,712	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	34
acres 1949...	74,932	.....1945.....	55
.....1944 ¹	99,453	Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,616	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	1,877	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,036
acres 1949...	11,756	.....1945.....	1,146
.....1944.....	10,295	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,114
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	421
.....1944.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.34
.....1944.....	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	271
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	61
.....1944.....	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	107
.....1944.....	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	892
FARM OPERATORS		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	133
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,646	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1945.....	1,745	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	61
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	82	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	98
.....1945.....	157	.....number 1950...	98
With other income of family exceeding value		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	38
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	488	.....number 1950...	38
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	617	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	62
.....1944.....	406	.....number 1950...	67
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	368	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	108
.....1944.....	277	.....number 1950...	128
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	6

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...	449	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	740
.....1945.....	241	General farms.....number 1950...	205
.....number 1950.....	500	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	257	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	810	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	145
.....1945.....	520	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	35
.....number 1950.....	899	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	496
.....1945.....	548		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	770	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	829	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,273
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950.....	60	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	37
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	114
.....number 1950.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	443
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,169	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	412
.....1945.....	1,319	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	265
.....number 1950.....	1,305	Other farms.....number 1950...	491
.....1945.....	1,391	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	272
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	219
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	357	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	60		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	533	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	627	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,279,219
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	187	.....1944.....	2,926,537
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	404,263
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	187,999
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	398,780
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	221	.....1944.....	180,877
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	812	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	536
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	492	.....1944.....	394
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	171	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,922
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	.....1944.....	6,243
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	25
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	586	.....1944.....	525
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,829,541
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	399	.....1944.....	2,692,705
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	193	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	585,091
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.9	.....1944.....	293,752
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	739,507
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	186	.....1944.....	555,008
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,058	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,504,943
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	352	.....1944.....	1,843,945
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	45,415
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	45,833
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,576	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	2,837	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,165
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,560	.....1950.....	941
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,504	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1945...	1,104
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	675	.....number 1945.....	2,125
.....persons 1950.....	1,099	.....1945.....	2,823
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	177	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	460
.....persons 1950.....	234	.....1945.....	792
		.....number 1950.....	907
		.....1945.....	1,724
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,671	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,623
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,221	.....1945.....	1,701
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,053	.....number 1950.....	29,098
dollars 1949.....	140,858	.....1945.....	30,038
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	916	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,503
dollars 1949.....	195,916	.....1945 ³	1,677
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,566	.....number 1950.....	15,227
dollars 1949.....	901,755	.....1945 ³	17,668
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,349	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,412
dollars 1949.....	436,549	.....number 1950.....	8,366
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,226	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066
dollars 1949.....	79,163	.....number 1950.....	5,613
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,035	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	901
dollars 1949.....	184,776	.....number 1950.....	3,213
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	589	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,140
dollars 1949.....	49,580	.....number 1950.....	5,045
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	980	.....1949.....	396
dollars 1949.....	77,236	.....1944.....	220
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11,995,460
No sales.....number 1950...	38	.....1944.....	5,322,256
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	181	.....dollars 1949.....	465,191
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	165	.....1944.....	755
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	125	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	221,820
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	201	.....1944.....	283,864
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	172	.....dollars 1949.....	119,313
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	286	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	18
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	334	.....dollars 1949.....	627
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	148	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	75	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,277
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	39	.....1945.....	1,291
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	30,738
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	61	.....1945.....	25,940
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	61	.....1945.....	1,219
Cotton.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	13,856
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	927
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	16,902
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	1,078
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	187	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,078
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	75	.....1945.....	4,063
		.....1945.....	3,058

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...	88	Sorghums:	
1945...	214	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	61
number 1950...	2,909	1944...	73
1945...	3,707	acres 1949...	307
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	308
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	87	1944...	7
number 1950...	1,539	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1945 ¹ ...	86	1944...	21
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	210	acres 1949...	33
number 1950...	1,403	1944...	340
1945 ¹ ...	3,224	bushels 1949...	852
1944...	54	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	46
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	136	acres 1949...	265
number 1950...	1,370	tons..green weight 1949...	2,751
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	1,370	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	201	acres 1949...	21
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	1,591	tons cut 1949...	27
1944...	9,613	Small grains:	
1944...	22,493	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		acres 1949...	166
		bushels 1949...	2,761
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	807
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,554	1944...	850
1945...	1,680	acres 1949...	15,283
number 1950...	163,028	1944...	13,790
1945...	191,289	bushels 1949...	218,095
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,099	1944...	208,953
number 1949...	141,811	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	647
dollars 1949...	135,145	1944...	566
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,284	acres 1949...	6,796
dozens 1949...	1,171,409	1944...	5,678
dollars 1949...	428,133	bushels 1949...	169,734
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	22	1944...	100,398
number 1950...	274	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	120
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	44	1944...	447
number 1949...	56	acres 1949...	785
1944...	30,380	1944...	3,313
1944...	11,561	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	148
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	139
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	1,513
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,568	1944...	1,074
dollars 1949...	2,485,900	bushels 1949...	32,891
1944...	1,448	1944...	24,009
number 1949...	1,536	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944...	12,560	1944...	66
number 1949...	15,805	acres 1949...	59
1944...	892	1944...	324
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	892	bushels 1949...	808
number 1949...	5,302	1944...	3,645
dollars 1949...	748,431	Annual legumes:	
1944...	1,247	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	81
number 1949...	7,258	acres grown alone 1949...	904
dollars 1949...	475,442	1944...	505
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,208	acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
1944...	1,309	1944...	48
number 1949...	34,472	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	63
1944...	38,578	1944...	16
dollars 1949...	1,226,881	acres grown alone 1949...	768
1944...	87	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
number 1949...	188	bushels 1949...	15,059
1944...	1,506	1944...	4,270
dollars 1949...	3,183	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944...	25,241	acres grown alone 1949...	96
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	112	acres grown with other crops 1949...	130
number 1949...	220	tons 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	9,905	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
FARM SLAUGHTER		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,480	acres grown alone 1949...	3
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	605	acres grown with other crops 1949...	18
number 1949...	756	1944...	3
1944...	138	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	246	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	157	acres grown alone 1949...	18
1944...	263	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
1944...	480	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	394	acres grown alone 1949...	8
number 1949...	599	1944...	9
1944...	425	acres grown with other crops 1949...	17
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,453	1944...	130
number 1949...	1,560	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944...	4,474	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
number 1949...	5,222	tons 1949...	3
1944...		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	404	acres grown alone 1949...	22
dollars 1949...	12,757	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
1944...		1944...	18
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944...	3
Corn:		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,189	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944...	1,347	1944...	12
acres 1949...	21,199	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
1944...	25,693	bushels 1949...	8
1944...	1,173	1944...	12
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,346	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	20,021	acres grown alone 1949...	8
1944...	25,443	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
bushels 1949...	769,269	tons 1949...	3
1944...	1,002,776	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	91	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	823	acres grown alone 1949...	22
tons..green weight 1949...	6,310	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	44	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	355	acres grown alone 1949...	18
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	3

¹Ewe and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,389	1944.....	16
acres 1949...	28,989	acres 1949...	9
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	221	1944.....	5
1944.....	213	sold. dollars 1949...	536
acres 1949...	1,081	1944.....	394
1944.....	822	acres 1949...	11
tons 1949...	2,769	1944.....	2
1944.....	2,115	acres 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	383	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	679	farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1949...	4,009	1944.....	3
1944.....	6,080	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	5,841	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	7,399	farms reporting 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,182	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	1,180	farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949...	19,440	1944.....	1
1944.....	18,228	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	27,657	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	18,175	farms reporting 1949...	6
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	77	1944.....	1
1944.....	64	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	564	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	472	farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	730	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	421	acres 1949...	8
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1944.....	7
1944.....	19	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	240	1944.....	4
1944.....	128	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	270	1944.....	.....
1944.....	126	acres 1949...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	297	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	419	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	3,682	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	5,249	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	4,737	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	5,065	quarts 1949...	.....
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	10	quarts 1949...	1,280
acres 1949...	111	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	232	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,068
Field crops (other):		1945.....	929
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	176	acres 1950 ² ..	284
1944.....	164	1945.....	351
acres 1949...	1,401	1945.....	686
1944.....	1,066	farms reporting 1950...	859
bushels 1949...	1,696	1945.....	5,418
1944.....	1,422	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,216
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	156	1945.....	1,813
1944.....	370	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,605
acres 1949...	1,232	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,582
1944.....	3,133	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,637
pounds 1949...	261,346	1944.....	933
1944.....	556,263	farms reporting 1950...	1,271
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	14,157
acres 1949...	8	1950...	19,755
bushels 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,752
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945.....	9,405
acres 1949...	79	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,558
pounds 1949...	4,841	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,507
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,355	1944.....	541
1944.....	1,429	1950...	785
acres 1949 ¹ ..	172	1945.....	1,675
1944.....	243	1945.....	2,486
bushels 1949...	26,180	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	375
1944.....	26,489	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,300
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	488	1949...	1,265
1944.....	837	quantity harvested..bushels 1944.....	2,561
acres 1949 ¹ ..	2	1950...	423
1944.....	88	1945.....	924
bushels 1949...	2,043	1950...	1,597
1944.....	5,110	1945.....	5,014
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	539
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,058
1944.....	.....	1950...	4,899
bales 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	20,635
1944.....	.....	1944.....	297
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1950...	523
acres 1949...	(*)	1945.....	1,282
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	2,780
pounds 1949...	100	1945.....	290
1944.....	50	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	992
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	32	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	246
acres 1949...	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	401
gallons 1949...	1,260	1944.....	627
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1950...	876
acres 1949...	9	1945.....	9,157
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	44	1945.....	18,405
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	735
acres 1949...	62	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	8,402
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,548	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	36,888
1944.....	1,746	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	88,319
		1944.....	69
		1945.....	32
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,247
		1945.....	150
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,117
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,877
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,099
		1944.....

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Farms.....number 1950...	1,804	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	58
.....1945...	1,8311945...	68
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	480,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	4
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	66.0	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	274,811	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	54
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	51,435	.....1945...	67
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	237	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	74
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,478	.....1945...	71
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	317,005	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	142
.....1945...	310,705	.....1945...	161
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	175.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	93
.....1945...	169.7	.....1945...	73
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	4,154	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	274
.....1945...	2,133	.....1945...	289
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	23.49	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	265
.....1945...	12.57	.....1945...	263
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	291
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,352	.....1945...	316
.....1944...	1,615	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	168
acres 1949...	33,594	.....1945...	184
.....1944...	42,743	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	110
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	314	.....1945...	99
.....1944...	426	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	252
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	355	.....1945...	239
.....1944...	323	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	68
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	242	.....1945...	61
.....1944...	301	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	9
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	301	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	336		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	124	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	198	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	White operators.....number 1950...	1,804
.....1944...	30	.....1945...	1,831
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	1	.....1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	901	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,389
acres 1949...	52,689	.....1945...	1,436
.....1944...	31,185	Part owners.....number 1950...	222
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	161
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	176	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	4,622	.....1945...	.....
acres 1949...	2,285	All tenants.....number 1950...	192
.....1944...	1,389	.....1945...	234
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,034	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.6
.....1944...	126,462	.....1945...	12.8
acres 1949...	87,462	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....1944...	627	.....1945...	62
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	758	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	38,424	.....1945...	6
acres 1949...	54,804	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	79
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	124
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	75
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	609	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	1,128	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	76
acres 1949...	46,885	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	42
.....1944...	82,875	.....1945...	20
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	56
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,748		
.....1944...	1,819	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	14,329	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	140
.....1944...	9,351	.....1945...	130
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	840
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	118
acres 1949...	3	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	840
.....1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.83
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	97
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	37
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	117
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	618
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	51
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	87
		Milk machine.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	6
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		.....number 1950...	23
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,738		
.....1945...	1,773		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	59		
.....1945...	57		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	711		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	741		
.....1944...	435		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	404		
.....1944...	240		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	654	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	421
1945.....	292	General farms.....number 1950...	138
number 1950.....	740	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	4
1945.....	305	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	94
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	239	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	40
1945.....	124	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	784
number 1950.....	250		
1945.....	125	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	219	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,024
number 1950.....	230	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	4
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	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...	6
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	115
number 1950.....	15	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	398
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	764	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	496
1945.....	699	Other farms.....number 1950...	780
number 1950.....	799	Part-time ².....number 1950...	397
1945.....	711	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	377
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	6
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	434	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	223	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,883,641
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	920	1944.....	1,926,254
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	180	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	72,941
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	47	1944.....	42,695
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	63,140
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	32,305
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	298	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	578
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,161	1944.....	3,579
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,196	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8,923
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	296	1944.....	6,516
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	113	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	300
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	4	1944.....	295
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	241	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,772,333
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	135	1944.....	1,848,073
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	773	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	595,327
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	181	1944.....	645,596
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.4	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	190,081
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	448,825
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	202	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	986,925
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	225	1944.....	753,652
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,421	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	38,367
FARM LABOR^A		1944.....	35,486
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,688	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,342
persons 1950.....	2,762	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,308
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,682	1945.....	1,430
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,532	number 1950.....	3,102
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	750	1945.....	3,996
persons 1950.....	1,082	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	96
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	88	1945.....	275
persons 1950.....	148	number 1950.....	178
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		1945.....	532
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,762	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	765	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,672
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	488	1945.....	1,773
dollars 1949.....	26,197	number 1950...	23,816
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	565	1945.....	27,105
dollars 1949.....	66,723	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,653
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,632	1945 ³ ...	1,746
dollars 1949.....	701,008	number 1950...	11,825
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	975	1945 ³ ...	14,995
dollars 1949.....	429,295	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,587
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,100	number 1950...	9,865
dollars 1949.....	44,370	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,092
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	526	number 1950...	5,624
dollars 1949.....	44,900	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	651
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	177	number 1950...	2,581
dollars 1949.....	12,666	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,089
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	675	number 1950...	3,786
dollars 1949.....	21,790	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	648
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	563
No sales.....number 1950...	83	pounds 1949...	17,622,111
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	299	1944.....	17,511,698
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	230	dollars 1949...	582,678
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	198	1944.....	298
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	342	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	660
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	245	1944.....	660
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	277	pounds of butterfat 1949...	87,774
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	88	1944.....	345,916
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	28	dollars 1949...	42,556
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	5	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	9	dollars 1949...	93
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	13	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,278
Cash-grain.....number 1950...		1945.....	1,318
Cotton.....number 1950...	13	number 1950...	12,050
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		1945.....	11,973
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,171
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	4	number 1950...	5,098
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	417	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	727
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	27	number 1950...	6,852
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	846
		1945.....	963
		number 1950...	1,968
		1945.....	2,124

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,119	..... 1944....	46
acres 1949....	20,701	..... 1949....	12
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	191	..... 1944....	50
..... 1944....	143	..... sold..dollars 1949....	578
acres 1949....	1,231	..... 1944....	3,579
..... 1944....	878	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11
tons 1949....	2,514	..... 1944....	8
..... 1944....	1,668	..... acres 1949....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	73	..... 1944....	10
..... 1944....	49	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949....	8
acres 1949....	588	..... 1944....	1
..... 1944....	304	..... acres 1949....	1
tons 1949....	704	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949....	2
..... 1944....	346	..... acres 1949....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	965	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949....	8
..... 1944....	887	..... 1944....	1
acres 1949....	15,137	..... acres 1949....	2
..... 1944....	15,336	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949....	(*)
tons 1949....	17,948	..... acres 1949....	8
..... 1944....	14,001	..... 1944....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	235	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949....	1
..... 1944....	253	..... acres 1949....	(*)
acres 1949....	1,955	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949....	2
..... 1944....	2,058	..... acres 1949....	(*)
tons 1949....	2,191	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949....	10
..... 1944....	1,722	..... 1944....	23
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	40	..... acres 1949....	1
..... 1944....	32	..... 1944....	25
acres 1949....	387	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949....	8
..... 1944....	407	..... acres 1949....	6
tons 1949....	470	Other vegetables.....acres 1949....	(*)
..... 1944....	362	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	157	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949....	10
..... 1944....	193	..... acres 1949....	3
acres 1949....	1,272	..... quarts 1949....	2,379
..... 1944....	1,605	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949....	15
tons 1949....	1,673	..... acres 1949....	11
..... 1944....	1,667	..... quarts 1949....	4,806
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
..... acres 1949....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950....	1,083
tons..green weight 1949....		..... 1945....	1,163
Field crops (other):		..... acres 1950 ² ..	723
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950....	1,513
..... 1944....		..... 1945....	897
acres 1949....		..... trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,079
..... 1944....		..... 1945....	15,079
bushels 1949....		..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	28,161
..... 1944....		..... trees of bearing age..number 1950....	3,553
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	1	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	11,526
..... 1944....	21	..... 1944....	11,318
acres 1949....	10	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950....	7,839
..... 1944....	131	..... 1945....	977
pounds 1949....	1,000	..... trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,278
..... 1944....	31,314	..... 1945....	27,156
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....		..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	52,275
acres 1949....		..... trees of bearing age..number 1950....	5,562
bushels 1949....		..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	21,594
..... 1944....		..... 1944....	3,280
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950....	11,084
acres 1949....		..... 1945....	423
pounds 1949....		..... trees of all ages..number 1950....	428
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	1,332	..... 1945....	1,608
..... 1944....	1,451	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,417
acres 1949 ¹ ..	143	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950....	408
..... 1944....	276	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	1,832
bushels 1949....	23,557	..... 1944....	1,022
..... 1944....	25,752	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950....	787
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	687	..... 1945....	353
..... 1944....	916	..... trees of all ages..number 1950....	702
acres 1949 ¹ ..	16	..... 1945....	1,425
..... 1944....	123	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	3,413
bushels 1949....	5,389	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950....	599
..... 1944....	9,738	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	826
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	18	..... 1944....	1,422
..... 1944....	33	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950....	9,677
acres 1949....	148	..... 1945....	290
..... 1944....	218	..... trees of all ages..number 1950....	368
bales 1949....	83	..... 1945....	1,339
..... 1944....	113	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	4,399
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	8	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950....	413
..... 1944....	16	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	1,126
acres 1949....	2	..... 1944....	363
..... 1944....	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950....	1,005
pounds 1949....	1,102	..... 1945....	371
..... 1944....	890	..... vines of all ages..number 1950....	431
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949....	26	..... 1945....	4,882
..... 1944....	25	..... vines not of bearing age..number 1950....	8,325
acres 1949....	1,368	..... vines of bearing age..number 1950....	912
gallons 1949....	75	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	3,970
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	36	..... 1944....	8,333
acres 1949....	264	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950....	22,993
100 lb. ear corn 1949....		..... 1945....	32
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949....	2	..... trees of all ages..number 1950....	12
..... acres 1949....	6	..... 1945....	97
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949....	1,498	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	30
..... 1944....	1,702 trees of bearing age..number 1950....	46
	 quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	51
	 1944....	920
			85

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Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	87.21945...	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	134,194	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	184
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	208,170	.....1945...	108
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	12,445	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	955
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	82,578	.....1945...	998
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	272,222	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	695
.....1945...	287,247	.....1945...	1,087
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	81.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	205
.....1945...	72.7	.....1945...	302
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,500	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	496
.....1945...	8,884	.....1945...	529
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	187.39	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	284
.....1945...	122.23	.....1945...	256
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	165
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5,245	.....1945...	139
.....1944...	5,640	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	78
.....acres 1949...	227,578	.....1945...	70
.....1944...	224,275	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	58
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	201	.....1945...	53
.....1944...	145	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	114
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	579	.....1945...	105
.....1944...	687	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	45
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	484	.....1945...	32
.....1944...	516	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,082	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	692		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	695	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	747	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	423	White operators.....number 1950...	2,787
.....1944...	584	.....1945...	5,008
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	188	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	580
.....1944...	170	.....1945...	688
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	840	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	1,821	Full owners.....number 1950...	593
.....acres 1949...	7,518	.....1945...	548
.....1944...	12,961	Part owners.....number 1950...	518
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	498	.....1945...	208
.....acres 1949...	11,204	Managers.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	8,575	.....1945...	12
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	98	All tenants.....number 1950...	2,458
.....acres 1949...	105	.....1945...	2,211
.....1944...	5,592	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	72.5
.....1944...	1,510	.....1945...	78.2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	180	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	150
.....acres 1949...	118	.....1945...	85
.....1944...	8,946	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	444
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	2,771	.....1945...	732
.....1944...	155	Share tenants.....number 1950...	648
.....acres 1949...	91	.....1945...	442
.....1944...	1,737	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	64
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,252	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	1,952	Croppers.....number 1950...	1,172
.....acres 1949...	2,996	.....1945...	1,358
.....1944...	11,849	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	76
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	16,205	.....1945...	210
.....1944...	8	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....acres 1949...	11,849	.....1945...	70
.....1944...	16,205		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	246
		.....1945...	141
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,755
		.....1945...	1,440
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,748
		Average of last monthly electric bill,.....dollars 1950...	4.85
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	854
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	584
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	257
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,992
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	246
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	656
		.....number 1950...	618
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	32
		.....number 1950...	85
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	156
		.....number 1950...	7
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		.....number 1950...	7
		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...	1,313	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	15
.....farms reporting 1945.....	873	General farms.....number 1950.....	70
.....number 1950.....	1,543	.....number 1950.....	65
.....number 1945.....	990	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,651	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	809
.....farms reporting 1945.....	910		
.....number 1950.....	2,905	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1945.....	1,366	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	5,145
.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,621	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	86
.....number 1950.....	2,792	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	861
.....number 1950.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	790
.....number 1950.....	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	866
.....number 1950.....	78	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	788
.....number 1950.....	1,255	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	852
.....number 1945.....	1,394	Other farms.....number 1950.....	804
.....number 1950.....	1,465	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	52
.....number 1945.....	1,551	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	112
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	112
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,276	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,682,791
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	597	.....dollars 1944.....	15,849,524
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	564	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,125,967
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,080	.....dollars 1944.....	14,884,400
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,010,376
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	14,888,845
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	245	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	94,145
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,590	.....dollars 1944.....	8,971
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,071	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,588
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	298	.....dollars 1944.....	35,118
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,466
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	80
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,665	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	556,069
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	146	.....dollars 1944.....	764,027
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	351	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	18,858
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	.....dollars 1944.....	69,629
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,432
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	88,728
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	851	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	475,779
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,873	.....dollars 1944.....	607,770
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	455	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	735
FARM LABOR*		.....dollars 1944.....	1,067
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,529	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	940
.....persons 1950.....	4,598	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	800
.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,273	.....number 1945.....	440
.....persons 1950.....	2,223	.....number 1950.....	400
.....farms reporting 1950.....	545	.....number 1945.....	844
.....persons 1950.....	540	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	828
.....farms reporting 1950.....	499	.....number 1945.....	1,797
.....persons 1950.....	1,835	.....number 1950.....	2,041
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1945.....	6,860
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,867	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,561	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,439
.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,737	.....number 1945.....	2,349
.....dollars 1949.....	817,852	.....number 1950.....	5,990
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,540	.....number 1945.....	7,416
.....dollars 1949.....	4,623,553	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,384
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,950	.....number 1945.....	2,282
.....dollars 1949.....	317,940	.....number 1950.....	2,285
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,250	.....number 1945.....	4,464
.....dollars 1949.....	172,198	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,324
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,950	.....number 1950.....	1,330
.....dollars 1949.....	454,317	.....number 1945.....	872
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,872	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	784
.....dollars 1949.....	854,322	.....number 1950.....	180
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,500	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	402
.....dollars 1949.....	415,128	.....number 1950.....	583
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,521	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	589
.....dollars 1949.....	209,427	.....number 1950.....	88
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....farms reporting 1949.....	125
No sales.....number 1950.....	39	.....pounds 1949.....	255,357
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	75	.....dollars 1944.....	1,021,565
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	24	.....dollars 1949.....	57
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	68	.....dollars 1944.....	82
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	178	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	10,573
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	295	.....farms reporting 1949.....	82
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	571	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	6,544
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	595	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	16,828
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	509	.....dollars 1949.....	8,483
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	572	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	51
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	427	.....dollars 1949.....	2,822
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	5,049	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,519
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	198	.....number 1945.....	1,758
Cotton.....number 1950.....	2,861	.....number 1950.....	12,445
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1945.....	14,569
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	1	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,293
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	5,948
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	1	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	788
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	6,487
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	719
		.....number 1945.....	745
		.....number 1950.....	1,549
		.....number 1945.....	1,605

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.....	8	Sorghums:	
.....number 1950.....	59	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	14
.....number 1945.....	59	.....acres 1944...	41
Sheep and lambs born before		.....acres 1949...	19
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		.....acres 1944...	80
.....number 1950.....		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		.....acres 1944...	7
.....number 1950.....	5	.....acres 1949...	2
.....number 1945 ¹	37	.....bushels 1944...	7
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....		.....bushels 1949...	25
.....number 1950.....		.....acres 1944...	73
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....number 1950.....		.....acres 1949.....	
.....number 1945 ¹.....		.....tons green weight 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
.....number 1949.....	2	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
.....number shorn 1949.....	152	.....acres 1949.....	17
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	152	.....tons cut 1949.....	25
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,585	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
.....number 1945.....	8,012	.....acres 1949.....	37
.....number 1950.....	79,948	.....bushels 1949.....	147
.....number 1945.....	123,337	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	463	.....acres 1944.....	27
.....number 1949.....	18,876	.....acres 1949.....	314
.....dollars 1949.....	18,279	.....bushels 1944.....	895
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	420	.....bushels 1949.....	6,884
.....dozens 1949.....	110,867	.....acres 1944.....	15,687
.....dollars 1949.....	45,194	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	.....acres 1944.....	35
.....number 1950.....	377	.....acres 1949.....	81
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....	71	.....bushels 1944.....	578
.....number 1949.....	78	.....bushels 1949.....	2,425
.....number 1944.....	499	.....acres 1944.....	15,811
.....number 1944.....	984	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....acres 1944.....	78
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		.....acres 1949.....	10
alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,065	.....acres 1944.....	442
.....dollars 1949.....	470,985	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	547	.....acres 1944.....	76
.....number 1949.....	904	.....acres 1949.....	116
.....number 1944.....	1,471	.....bushels 1944.....	1,254
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949.....	5,973	.....bushels 1949.....	1,557
.....number 1949.....	195	.....acres 1944.....	25,524
.....dollars 1949.....	871	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	100,802	.....acres 1944.....	5
.....number 1949.....	440	.....acres 1949.....	16
.....dollars 1949.....	800	.....bushels 1944.....	72
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	47,969	.....bushels 1949.....	200
.....number 1949.....	809	.....acres 1944.....	1,155
.....number 1944.....	907	Annual legumes:	
.....dollars 1949.....	10,850	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,204
.....dollars 1944.....	18,654	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	47,782
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	511,287	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	40,210
.....number 1949.....	10	.....acres grown alone 1944.....	4,424
.....number 1944.....	36	.....acres grown with other crops 1944.....	7,776
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	100	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,182
.....number 1949.....	226	.....acres grown alone 1944.....	1,588
.....number 1944.....	11,447	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	47,800
.....dollars 1949.....		.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	5,825
.....dollars 1944.....		.....bushels 1949.....	1,202,198
.....dollars 1944.....		.....acres 1944.....	989,195
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	30
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,461	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	135
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	116	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	185
.....number 1949.....	135	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	185
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....number 1949.....	32	for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	36
.....number 1944.....	4	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	44
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	80	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	413
.....number 1949.....	114	Soybeans plowed under for green	
.....number 1944.....	116	manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	21
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	131	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	285
.....number 1949.....	136	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	86
.....number 1944.....	1,448	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
.....number 1944.....	2,510	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	18
.....number 1949.....	5,415	.....acres grown with other crops 1944.....	209
.....number 1944.....	7,222	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	5
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		.....acres 1944.....	22
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	51	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....dollars 1949.....	2,197	.....acres grown alone 1944.....	1
.....dollars 1944.....		.....acres grown alone 1949.....	
.....dollars 1944.....		.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		.....bushels 1944.....	10
Corn:		.....bushels 1949.....	3
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,555	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	16
.....number 1944.....	2,244	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	16,287	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	3
.....acres 1944.....	41,872	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	20
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,586	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....acres 1949.....	2,233	for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....acres 1944.....	17,850	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	
.....bushels 1949.....	41,526	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
.....bushels 1944.....	406,192	.....acres 1944.....	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	970,259	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
.....acres 1944.....	2	manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	10	.....acres grown alone 1949.....	
.....acres 1944.....	70	.....acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		.....acres 1944.....	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949.....	49	.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	427		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	452	1944.....	24
acres 1949.....	10,282	acres 1949.....	759
alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	426	1944.....	99
1944.....	1,076	acres 1949.....	94,145
acres 1949.....	9,888	1944.....	8,971
1944.....	18,845	acres 1949.....	6
tons 1949.....	24,422	1944.....	5
1944.....	49,585	acres 1949.....	30
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	6
1944.....	24	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	98	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	181	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	182	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	213	acres 1949.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1944.....	2
1944.....	100	acres 1949.....	11
acres 1949.....	212	1944.....	7
1944.....	1,185	acres 1949.....	5
tons 1949.....	545	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	1,092	acres 1949.....	6
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944.....	110
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	91	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	79	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	7	1944.....	19
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	81	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	806
1944.....	40	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	23	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	23	acres 1949.....	47
1944.....	213	quarts 1949.....	69,004
tons 1949.....	25	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	281	acres 1949.....	.....
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quarts 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....
tons green weight 1949.....	.....	quarts 1949.....	.....
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	392
1944.....	1	acres 1950.....	48
acres 1949.....	5	acres 1950 ²	78
1944.....	20	1945.....	137
bushels 1949.....	10	farms reporting 1950.....	218
1944.....	30	1945.....	108
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	524
1944.....	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	854
acres 1949.....	37	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	131
1944.....	133	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	393
pounds 1949.....	7,278	1944.....	585
1944.....	23,050	264	264
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	180
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	205
bushels 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,584
farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1945.....	9,169
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	962
pounds 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	432
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	191	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	547
1944.....	494	1944.....	1,486
acres 1949 ¹	9	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	69
1944.....	112	1945.....	61
bushels 1949.....	1,809	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	234
1944.....	8,251	1945.....	418
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	75	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	94
1944.....	199	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	140
acres 1949 ¹	57	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	194
1944.....	56	1944.....	959
bushels 1949.....	4,247	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	54
1944.....	8,122	1945.....	31
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5,077	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	71
1944.....	3,394	1945.....	108
acres 1949.....	149,145	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	27
1944.....	109,808	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	44
bales 1949.....	117,048	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	208
1944.....	118,570	1944.....	80
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	81
1944.....	.....	1945.....	117
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	373
pounds 1949.....	.....	1945.....	741
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	165
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	210
gallons 1949.....	189	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	313
1944.....	2	1944.....	97
acres 1949.....	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	37
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	12	1945.....	548
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1949.....	978
acres 1949.....	101	1945.....	148
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,841	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	597
1944.....	3,103	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,127
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	12,514
		1944.....	108
		Peanuts (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950.....	138
		1945.....	1,558
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	6,539
		1945.....	538
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	580
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	9,897
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	26,668
		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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE*		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,747	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	123
.....number 1945...	1,718	.....number 1945...	83
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	304,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	28
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	84.2	.....number 1945...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	202,850	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	95
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	67,225	.....number 1945...	79
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,585	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	106
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,026	.....number 1945...	87
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	256,634	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	108
.....acres 1945...	254,120	.....number 1945...	94
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	146.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	103
.....acres 1945...	147.9	.....number 1945...	104
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	9,738	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	222
.....average per acre, dollars 1945...	6,406	.....number 1945...	241
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	66.83	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	332
.....average per acre, dollars 1945...	43.31	.....number 1945...	372
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	242
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,514	.....number 1945...	249
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,587	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	164
.....acres 1949...	95,738	.....number 1945...	176
.....acres 1944...	96,761	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	108
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	171	.....number 1945...	109
.....farms reporting 1944...	177	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	205
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	140	.....number 1945...	176
.....farms reporting 1944...	142	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	31
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	121	.....number 1945...	24
.....farms reporting 1944...	133	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	272	.....number 1945...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...	286		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	532	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....farms reporting 1944...	580	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	240	White operators.....number 1950...	1,743
.....farms reporting 1944...	250	.....number 1945...	1,714
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	4
.....farms reporting 1944...	19	.....number 1945...	4
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,266	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....farms reporting 1944 ¹ ...	1,069	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,160
.....acres 1949...	37,589	.....number 1945...	1,085
.....acres 1944 ¹ ...	28,588	Part owners.....number 1950...	329
Cropland not harvested and not		.....number 1945...	313
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	581	Managers.....number 1950...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...	13,312	.....number 1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	12,678	All tenants.....number 1950...	255
.....acres 1944...	855	.....number 1945...	318
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	790	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	14.6
.....farms reporting 1944...	33,325	.....percent 1945...	18.5
.....acres 1949...	30,325	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1944...	1,970	.....number 1945...	34
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,970	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....farms reporting 1944...	44,315	.....number 1945...	172
.....acres 1949...	45,270	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	274
.....acres 1944...	45,270	.....number 1945...	144
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	28
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	714	.....number 1945...	50
.....farms reporting 1944 ¹ ...	1,194	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	17,017	.....number 1945...	13
.....acres 1944 ¹ ...	28,794	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	37
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,664	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,702	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	958
.....acres 1949...	15,338	.....farms reporting 1945...	998
.....acres 1944...	11,704	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,149
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....farms reporting 1945...	482
.....farms reporting 1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,179
.....acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.25
.....acres 1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	367
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	136
.....farms reporting 1944...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	317
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,023
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	216
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	9
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	278
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	283
		.....number 1950...	118
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	118
		.....number 1950...	77
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	77
		.....number 1950...	43
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1950...	85
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	110
		.....number 1950...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	444	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	742
.....farms reporting 1945.....	315	General farms.....number 1950...	307
.....number 1950.....	469	.....number 1945.....	5
.....farms reporting 1945.....	342	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	172
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	854	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	130
.....farms reporting 1945.....	712	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	386
.....number 1950.....	1,025	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	776		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	824		
.....number 1950.....	969		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20		
.....number 1950.....	20		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	36		
.....number 1950.....	36		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,207		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,375		
.....number 1950.....	1,355		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,508		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	398		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	46		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	409		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	654		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	240		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,366
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	111	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	13
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	672	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	78
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	501	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	260
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	290	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	464
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	343
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	208
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	475	Other farms.....number 1950...	381
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	155
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	452	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	225
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	150	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.7		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	272		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	962		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	305		
FARM LABOR^A		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,724,348
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,479	.....dollars 1944...	3,652,484
.....persons 1950...	2,836	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,148,711
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,474	.....dollars 1944...	761,483
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,429	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,122,777
Operators.....persons 1950...	737	.....dollars 1944...	735,371
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,207	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	889
.....persons 1950...	148	.....dollars 1944...	260
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	200	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	23,845
.....persons 1950...	200	.....dollars 1944...	25,832
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,200
		.....dollars 1944...	
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,528,343
		.....dollars 1944...	2,870,980
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	449,446
		.....dollars 1944...	310,077
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	833,344
		.....dollars 1944...	634,702
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,245,759
		.....dollars 1944...	1,926,201
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	47,088
		.....dollars 1944...	20,021
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,200
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	964
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,159
		.....number 1950.....	2,073
		.....number 1945.....	2,867
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	470
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	818
		.....number 1950.....	959
		.....number 1945.....	1,855
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,541
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,585
		.....number 1950.....	22,736
		.....number 1945.....	22,323
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,501
		.....farms reporting 1945 ³	1,570
		.....number 1950.....	9,843
		.....number 1945 ³	11,831
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,401
		.....number 1950.....	7,310
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	976
		.....number 1950.....	4,305
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	823
		.....number 1950.....	5,426
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	970
		.....number 1950.....	3,182
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	347
		.....pounds 1944...	232
		.....pounds 1949...	7,708,706
		.....pounds 1944...	4,453,054
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	243,566
		.....farms reporting 1944...	58
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	58
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	421,644
		.....dollars 1949...	417,411
		.....dollars 1944...	205,819
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		.....dollars 1949...	61
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,428
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,411
		.....number 1950.....	40,604
		.....number 1945.....	31,050
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,384
		.....number 1950...	20,284
		.....number 1950...	1,053
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	20,326
		.....number 1950...	1,229
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,231
		.....number 1950...	4,974
		.....number 1945...	3,703
		.....number 1945...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	83	Sorghums:	
1945.....	130	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950...	2,547	1944.....	29
1945.....	2,608	acres 1949...	40
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	89
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	82	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950...	1,352	1944.....	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	79	acres 1949.....	5
1945 ¹	128	1944.....	5
number 1950...	1,256	bushels 1949.....	100
1945 ¹	2,300	1944.....	11
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	54	acres 1949.....	31
number 1950...	96	tons..green weight 1949...	240
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	79	Sorghum or gane/hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	1,195	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	80	1944.....	9
number shorn 1949.....	133	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	1,392	tons out 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	10,621		
1944.....	18,810	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,572	acres 1949...	370
1945.....	1,627	bushels 1949...	6,590
number 1950...	206,314	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	930
1945.....	223,609	1944.....	1,013
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,133	acres 1949...	23,567
number 1949...	169,709	1944.....	23,831
dollars 1949...	158,286	bushels 1949...	449,847
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,363	1944.....	516,794
dozens 1949...	1,844,045	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	720
dollars 1949...	656,374	1944.....	762
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	22	acres 1949...	8,620
number 1950...	145	1944.....	8,212
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	21	bushels 1949...	197,048
1944.....	43	1944.....	178,943
number 1949...	3,816	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	125
1944.....	1,747	1944.....	344
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	803
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	2,234
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,546	acres 1949...	495
dollars 1949...	3,229,620	1944.....	620
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,313	acres 1949...	4,695
1944.....	1,403	1944.....	5,652
number 1949...	11,194	bushels 1949...	129,091
1944.....	11,398	1944.....	146,028
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	887	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number 1949...	7,264	1944.....	43
dollars 1949...	1,247,323	acres 1949...	140
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	995	1944.....	375
number 1949...	3,930	bushels 1949...	2,285
dollars 1949...	265,485	1944.....	4,945
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,391	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,395	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	117
number 1949...	45,922	acres grown alone 1949...	1,576
1944.....	44,176	1944 ²	1,006
dollars 1949...	1,682,537	acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1944 ²	181
1944.....	104	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	81
number 1949...	1,237	1944.....	61
1944.....	1,976	acres grown alone 1949...	1,365
dollars 1949...	25,309	acres grown with other crops 1949...	13
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	122	bushels 1949...	21,801
number 1949...	210	1944.....	8,441
dollars 1949...	8,966	acres 1949...	38
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	181
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,472	acres grown alone 1949...	3
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	455	acres grown with other crops 1949...	291
number 1949...	539	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	233	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	356	acres grown alone 1949...	11
number 1949...	244	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	362	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	129	acres grown alone 1949...	19
1944.....	295	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	131	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	1,446	acres grown alone 1949...	103
number 1949...	1,506	1944 ²	562
1944.....	4,693	acres grown with other crops 1949...	11
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ²	68
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	299	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	11,271	1944.....	29
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	7
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,347	bushels 1949...	70
1944.....	1,402	1944.....	1,294
acres 1949...	30,697	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944.....	28,729	acres grown alone 1949...	84
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,336	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	1,402	tons 1949...	125
acres 1949...	29,926	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	28,560	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
bushels 1949...	1,247,883	acres grown alone 1949...	3
1944.....	1,093,681	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	353	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	2,584	acres grown alone 1949...	9
tons..green weight 1949...		acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or			
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	70		
acres 1949...	418		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,318	..... 1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	23,371	acres 1949.....	56
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	649	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	624	sold..dollars 1949.....	899
acres 1949.....	7,662	..... 1944.....	260
..... 1944.....	5,006	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	9
tons 1949.....	20,587	..... 1944.....	.....
..... 1944.....	13,175	acres 1949.....	3
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	358	..... 1944.....	.....
..... 1944.....	547	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949.....	3,747	..... 1944.....	.....
..... 1944.....	6,075	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	4,986	..... 1944.....	.....
..... 1944.....	8,789	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	854	..... 1944.....	2
..... 1944.....	563	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949.....	11,110	..... 1944.....	.....
..... 1944.....	5,082	acres 1949.....	11
tons 1949.....	15,686	..... 1944.....	.....
..... 1944.....	4,917	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Ono, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	46	..... 1944.....	33
..... 1944.....	47	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	278	..... 1944.....	(*)
..... 1944.....	317	acres 1949.....	3
tons 1949.....	266	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	307	acres 1949.....	9
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	9	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	21	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	73	..... 1944.....	(*)
..... 1944.....	83	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	116	..... 1944.....	(*)
..... 1944.....	75	acres 1949.....	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	73	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944.....	154	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	19
acres 1949.....	677	..... 1944.....	2
..... 1944.....	2,251	acres 1949...	2,369
tons 1949.....	721	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	6
..... 1944.....	2,001	..... 1944.....	7
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quarts 1949...	840
acres 1949.....	57	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949.....	243	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	980
Field crops (other):		..... 1945.....	1,318
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	85	acres 1950 ¹ ..	479
..... 1944.....	168	..... 1945.....	1,696
acres 1949.....	658	..... 1944.....	782
..... 1944.....	1,435	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
bushels 1949.....	605	..... 1945.....	1,280
..... 1944.....	1,376	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,343
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	380	..... 1945.....	17,849
..... 1944.....	549	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,796
acres 1949.....	9,971	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,547
..... 1944.....	7,223	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	18,119
pounds 1949.....	1,253,616	..... 1944.....	8,347
..... 1944.....	1,408,254	..... 1945.....	837
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,460
..... 1944.....	18	..... 1945.....	13,489
acres 1949.....	40	..... 1944.....	25,317
bushels 1949.....	40	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,494
..... 1944.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,995
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	10,413
acres 1949.....	23	..... 1944.....	12,679
pounds 1949.....	830	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	515
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,179	..... 1945.....	986
..... 1944.....	1,598	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,373
acres 1949 ¹ ..	152	..... 1945.....	2,670
..... 1944.....	305	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	191
bushels 1949.....	24,275	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,384
..... 1944.....	30,255	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,111
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	571	..... 1944.....	1,806
..... 1944.....	792	..... 1945.....	483
acres 1949 ¹ ..	13	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,093
..... 1944.....	100	..... 1945.....	1,479
bushels 1949.....	4,207	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,186
..... 1944.....	6,702	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	482
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	997
..... 1944.....	.....	..... 1944.....	13,008
acres 1949.....	.....	..... 1945.....	36,670
..... 1944.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	365
bales 1949.....	.....	..... 1945.....	921
..... 1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,680
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	..... 1945.....	4,527
..... 1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	408
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,472
..... 1944.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	263
pounds 1949.....	338	..... 1944.....	2,343
..... 1944.....	285	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	628
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	37	..... 1945.....	1,121
acres 1949.....	10	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,168
..... 1944.....	705	..... 1945.....	6,169
gallons 1949.....	40	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	413
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,753
acres 1949.....	80	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	30,439
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	80	..... 1944.....	50,402
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	63
acres 1949.....	23	..... 1945.....	199
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,472	trees of all ages..number 1950...	397
..... 1944.....	1,671	..... 1945.....	1,998
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	129
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	268
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,910
		..... 1944.....	23,905

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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950.....	2,381	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	150
.....1945.....	2,542	.....1945.....	170
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	434,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	34
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	93.9	.....1945.....	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	300,348	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	116
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	142,972	.....1945.....	160
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	2,335	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	185
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	37,462	.....1945.....	219
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	408,193	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	182
.....1945.....	423,016	.....1945.....	220
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	171.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	133
.....1945.....	166.4	.....1945.....	139
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950.....	11,436	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	276
.....1945.....	7,742	.....1945.....	295
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	65.60	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	315
.....1945.....	46.52	.....1945.....	343
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	312
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,004	.....1945.....	319
.....1944.....	2,254	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	207
.....acres 1949.....	176,814	.....1945.....	185
.....1944.....	196,968	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	172
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	137	.....1945.....	169
.....1944.....	250	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	349
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	203	.....1945.....	386
.....1944.....	210	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	84
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	175	.....1945.....	84
.....1944.....	181	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	16
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	290	.....1945.....	13
.....1944.....	299		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	532	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	583	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	463	White operators.....number 1950.....	2,367
.....1944.....	525	.....1945.....	2,517
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	184	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	14
.....1944.....	206	.....1945.....	25
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	975	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹	770	Full owners.....number 1950.....	1,480
.....acres 1949.....	51,856	.....1945.....	1,381
.....1944 ¹	39,195	.....number 1950.....	419
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	391
pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	580	Managers.....number 1950.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	19,698	.....1945.....	14
.....1944.....	8,373	All tenants.....number 1950.....	477
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	759	.....1945.....	756
.....1944.....	776	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	20.0
.....acres 1949.....	32,756	.....1945.....	29.7
.....1944.....	29,410	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	94
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	440	.....1945.....	198
.....1944.....	384	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	176
.....acres 1949.....	12,684	.....1945.....	270
.....1944.....	10,317	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	124
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945.....	120
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,569	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	93
.....1944 ¹	1,930	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	31
.....acres 1949.....	87,519	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	83
.....1944 ¹	108,556	.....1945.....	168
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950.....	18
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,286	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	65
.....1944.....	2,515		
.....acres 1949.....	26,866	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	30,197	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,590
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1945.....	1,363
.....1944.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,923
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	809
.....1944.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,923
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	5.86
.....acres 1949.....		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	797
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	312
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	220
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,437
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	410
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	158
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	479
		.....number 1950.....	498
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	210
		.....number 1950.....	210
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	158
		.....number 1950.....	162
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	207
		.....number 1950.....	232
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	33
		.....number 1950.....	61
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	2,233		
.....1945.....	2,368		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	112		
.....1945.....	145		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	674		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	953		
.....1944.....	716		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	532		
.....1944.....	530		

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...	714	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,031
.....1945...	424	General farms.....number 1950...	255
.....number 1950...	787	.....number 1950...	19
.....1945...	467	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	112
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,308	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	124
.....1945...	973	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	617
.....number 1950...	1,664	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....1945...	1,087		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,268		
.....number 1950...	1,515		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	132		
.....number 1950...	132		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	17		
.....number 1950...	17		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,701		
.....1945...	2,006		
.....number 1950...	1,962		
.....1945...	2,206		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	459		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	77		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	511		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	980		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	354		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	110		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	646		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	804		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	688		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,462		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	40		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	117		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	25		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	441		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,732		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	65		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,069		
.....persons 1950...	3,534		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,053		
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,972		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	903		
.....persons 1950...	1,262		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	238		
.....persons 1950...	300		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,179		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,684		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458		
.....dollars 1949...	287,409		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,314		
.....dollars 1949...	518,984		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,059		
.....dollars 1949...	2,018,883		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,814		
.....dollars 1949...	2,585,851		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,758		
.....dollars 1949...	202,151		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,509		
.....dollars 1949...	431,405		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,154		
.....dollars 1949...	168,408		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,273		
.....dollars 1949...	146,133		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950...	77		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	262		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	93		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	119		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	171		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	228		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	372		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	368		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	301		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	202		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	188		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	64		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	64		
Cotton.....number 1950...			
Other field-crop.....number 1950...			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...			
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	307		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	107		
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS			
Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,774		
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	68		
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	120		
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	332		
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	539		
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	496		
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	219		
Other farms.....number 1950...	607		
Part-time ².....number 1950...	268		
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	339		
Abnormal ³.....number 1950...			
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE			
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,699,342		
.....1944...	8,094,275		
All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,378,815		
.....1944...	909,697		
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,292,642		
.....1944...	811,082		
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,523		
.....1944...	4,184		
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,825		
.....1944...	5,801		
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	80,025		
.....1944...	87,650		
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,305,457		
.....1944...	7,178,220		
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	384,734		
.....1944...	391,789		
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,044,069		
.....1944...	2,480,660		
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	6,266,674		
.....1944...	3,805,771		
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,870		
.....1944...	10,358		
HORSES AND MULES			
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,554		
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,426		
.....1945...	1,775		
.....number 1950...	3,681		
.....1945...	5,457		
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	338		
.....1945...	752		
.....number 1950...	943		
.....1945...	1,903		
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS			
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,350		
.....1945...	2,288		
.....number 1950...	45,195		
.....1945...	44,419		
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,105		
.....1945...	2,242		
.....number 1950...	18,450		
.....1945...	22,525		
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,937		
.....number 1950...	10,772		
.....number 1950...	1,514		
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	9,507		
.....number 1950...	1,308		
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	10,668		
.....number 1950...	1,482		
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	6,570		
.....number 1950...	725		
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	637		
.....1944...	21,623,151		
.....pounds 1949...	21,698,075		
.....1944...	824,136		
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	650		
.....1944...	827		
.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	305,570		
.....1944...	411,563		
.....dollars 1949...	163,944		
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	34		
.....dollars 1949...	634		
HOGS			
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,664		
.....1945...	1,694		
.....number 1950...	54,674		
.....1945...	45,313		
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,584		
.....number 1950...	27,710		
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,111		
.....number 1950...	26,964		
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,321		
.....1945...	1,366		
.....number 1950...	7,279		
.....1945...	6,210		

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	251	Sorghums:	
1945... number 1950...	444	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	203
1945... number 1945...	10,769	1944... acres 1949...	527
1945... number 1945...	11,810	1944... acres 1944...	1,701
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	246	1944... acres 1944...	4,609
number 1950...	6,628	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	97
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	241	1944... acres 1949...	298
1945 ¹ ... number 1950...	434	1944... acres 1944...	762
1945 ¹ ... number 1950...	6,005	1944... bushels 1949...	2,340
1945 ¹ ... number 1945...	10,316	1944... bushels 1944...	17,642
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	185	1944... bushels 1944...	62,564
number 1950...	623	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	55
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	224	1944... acres 1949...	567
number 1950...	4,141	1944... tons green weight 1949...	5,225
1949... number shorn 1949...	273	Sorghum or rans hogged or grazed, or out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	62
1944... number shorn 1949...	450	1944... acres 1949...	372
1944... number shorn 1949...	6,378	1944... tons cut 1949...	708
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	43,937	Small grains:	
1944... pounds 1944...	82,719	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944... acres 1949...	520
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944... bushels 1949...	9,480
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,061	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	829
1945... number 1950...	2,282	1944... acres 1944...	622
1945... number 1949...	222,162	1944... acres 1944...	26,842
1945... dollars 1949...	272,338	1944... bushels 1949...	15,921
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,273	1944... bushels 1944...	332,021
number 1949...	132,639	1944... bushels 1944...	206,190
dollars 1949...	124,884	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,671	1944... acres 1949...	799
dozens 1949...	1,476,036	1944... acres 1944...	32,133
dollars 1949...	571,845	1944... bushels 1949...	22,974
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	21	1944... bushels 1949...	613,301
number 1950...	65	1944... bushels 1944...	302,313
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	77	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	214
1944... number 1949...	58,824	1944... acres 1949...	508
1944... number 1944...	7,172	1944... acres 1944...	3,154
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944... acres 1944...	8,322
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,083	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	57
dollars 1949...	6,236,297	1944... acres 1949...	17
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,869	1944... acres 1944...	678
1944... number 1949...	1,913	1944... bushels 1949...	276
1944... number 1949...	26,131	1944... bushels 1944...	10,097
1944... number 1944...	25,897	1944... bushels 1944...	3,950
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,310	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	35
number 1949...	18,075	1944... acres 1944...	25
dollars 1949...	3,236,792	1944... acres 1949...	426
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,332	1944... acres 1944...	426
number 1949...	8,056	1944... bushels 1949...	5,153
dollars 1949...	609,491	1944... bushels 1944...	5,234
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,624	Annual legumes:	
1944... number 1949...	1,737	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	195
1944... number 1944...	60,255	acres grown alone 1949...	2,846
1944... number 1944...	70,381	1944 ² ... acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,315
dollars 1949...	2,216,977	1944 ² ... acres grown with other crops 1944...	78
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	272	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	138
1944... number 1949...	397	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	124
1944... number 1944...	9,913	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	149
1944... number 1944...	9,742	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,461
dollars 1949...	154,131	1944... bushels 1949...	29,575
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	216	1944... bushels 1944...	33,792
number 1949...	486	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	66
dollars 1949...	18,906	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	345
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,674	1944... tons 1949...	372
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	784	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number 1949...	867	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	19
1944... number 1944...	188	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	37
1944... number 1944...	286	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944... number 1949...	203	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	21
1944... number 1949...	303	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944... number 1944...	613	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944... number 1944...	486	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944... number 1944...	664	1944 ² ... acres grown with other crops 1949...	100
1944... number 1944...	520	1944 ² ... acres grown with other crops 1944...	4
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,511	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944... number 1949...	1,922	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	
1944... number 1949...	3,400	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944... number 1944...	4,933	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	356	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	
1949... dollars 1949...	8,445	1944 ² ... acres grown with other crops 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944 ² ... acres grown with other crops 1944...	
Corn:		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,637	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	
1944... acres 1949...	1,919	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944... acres 1944...	56,757	1944... bushels 1949...	
1944... acres 1944...	74,040	1944... bushels 1944...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,596	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944... acres 1949...	1,912	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	
1944... acres 1944...	53,605	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944... bushels 1949...	73,149	1944... tons 1949...	
1944... bushels 1944...	1,605,622	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944... bushels 1944...	2,474,284	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	
1944... bushels 1944...	74	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1,408	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944... acres 1949...	8,289	1944... acres grown alone 1949...	
1944... acres 1944...	151	1944... acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	1,744		
1949... acres 1949...			

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,627	.....farms reporting 1944...	70
.....acres 1949...	47,395	.....acres 1949...	33
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	144	.....acres 1944...	65
.....farms reporting 1944...	92	.....sold..dollars 1949...	1,523
.....acres 1949...	1,261	.....farms reporting 1944...	5,184
.....farms reporting 1944...	619	.....farms reporting 1949...	11
.....tons 1949...	2,829	.....acres 1944...	7
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,484	.....acres 1949...	5
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	423	.....farms reporting 1944...	12
.....farms reporting 1944...	688	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	7,894	.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....farms reporting 1944...	14,692	.....acres 1944...	1
.....tons 1949...	10,450	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	13,528	.....acres 1949...	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,374	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	16
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,368	.....acres 1944...	13
.....acres 1949...	31,673	.....acres 1949...	17
.....farms reporting 1944...	28,469	.....acres 1944...	8
.....tons 1949...	39,984	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....farms reporting 1944...	30,941	.....acres 1949...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	143	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	42	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	1,774	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	443	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	1,928	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
.....farms reporting 1944...	365	.....acres 1944...	26
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	141	.....acres 1949...	6
.....farms reporting 1944...	160	.....acres 1944...	18
.....acres 1949...	3,898	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....farms reporting 1944...	5,199	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	4,135	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...	5,225	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	44
.....farms reporting 1944...	51	.....acres 1949...	10
.....acres 1949...	787	.....quarts 1949...	12,231
.....farms reporting 1944...	860	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	13
.....acres 1949...	1,078	.....acres 1949...	1
.....tons 1949...	728	.....quarts 1949...	1,450
.....farms reporting 1944...	2	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,177
.....acres 1949...	116	.....farms reporting 1945...	760
.....tons..green weight 1949...		.....acres 1950...	179
Field crops (other):		.....acres 1945...	533
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	627
.....farms reporting 1944...	53	.....farms reporting 1945...	695
.....acres 1949...	1,317	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,728
.....farms reporting 1944...	757	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,794
.....bushels 1949...	1,062	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,974
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,022	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,763
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	755	.....bushels 1944...	120
.....farms reporting 1944...	835	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	732
.....acres 1949...	21,611	.....farms reporting 1945...	836
.....acres 1944...	21,599	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,403
.....pounds 1949...	5,594,241	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1945...	7,710
.....farms reporting 1944...	5,705,918	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,202
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	208	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	4,201
.....acres 1949...	4,209	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	519
.....bushels 1949...	14,897	.....bushels 1944...	66
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	51	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	497
.....acres 1949...	602	.....farms reporting 1945...	607
.....pounds 1949...	38,589	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,601
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	969	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1945...	4,034
.....farms reporting 1944...	973	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	610
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	88	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	1,991
.....acres 1944...	181	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,823
.....bushels 1949...	15,475	.....bushels 1944...	737
.....bushels 1944...	9,803	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	437
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	205	.....farms reporting 1945...	737
.....farms reporting 1944...	462	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,401
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1945...	3,424
.....acres 1944...	47	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	600
.....bushels 1949...	800	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	801
.....bushels 1944...	2,376	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,847
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....pounds 1944...	16,522
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	370
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	643
.....acres 1944...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,738
.....bales 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1945...	4,321
.....bales 1944...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	581
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	1,157
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	237
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....bushels 1944...	102
.....acres 1944...	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	711
.....pounds 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	874
.....pounds 1944...	.....	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	7,496
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	16	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1945...	13,191
.....farms reporting 1944...	7	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,277
.....acres 1949...	492	.....vines of bearing age..number 1949...	6,219
.....gallons 1949...	30	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	40,773
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....pounds 1944...	99,056
.....farms reporting 1944...	71	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	27
.....acres 1949...	71	.....farms reporting 1945...	10
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	86
.....farms reporting 1944...	92	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1945...	68
.....acres 1949...	92	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	96
Vegetables harvested for home use (including Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,765	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	218
.....farms reporting 1944...	2,274	.....pounds 1944...	15

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.
³Less than 1 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...	1,501	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	65
.....1945...	1,905	.....1945...	126
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	458,280	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	64.1	.....1945...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	226,886	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	55
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	49,500	.....1945...	125
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,085	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	95
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,997	.....1945...	175
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	277,574	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	184
.....1945...	305,577	.....1945...	255
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	184.9	50 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	84
.....1945...	180.4	.....1945...	106
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	6,542	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	226
.....1945...	3,062	.....1945...	284
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	38.52	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	180
.....1945...	19.27	.....1945...	245
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	168
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,178	.....1945...	205
.....1944...	1,568	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	114
.....acres 1949...	44,548	.....1945...	119
.....1944...	54,974	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	79
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	195	.....1945...	95
.....1944...	418	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	194
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	228	.....1945...	198
.....1944...	250	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	72
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	189	.....1945...	74
.....1944...	199	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	24
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	250	.....1945...	25
.....1944...	314		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	246	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	275	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	65	White operators.....number 1950...	1,501
.....1944...	90	.....1945...	1,804
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	12	.....1945...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	957	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	987	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,240
.....acres 1949...	39,142	.....1945...	1,497
.....1944...	31,781	Part owners.....number 1950...	123
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	136
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	259	Managers.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	8,810	.....1945...	3
.....acres 1949...	4,396	All tenants.....number 1950...	134
.....1944...	1,054	.....1945...	269
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,645	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	8.9
.....1944...	105,892	.....1945...	14.1
.....acres 1949...	152,789	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	40
.....1944...	511	.....1945...	162
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	188	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	44,427	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	8,945	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	52
.....1944...	455	.....1945...	98
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	55
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	999	.....1945...	19
.....1944...	25,410	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	40
.....acres 1949...	43,644	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	1,587	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	11
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,885	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
.....1944...	9,550		
.....acres 1949...	8,570	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	5	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	655
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945...	717
.....1944...	5	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	935
.....acres 1949...	5	.....1945...	575
.....1944...	5	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	926
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	447	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.04
.....1944...	485	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	326
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	104
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	108
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	695
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	68
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	55
		.....number 1950...	55
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	6
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	51
		.....number 1950...	51
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	56
		.....number 1950...	56
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		.....number 1950...	8
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,400		
.....1945...	1,807		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	57		
.....1945...	68		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	588		
.....1944...	647		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	604		
.....1944...	604		

*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... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	543 365 577 378	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950... General farms.....number 1950... Primarily crop.....number 1950... Primarily livestock.....number 1950... Crop and livestock.....number 1950... Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	486 89 21 47 21 720	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	508 325 575 345	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950...	482 524 46	Commercial farms.....number 1950... Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more)...number 1950... Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999)...number 1950... Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999)...number 1950... Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999)...number 1950... Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499)...number 1950... Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) 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...	786 6 14 65 125 285 814 715 259 452 4	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950...	46 46 3	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950...	3 3 886	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... All crops sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... Forest products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944...	2,257,588 1,561,492 217,048 116,065 118,949 62,856 519 4,566 79,725 42,536 17,855 5,127 2,018,615 1,482,041 519,019 274,180 288,865 284,292 1,415,741 875,569 21,905 16,588	
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950...	1,049 804 1,074	HORSES AND MULES		
Farms by class of work power:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	964 894 1,129 2,121 2,801 186 569 546 784	
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...	441 98 485 547 180	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945... Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950... Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... pounds 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944... Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... pounds of butterfat 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	1850 1,808 19,575 20,187 1,816 1,577 9,651 11,571 1,190 5,581 738 3,299 589 2,919 825 5,506 209 101 6,581,672 4,108,020 240,454 411 890 147,994 258,103 79,727 11 658	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		HOGS		
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950... 1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... Average distance reported.....miles 1950... Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	85 708 517 271 6 496 121 328 133 1,6	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...	861 866 9,814 8,593 798 4,586 474 5,248 525 521 1,196 1,044	
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...	496 121 328 133 1,6	FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		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...	182 294 189 141 175 190 141 78 68 45 19	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950... Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950... Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	540 812 895	FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		
FARM LABOR*		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...	1,294 2,325 1,286 1,206 550 826 145 293 1,415 712 528 87,075 462 179,658 1,260 564,052 848 409,475 814 51,627 680 85,281 501 25,740 478 29,289 10 10 10 10 47 155 84	10 10 10 10 47 155 84
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... persons 1950... 1945... Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950... Operators.....persons 1950... 1945... Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... persons 1950... 1945... Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... persons 1950... 1945...	1,294 2,325 1,286 1,206 550 826 145 293	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...	10 10 10 10 47 155 84	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*				
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949... Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...				

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...	44	Sorghums:	
.....1945...	116	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	27
.....number 1950...	1,262	.....1944...	65
.....1945...	2,696	.....acres 1949...	107
.....1944...		.....1944...	214
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	43	.....1944...	25
.....number 1950...	746	.....acres 1949...	630
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	42	.....1944...	15
.....1945 ¹ ...	111	.....bushels 1949...	72
.....number 1950...	686	.....1944...	356
.....1945 ¹ ...	2,415	.....acres 1949...	14
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	25	.....1944...	35
.....number 1950...	60	.....tons green weight 1949...	71
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Small grains:	
.....number 1950...	516	Grains grown together and threshed	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	43	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....1944...	104	.....acres 1949...	94
.....number shorn 1949...	789	.....bushels 1949...	1,600
.....pounds 1949...	4,865	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	356
.....1944...	14,181	.....1944...	564
.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	.....acres 1949...	4,667
Average date of enumeration.....1950...		.....bushels 1949...	4,619
.....1944...		.....1944...	71,210
.....1950...		.....70,650	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	304
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,241	.....1944...	430
.....1945...	1,655	.....acres 1949...	4,610
.....number 1950...	89,657	.....1944...	5,246
.....1945...	110,700	.....bushels 1949...	110,607
.....1944...		.....1944...	110,698
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	651	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	56
.....number 1949...	90,250	.....1944...	256
.....dollars 1949...	65,482	.....acres 1949...	518
.....1944...	878	.....1944...	2,271
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	518,337	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	70
.....dozens 1949...	190,141	.....1944...	788
.....dollars 1949...	46	.....acres 1949...	548
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	155	.....bushels 1949...	17,145
.....number 1950...	44	.....1944...	16,560
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
.....1944...	1,905	.....1944...	45
.....1944...	1,419	.....acres 1949...	142
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....1944...	285
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		.....bushels 1949...	1,138
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,155	.....1944...	2,555
.....dollars 1949...	1,411,510	Annual legumes:	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,035	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	30
.....1944...	1,522	.....acres grown alone 1949...	169
.....number 1949...	8,737	.....1944 ² ...	124
.....1944...	11,166	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	22
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	587	.....1944 ² ...	85
.....number 1949...	4,114	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....dollars 1949...	651,898	.....1944...	11
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	885	.....acres grown alone 1949...	24
.....number 1949...	4,823	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	248
.....dollars 1949...	321,550	.....bushels 1949...	619
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	780	.....1944...	21
.....1944...	842	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	123
.....number 1949...	12,946	.....acres grown alone 1949...	9
.....1944...	15,235	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	205
.....dollars 1949...	416,214	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	51	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944...	85	.....acres grown alone 1949...	15
.....number 1949...	804	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
.....1944...	1,778	Soybeans plowed under for green	
.....dollars 1949...	12,610	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	86	.....acres grown alone 1949...	7
.....number 1949...	174	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
.....dollars 1949...	9,258	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
FARM SLAUGHTER		.....acres grown alone 1949...	39
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	952	.....1944 ² ...	51
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	185	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
.....number 1949...	211	.....1944 ² ...	15
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	85	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	79	.....1944...	
.....number 1949...	56	.....acres grown alone 1949...	6
.....1944...	86	.....bushels 1949...	60
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	155	.....1944...	
.....number 1949...	90	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....1944...	175	.....acres grown alone 1949...	23
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	93	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
.....1944...	902	.....tons 1949...	42
.....number 1949...	1,278	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....1944...	2,034	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....number 1944...	2,967	.....acres grown alone 1949...	18
.....1944...		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	71	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	1,353	.....acres grown alone 1949...	
.....1944...		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED			
Corn:			
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	686		
.....1944...	961		
.....acres 1949...	6,062		
.....1944...	11,948		
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	678		
.....1944...	960		
.....acres 1949...	7,787		
.....1944...	11,808		
.....bushels 1949...	246,354		
.....1944...	235,765		
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19		
.....acres 1949...	156		
.....tons green weight 1949...	1,645		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or			
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	19		
.....acres 1949...	161		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,050	1944.....	68
acres 1949.....	24,908	acres 1949.....	11
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	41	1944.....	26
1944.....	45	sold..dollars 1949.....	519
acres 1949.....	258	1944.....	4,566
1944.....	256	farms reporting 1949...	10
tons 1949.....	595	1944.....	28
1944.....	429	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	255	1944.....	5
1944.....	461	farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949.....	5,116	1944.....	11
1944.....	8,828	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	6,574	1944.....	1
1944.....	8,797	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Lepedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	755	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	656	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949.....	14,001	1944.....	15
1944.....	2,742	acres 1949.....	6
tons 1949.....	17,472	1944.....	7
1944.....	9,203	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	58	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	21	Horseradiah.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949.....	755	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	248	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949.....	870	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	222	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	35	1944.....	47
1944.....	60	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	628	1944.....	9
1944.....	554	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	916	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	480	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	246	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	567	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	27
acres 1949.....	4,190	acres 1949.....	14
1944.....	7,952	quarts 1949.....	12,459
tons 1949.....	5,005	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	7,785	acres 1949.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quarts 1949.....	1,092
acres 1949.....	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949.....	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	576
Field crops(other):		1945.....	1,284
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres 1950 ²	614
1944.....	5	1945.....	1,422
acres 1949.....	354	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	406
1944.....	24	1945.....	947
bushels 1949.....	451	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,722
1944.....	27	1945.....	11,696
Lepedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	48	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,722
1944.....	54	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,000
acres 1949.....	395	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8,697
1944.....	650	1944.....	817
pounds 1949.....	74,050	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	410
1944.....	121,058	1945.....	1,186
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,503
acres 1949.....	87	1945.....	16,374
bushels 1949.....	574	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,946
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,557
acres 1949.....	195	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	755
pounds 1949.....	14,219	1944.....	1,552
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	785	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	196
1944.....	982	1945.....	535
acres 1949 ³	65	trees of all ages..number 1950...	814
1944.....	217	1945.....	1,859
bushels 1949.....	11,159	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	264
1944.....	11,692	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	550
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	518	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	545
1944.....	520	1944.....	696
acres 1949 ³	7	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	150
1944.....	78	1945.....	761
bushels 1949.....	1,810	trees of all ages..number 1950...	590
1944.....	3,100	1945.....	5,958
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	294
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	296
acres 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,206
1944.....	.....	1944.....	7,255
bales 1949.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	169
1944.....	.....	1945.....	543
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,545
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	5,263
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	354
1944.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	991
pounds 1949.....	40	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	456
1944.....	.....	1944.....	221
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	242
acres 1949.....	4	1945.....	661
gallons 1949.....	555	vines of all ages..number 1950...	132,411
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	264,118
acres 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	17,242
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	27	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	185,169
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,278,028
acres 1949.....	20	1944.....	975,817
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,218	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	7
1944.....	1,727	1945.....	2
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	20
		1945.....	5
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	110
		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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,754	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	67
1945.....	2,093	1945.....	125
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	435,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	81.4	1945.....	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	273,729	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	55
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	97,848	1945.....	120
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,400	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	81
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,056	1945.....	109
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	354,931	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	100
1945.....	386,105	1945.....	139
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	202.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	89
1945.....	184.5	1945.....	114
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	13,029	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	182
1945.....	6,951	1945.....	229
average per acre, dollars 1950*	39.65	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	233
1945.....	37.68	1945.....	297
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	263
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,515	1945.....	295
1944.....	1,724	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	168
acres 1949.....	126,725	1945.....	196
1944.....	128,195	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	132
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	1945.....	136
1944.....	174	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	336
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	161	1945.....	348
1944.....	195	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	85
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	146	1945.....	90
1944.....	163	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	18
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	232	1945.....	15
1944.....	308		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	394	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	449	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	299	White operators.....number 1950...	1,714
1944.....	310	1945.....	2,019
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	149	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	40
1944.....	125	1945.....	74
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	910	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	567	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,163
acres 1949.....	50,930	1945.....	1,303
1944 ¹	26,970	Part owners.....number 1950...	305
Cropland not harvested and not		1945.....	281
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	448	Managers.....number 1950...	12
acres 1949.....	14,932	1945.....	29
1944.....	17,487	All tenants.....number 1950...	274
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	920	1945.....	480
acres 1949.....	51,901	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.6
1944.....	67,660	1945.....	22.9
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	427	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	26
acres 1949.....	292	1945.....	75
1944.....	20,621	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	47
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945.....	47
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,093	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	137
1944 ¹	1,653	1945.....	209
acres 1949.....	65,842	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	64
1944 ¹	113,163	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	73
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	64
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,676	1945.....	149
acres 1949.....	2,009	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
1944.....	23,980	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	57
1944.....	19,297		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,207
acres 1949.....		1945.....	1,407
1944.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,124
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	684
acres 1949.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,124
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.48
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	335
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	153
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	143
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	883
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	274
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	76
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	303
		number 1950...	309
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	313
		number 1950...	322
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	113
		number 1950...	113
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		number 1950...	114
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		number 1950...	48
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,548		
1945.....	1,806		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	129		
1945.....	271		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	342		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	544		
1944.....	444		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	296		
1944.....	313		

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...	513	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	941
.....1945.....	401	General farms.....number 1950...	124
.....number 1950.....	560	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	438	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	787	.....number 1950.....	49
.....1945.....	713	.....number 1950.....	74
.....number 1950.....	1,158	.....number 1950.....	387
.....1945.....	837		
.....number 1950.....	855		
.....1945.....	1,088		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	46	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,373
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	51
.....number 1950.....	18	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	118
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	24	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	296
.....number 1950.....	24	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	364
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,169	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	265
.....1945.....	1,345	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	279
.....number 1950.....	1,407	Other farms.....number 1950.....	381
.....1945.....	1,512	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	136
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	240
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	343	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	5
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	43		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	532	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	612	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,698,949
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	224	.....1944.....	5,680,564
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,709,227
		.....1944.....	1,254,635
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,307,281
		.....1944.....	599,479
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	341
		.....1944.....	4,326
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	137,631
		.....1944.....	15,719
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,283,974
		.....1944.....	435,111
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,962,265
		.....1944.....	4,417,534
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	295,395
		.....1944.....	299,101
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	447,342
		.....1944.....	433,183
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,219,528
		.....1944.....	3,705,248
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	27,477
		.....1944.....	8,395
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,172
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,121
		.....1945.....	1,470
		.....number 1950.....	3,380
		.....1945.....	5,237
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	201
		.....1945.....	486
		.....number 1950.....	397
		.....1945.....	1,152
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,541
		.....1945.....	1,806
		.....number 1950.....	28,173
		.....1945.....	30,779
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,523
		.....1945.....	1,758
		.....number 1950.....	13,423
		.....1945.....	15,316
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,360
		.....number 1950.....	4,950
		.....1945.....	854
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,199
		.....number 1950.....	989
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,222
		.....number 1950.....	1,103
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,329
		.....number 1950.....	131
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	130
		.....1944.....	5,661,754
		.....pounds 1949.....	5,783,010
		.....1944.....	213,550
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	426
		.....1944.....	674
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	154,240
		.....1944.....	191,143
		.....dollars 1949.....	81,212
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
		.....1944.....	633
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,345
		.....1945.....	1,355
		.....number 1950.....	68,968
		.....1945.....	43,334
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,291
		.....number 1950.....	33,315
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	94
		.....number 1950.....	35,631
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,164
		.....1945.....	1,161
		.....number 1950.....	8,848
		.....1945.....	6,987

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...	235	Sorghums:	
1945.....	424	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	42
number 1950.....	13,371	1944.....	162
1945.....	12,484	acres 1949.....	196
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	1,018
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	227	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	7,281	1944.....	9
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	224	acres 1949.....	95
1945 ¹	411	1944.....	7
number 1950.....	6,778	bushels 1949.....	63
1945 ¹	10,922	1944.....	441
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	503	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1950.....	203	acres 1949.....	124
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	6,090	1944.....	184
number 1950.....	241	Sorghum or fens hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	404	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	33
1944.....	7,678	acres 1949.....	124
number shorn 1949.....	53,934	1944.....	184
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	78,588	Small grains:	
1944.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	227
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,487	bushels 1949...	2,909
1945.....	1,746	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	579
number 1950.....	149,500	acres 1949.....	481
1945.....	174,822	1944.....	19,344
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	839	acres 1944.....	14,219
number 1949.....	73,788	bushels 1949.....	329,524
dollars 1949.....	70,689	1944.....	242,164
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,148	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	495
dozens 1949.....	918,528	acres 1949.....	313
dollars 1949.....	326,640	1944.....	10,641
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	23	acres 1944.....	6,464
number 1950.....	106	bushels 1949.....	220,570
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	126,484
1944.....	43	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	212
number 1949.....	6,361	acres 1949.....	455
1944.....	2,491	1944.....	2,633
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	3
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,519	1944.....	149
dollars 1949.....	5,185,308	bushels 1949.....	90
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,323	1944.....	2,325
1944.....	1,527	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1949.....	14,935	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	19,050	acres 1944.....	174
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	792	1944.....	272
number 1949.....	9,396	bushels 1949.....	1,474
dollars 1949.....	1,514,759	1944.....	3,315
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	985	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	5,539	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	401
dollars 1949.....	520,586	acres grown alone 1949.....	10,651
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,297	1944 ²	11,167
1944.....	1,382	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	20
number 1949.....	76,308	1944 ²	3,376
1944.....	80,049	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	311
dollars 1949.....	2,979,312	acres grown alone 1949.....	281
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	223	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	9,585
1944.....	389	bushels 1949.....	20
number 1949.....	8,753	1944.....	183,525
1944.....	13,297	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	106
dollars 1949.....	153,914	acres grown alone 1949.....	816
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	184	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	980
number 1949.....	406	tons 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	16,737	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
FARM SLAUGHTER		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,266	acres grown alone 1949.....	51
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	438	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
number 1949.....	480	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	57	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	57	acres grown alone 1949.....	199
number 1949.....	73	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	58	Coupeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	386	acres grown alone 1949.....	11
number 1949.....	391	1944 ²	190
1944.....	407	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	61
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,220	Coupeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,437	1944.....	
number 1949.....	3,531	acres grown alone 1949.....	1
1944.....	5,140	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	3
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949.....	3
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	196	Coupeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949.....	7,911	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
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Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	1,521	Coupeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	56,207	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
1944.....	54,471	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,321	tons 1949.....	
1944.....	1,515	Coupeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949.....	52,673	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	53,233	acres grown alone 1949.....	8
bushels 1949.....	1,993,633	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	1,967,060	Coupeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	639	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1944.....	4,504	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		tons 1949.....	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	184	Coupeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	2,895	acres grown alone 1949.....	11
		1944 ²	190
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	61
		Coupeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	1
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	3
		tons 1949.....	3
		Coupeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		Coupeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres grown alone 1949.....	8
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,080	..... 1944...	25
acres 1949...	24,334	..... acres 1949...	15
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		..... 1944...	53
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	302	..... sold..dollars 1949...	341
..... 1944...	299	..... 1944...	4,326
acres 1949...	3,803	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4
..... 1944...	3,112	..... acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	7,168	..... 1944...	5
..... 1944...	6,082	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	505	..... 1944...	1
..... 1944...	871	..... acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	10,745	..... 1944...	1
..... 1944...	21,018	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	13,565	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944...	21,873	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	500	..... 1944...	6
..... 1944...	139	..... acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	8,374	..... 1944...	10
..... 1944...	2,418	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949...	11,283	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944...	2,656	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		..... acres 1949...	.....
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
..... 1944...	6	..... acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	931	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	7
..... 1944...	89	..... 1944...	8
tons 1949...	1,006	..... acres 1949...	5
..... 1944...	73	..... 1944...	6
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944...	.....	..... acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	156	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1944...	.....
tons 1949...	179	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944...	.....	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	67	..... acres 1949...	4
..... 1944...	81	..... quarts 1949...	6,498
acres 1949...	959	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
..... 1944...	1,861	..... acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	834	..... quarts 1949...	462
..... 1944...	1,653	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
..... acres 1949...	6	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	698
tons..green weight 1949...	30	..... 1945...	600
Field crops (other):		..... acres 1950 ² ...	717
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	99	..... 1945...	1,502
..... 1944...	95	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	293
acres 1949...	1,522	..... 1945...	393
..... 1944...	1,123	trees of all ages..number 1950...	22,822
bushels 1949...	1,390	..... 1945...	32,691
..... 1944...	1,229	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,414
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	106	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16,208
..... 1944...	72	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	74,982
acres 1949...	1,483	..... 1944...	86,881
..... 1944...	1,119	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	440
pounds 1949...	308,945	..... 1945...	680
..... 1944...	200,911	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,041
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	63	..... 1945...	9,135
acres 1949...	1,048	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,387
bushels 1949...	3,419	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,654
..... 1944...	55	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	858
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	55	..... 1944...	72
acres 1949...	913	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	294
..... 1944...	55,598	..... 1945...	532
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,533
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	523	..... 1945...	4,147
..... 1944...	418	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	228
acres 1949 ¹ ...	29	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,305
..... 1944...	52	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,483
bushels 1949...	5,994	..... 1944...	6,522
..... 1944...	3,087	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	334
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		..... 1945...	622
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	136	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,432
..... 1944...	189	..... 1945...	3,486
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	454
..... 1944...	22	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	978
bushels 1949...	322	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,154
..... 1944...	1,064	..... 1944...	23,795
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	244
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	414
acres 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,162
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	2,457
bales 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	287
..... 1944...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	875
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	204
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1944...	332
acres 1949...	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	394
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	728
pounds 1949...	.....	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,464
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	5,143
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	7	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	531
..... acres 1949...	4	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,931
gallons 1949...	318	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,491
..... 1944...	31	..... 1944...	48,074
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	15
acres 1949...	9	..... 1945...	11
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	204	trees of all ages..number 1950...	160
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	237
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	64
corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	96
..... acres 1949...	5	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,090
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than		..... 1944...	1,380
Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,351		
..... 1944...	1,784		

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.
 *less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,706	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	160
1945...	1,759	1945...	179
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	264,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	13
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.4	1945...	21
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	143,996	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	147
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	110,922	1945...	158
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,421	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	202
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,519	1945...	199
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	236,820	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	152
1945...	234,442	1945...	159
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	138.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	103
1945...	133.3	1945...	118
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	17,970	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	237
1945...	12,204	1945...	243
average per acre, dollars 1950*	128.47	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	192
1945...	91.56	1945...	208
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	209
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,438	1945...	206
1944...	1,506	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	113
acres 1949...	106,880	1945...	110
1944...	111,091	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	111
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	226	1945...	95
1944...	221	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	181
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	180	1945...	201
1944...	160	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	38
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	1945...	33
1944...	138	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	8
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	202	1945...	8
1944...	231		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	299	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	361	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	288	White operators.....number 1950...	1,700
1944...	293	1945...	1,752
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	109	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	6
1944...	102	1945...	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	540	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	378	Full owners.....number 1950...	856
acres 1949...	19,590	1945...	817
1944 ¹ ...	12,027	Part owners.....number 1950...	307
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	266
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	490	Managers.....number 1950...	7
acres 1949...	17,518	1945...	24
1944...	18,609	All tenants.....number 1950...	536
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	535	1945...	652
1944...	178	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	31.4
acres 1949...	25,982	1945...	37.1
1944...	8,551	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	41
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	90	1945...	89
acres 1949...	7,914	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	99
1944...	4,117	1945...	87
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	348
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	912	1945...	454
1944 ¹ ...	1,306	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	282
acres 1949...	41,013	1945...	66
1944 ¹ ...	64,360	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	48
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	22
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,605	Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
1944...	1,554	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
acres 1949...	17,923		
1944...	15,687	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,087
1944...		1945...	892
acres 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,509
1944...		1945...	1,051
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,508
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.34
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	620
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	328
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	142
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,280
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	533
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	423
		number 1950...	457
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	245
		number 1950...	256
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	122
		number 1950...	122
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	28
		number 1950...	29
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	17
		number 1950...	17
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,553		
1945...	1,592		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	133		
1945...	159		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	405		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	612		
1944...	398		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	392		
1944...	301		

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...	767	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	660
.....1945.....	435	General farms.....number 1950...	202
.....number 1950.....	814	.....number 1950.....	39
.....1945.....	460	.....number 1950.....	23
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,058	.....number 1950.....	140
.....1945.....	743	.....number 1950.....	361
.....number 1950.....	1,395	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	852		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,008	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,288	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,349
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950.....	95	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	177
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	12	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	385
.....number 1950.....	12	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	354
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,187	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	297
.....1945.....	1,224	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	114
.....number 1950.....	1,427	Other farms.....number 1950...	357
.....1945.....	1,330	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	149
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	207
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	296	Abnormal ⁴.....number 1950...	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	44	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	322	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,417,519
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	608	.....1944.....	6,347,076
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	436	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,226,617
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁵		.....1944.....	2,848,879
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,117,649
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	82	.....1944.....	2,778,373
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	608	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	39,809
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	526	.....1944.....	54,384
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	437	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	68,077
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944.....	14,216
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,082
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,189	.....1944.....	1,700
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	126	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,184,296
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	137	.....1944.....	3,496,512
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	222,299
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3	.....1944.....	198,630
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	268,260
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	285	.....1944.....	326,018
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,146	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,693,737
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	167	.....1944.....	2,973,864
FARM LABOR⁶		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,606
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	1,685
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,488	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	2,552	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	959
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,468	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	823
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,393	.....1945.....	1,072
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	601	.....number 1950.....	2,067
.....persons 1950...	816	.....1945.....	3,186
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	241	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	231
.....persons 1950...	343	.....number 1950.....	57
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁷		.....1945.....	1,399
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,604	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,284	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,409
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	923	.....1945.....	1,484
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	225,440	.....number 1950...	22,380
.....1949.....	1,088	.....1945.....	20,172
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	505,761	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,366
.....dollars 1949...	1,453	.....1945 ⁸	1,440
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,215,053	.....number 1950...	9,054
.....dollars 1949...	1,369	.....1945 ⁹	10,731
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,351,975	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,227
.....dollars 1949...	199,385	.....number 1950...	4,138
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,189	.....number 1950...	745
.....dollars 1949...	333,549	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,263
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	858	.....number 1950...	586
.....dollars 1949...	133,494	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,482
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	869	.....number 1950...	374
.....dollars 1949...	155,233	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,770
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	201
No sales.....number 1950...	83	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	148
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	124	.....1944.....	4,378,281
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	40	.....pounds 1949...	3,787,483
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	44	.....1944.....	169,445
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	94	.....dollars 1949...	28
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	109	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	408
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	273	.....1944.....	96,755
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	233	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,583,983
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	248	.....1944.....	52,111
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	258	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	200	.....dollars 1949...	639
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	430	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,177
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	225	.....1945.....	1,200
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	59,885
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	205	.....1945.....	41,566
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	9	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,121
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	27,209
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	31	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	459
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	13	.....number 1950...	32,676
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	979
		.....1945.....	664
		.....number 1950...	8,340
		.....1945.....	6,353

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...	183	Sorghums:	
1945.....	284	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	15
1950.....	8,660	1944.....	45
1945.....	10,330	acres 1949.....	176
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	386
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	179	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1945.....	4,935	1944.....	23
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	178	acres 1949.....	44
1945 ¹	274	1944.....	221
1950.....	4,680	bushels 1949.....	1,730
1945 ¹	8,108	1944.....	3,558
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	104	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	255	1944.....	10
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	168	acres 1949.....	100
1945.....	3,723	tons..green weight 1949...	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	195	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	263	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number shorn 1949...	7,559	acres 1949...	122
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	47,851	tons out 1949...	94
1944.....	60,326		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,368	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1945.....	1,519	acres 1949...	123
number 1950.....	91,245	bushels 1949...	1,327
1945.....	125,258	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	699
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	664	1944.....	674
number 1949.....	75,409	acres 1949.....	42,921
dollars 1949.....	77,409	1944.....	32,398
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	894	bushels 1949.....	764,691
dozens 1949.....	437,923	1944.....	601,437
dollars 1949.....	166,351	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	293
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	21	1944.....	415
1945.....	113	acres 1949.....	5,522
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944.....	9,030
1944.....	28	bushels 1949.....	117,943
number 1949.....	3,012	1944.....	174,378
1944.....	2,718	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	78
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	244
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	1,034
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,331	1944.....	3,739
dollars 1949.....	4,652,244	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,077	1944.....	8
1944.....	1,181	acres 1949.....	41
number 1949.....	14,215	1944.....	113
1944.....	14,167	bushels 1949.....	880
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	639	1944.....	1,930
number 1949.....	9,950	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
dollars 1949.....	1,596,753	1944.....	11
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	760	acres 1949.....	541
number 1949.....	4,265	1944.....	192
dollars 1949.....	398,137	bushels 1949.....	6,918
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,111	1944.....	2,862
1944.....	1,109	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	63,983	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944.....	66,275	acres grown alone 1949...	289
dollars 1949.....	2,411,228	1944 ²	500
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	196	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	245	1944 ²	
number 1949.....	10,627	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	8,931	1944.....	25
dollars 1949.....	228,112	acres grown alone 1949...	243
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	174	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	378	bushels 1949.....	5,194
dollars 1949.....	18,014	1944.....	6,598
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,106	acres grown alone 1949...	26
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	451	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949.....	502	tons 1949...	47
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	66	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
1944.....	79	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	68	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	82	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	392	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	395	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949.....	434	acres grown alone 1949...	20
1944.....	430	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,026	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1,237	acres grown alone 1949...	20
number 1949.....	2,919	1944 ²	20
1944.....	4,727	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	179	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	8,150	acres grown alone 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Corn:		1944 ²	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,049	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,196	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	36,624	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	43,111	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,006	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	1,193	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	34,480	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	42,447	1944.....	
bushels 1949.....	1,301,684	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	1,759,257	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	23	tons 1949...	
acres 1949.....	433	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out	
tons..green weight 1949...	3,125	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown alone 1949...	20
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	129	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1,711	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	30
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	919	.....farms reporting 1944...	43
acres 1949...	16,729	.....farms reporting 1949...	166
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	633	.....farms reporting 1944...	358
.....farms reporting 1944...	746	.....farms reporting 1949...	39,809
acres 1949...	6,127	.....farms reporting 1944...	54,384
.....farms reporting 1944...	6,922	.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949...	14,255	.....farms reporting 1944...	19
.....farms reporting 1944...	19,410	.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	323	.....farms reporting 1944...	28
.....farms reporting 1944...	379	.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949...	5,530	.....farms reporting 1944...	23
.....farms reporting 1944...	6,106	.....farms reporting 1949...	30
acres 1949...	6,416	.....farms reporting 1944...	87
.....farms reporting 1944...	7,449	.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	229	.....farms reporting 1944...	(*)
.....farms reporting 1944...	213	.....farms reporting 1949...	17
acres 1949...	3,603	.....farms reporting 1944...	22
.....farms reporting 1944...	3,500	.....farms reporting 1949...	31
acres 1949...	4,680	.....farms reporting 1944...	90
.....farms reporting 1944...	3,750	.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	79	.....farms reporting 1944...	5
.....farms reporting 1944...	15	.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	998	.....farms reporting 1944...	
.....farms reporting 1944...	164	.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	1,010	.....farms reporting 1944...	25
.....farms reporting 1944...	118	.....farms reporting 1949...	25
acres 1949...	6	.....farms reporting 1944...	53
.....farms reporting 1944...	1	.....farms reporting 1949...	45
acres 1949...	73	.....farms reporting 1944...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	8	.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	67	.....farms reporting 1944...	46
.....farms reporting 1944...	4	.....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	20	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	24
acres 1949...	350	.....farms reporting 1944...	13
.....farms reporting 1944...	207	.....farms reporting 1949...	12,232
acres 1949...	570	.....farms reporting 1944...	2
.....farms reporting 1944...	329	.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	460
.....farms reporting 1944...	38	.....farms reporting 1944...	
tons..green weight 1949...	194	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	665
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	65	.....farms reporting 1945...	144
.....farms reporting 1944...	74	.....farms reporting 1950 ² ...	375
acres 1949...	919	.....farms reporting 1945...	565
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,128	.....farms reporting 1950...	388
bushels 1949...	673	.....farms reporting 1945...	463
.....farms reporting 1944...	990	.....farms reporting 1950...	9,146
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	59	.....farms reporting 1945...	22,515
.....farms reporting 1944...	80	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,027
acres 1949...	842	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,119
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,503	.....farms reporting 1949...	45,202
acres 1949...	140,256	.....farms reporting 1944...	8,938
.....farms reporting 1944...	332,083	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	508
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....farms reporting 1945...	563
.....farms reporting 1944...	131	.....farms reporting 1950...	5,609
acres 1949...	289	.....farms reporting 1945...	5,956
.....farms reporting 1944...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,631
acres 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,978
.....farms reporting 1944...	100	.....farms reporting 1949...	1,353
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	413	.....farms reporting 1944...	14
.....farms reporting 1944...	503	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	327
acres 1949...	44	.....farms reporting 1945...	470
.....farms reporting 1944...	209	.....farms reporting 1950...	890
.....farms reporting 1944...	7,951	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,589
.....farms reporting 1944...	9,367	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	289
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	57	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	601
.....farms reporting 1944...	25	.....farms reporting 1949...	1,403
acres 1949...	24	.....farms reporting 1944...	297
.....farms reporting 1944...	83	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	311
bushels 1949...	4,245	.....farms reporting 1945...	463
.....farms reporting 1944...	7,827	.....farms reporting 1950...	1,136
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....farms reporting 1945...	2,156
.....farms reporting 1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	517
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	619
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....farms reporting 1949...	4,962
bales 1949...		.....farms reporting 1944...	5,146
.....farms reporting 1944...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	229
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	528	.....farms reporting 1945...	351
.....farms reporting 1944...	567	.....farms reporting 1950...	1,074
acres 1949...	2,694	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,537
.....farms reporting 1944...	3,271	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	375
.....farms reporting 1944...	3,190,509	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	699
.....farms reporting 1944...	3,585,239	.....farms reporting 1949...	200
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....farms reporting 1944...	151
.....farms reporting 1944...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	333
acres 1949...	72	.....farms reporting 1945...	545
gallons 1949...	11	.....farms reporting 1950...	4,738
.....farms reporting 1944...	60	.....farms reporting 1945...	14,014
acres 1949...	610	.....farms reporting 1950...	893
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,841
.....farms reporting 1944...	44	.....farms reporting 1949...	18,080
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,353	.....farms reporting 1944...	49,343
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,641	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	16
		.....farms reporting 1945...	
		.....farms reporting 1950...	361
		.....farms reporting 1945...	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	17
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	344
		.....farms reporting 1949...	8,070
		.....farms reporting 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.

*Less than 1 acre.

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,814	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	138
.....1945...	2,982	.....1945...	134
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	410,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.6	.....1945...	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	312,046	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	97
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	87,068	.....1945...	126
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	320	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	188
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,644	.....1945...	203
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	376,330	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	344
.....1945...	382,944	.....1945...	377
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	133.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	200
.....1945...	128.4	.....1945...	198
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	6,385	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	500
.....1945...	3,930	.....1945...	595
average per acre, dollars 1950*	48.17	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	514
.....1945...	30.61	.....1945...	495
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	337
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,301	.....1945...	362
1944...	2,485	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	221
acres 1949...	104,023	.....1945...	222
1944...	110,488	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	142
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	340	.....1945...	130
1944...	424	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	211
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	401	.....1945...	223
1944...	410	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	38
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	359	.....1945...	33
1944...	359	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	467	.....1945...	10
1944...	505		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	506	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	554	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	195	White operators.....number 1950...	2,814
1944...	195	1945...	2,982
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	33	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	38	1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,187	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	1,179	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,025
acres 1949...	47,347	1945...	2,016
1944 ¹ ...	41,481	Part owners.....number 1950...	409
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	380
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	338	Managers.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949...	8,215	1945...	5
1944...	5,190	All tenants.....number 1950...	379
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,717	1945...	581
1944...	1,502	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.5
acres 1949...	68,668	1945...	19.5
1944...	60,993	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	126
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	516	1945...	240
1944...	630	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	46
acres 1949...	19,412	1945...	76
1944...	18,326	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	107
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	213
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	2,054	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	82
1944 ¹ ...	2,451	1945...	25
acres 1949...	115,837	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	100
1944 ¹ ...	133,015	1945...	52
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,726	1945...	77
1944...	2,950		
acres 1949...	12,828	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	13,451	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,118
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	1,506
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,016
.....acres 1949...		1945...	853
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,016
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	5.33
.....1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	813
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	282
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	187
.....acres 1949...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,547
.....1944...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	241
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	323
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	53
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	53
		number 1950...	16
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	16
		number 1950...	108
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	108
		number 1950...	82
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		number 1950...	35
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,676		
.....1945...	2,757		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	97		
.....1945...	176		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	753		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	905		
.....1944...	558		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	495		
1944...	319		

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...	738	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	432
.....1945.....	386	General farms.....number 1950...	239
.....number 1950.....	750	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	394	.....number 1950.....	10
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	834	.....number 1950.....	181
.....1945.....	516	.....number 1950.....	48
.....number 1950.....	913	.....number 1950.....	665
.....1945.....	527		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	769	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	81	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,154
.....1945.....	71	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	21
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	25	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	186
.....1945.....	25	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	503
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	906
.....number 1950.....	1,782	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	482
.....1945.....	1,953	Other farms.....number 1950.....	660
.....number 1950.....	1,929	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	280
.....1945.....	2,008	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	380
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	776	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	175	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,247,869
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,012	.....1944.....	5,063,502
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	555	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	404,296
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	296	.....1944.....	166,567
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	358,042
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	155,424
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	211	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,772
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,260	.....1944.....	2,399
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	805	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	15,322
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	367	.....1944.....	5,374
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	29,160
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	3,370
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	868	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,823,333
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	275	.....1944.....	4,861,732
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	878	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,159,264
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	212	.....1944.....	1,679,032
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,672,393
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	1,165,332
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	274	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,991,716
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,210	.....1944.....	2,037,368
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,148	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	20,240
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	15,203
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,408	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,793
.....persons 1950.....	4,282	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,712
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,395	.....1945.....	2,012
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,275	.....number 1950.....	3,952
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221	.....1945.....	5,672
.....persons 1950.....	1,719	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	234
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	208	.....1945.....	514
.....persons 1950.....	288	.....number 1950.....	449
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	1,189
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,453	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,623	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,608
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,350	.....1945.....	2,676
dollars 1949.....	184,558	.....number 1950...	47,803
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,208	.....1945.....	41,118
dollars 1949.....	293,809	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,576
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,313	.....1945.....	2,659
dollars 1949.....	2,028,067	.....number 1950...	24,362
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,672	.....1945.....	25,594
dollars 1949.....	1,049,057	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,433
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,710	.....number 1950...	19,268
dollars 1949.....	125,512	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,730
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,456	.....number 1950...	9,428
dollars 1949.....	223,237	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,292
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	660	.....number 1950...	5,939
dollars 1949.....	76,378	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,914
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,214	.....number 1950...	8,076
dollars 1949.....	89,662	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,926
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	1,659
No sales.....number 1950...	124	pounds 1949...	65,230,428
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	256	.....1944.....	51,812,351
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	173	dollars 1949...	2,129,660
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	158	.....farms reporting 1949...	194
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	332	.....1944.....	453
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	342	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	58,562
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	663	.....1944.....	190,449
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	367	dollars 1949...	29,366
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	218	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	8
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	106	.....dollars 1949...	198
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	75	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,436
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	19	.....1945.....	1,490
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	19	.....number 1950...	19,010
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	14,046
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,313
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	8,260
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	843
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	1,244	.....number 1950...	10,730
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	215	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,044
		.....1945.....	1,140
		.....number 1950...	2,591
		.....1945.....	2,603

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...	340	Sorghums:	
1945.....	703	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	437
number 1950.....	11,600	1944.....	681
1945.....	23,723	acres 1949...	3,017
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	4,678
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	328	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	36
number 1950.....	6,594	1944.....	131
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	322	acres 1949...	225
1945.....	683	1944.....	951
number 1950.....	5,837	bushels 1949...	4,703
1945.....	17,580	1944.....	20,519
Hams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	223	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	95
number 1950.....	757	acres 1949...	893
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	301	tons green weight 1949...	8,564
number 1950.....	5,006	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	345	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	318
1944.....	619	acres 1949...	1,893
number shorn 1949...	8,155	tons cut 1949...	4,280
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	45,728	Small grains:	
1944.....	108,270	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	33
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	630
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,361	bushels 1949...	14,073
1945.....	2,590	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	558
number 1950.....	247,717	1944.....	574
1945.....	308,180	acres 1949...	11,177
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,314	1944.....	9,824
number 1949...	169,395	bushels 1949...	189,331
dollars 1949...	147,740	1944.....	163,470
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,841	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	971
dozens 1949...	1,815,924	1944.....	868
dollars 1949...	675,704	acres 1949...	23,641
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	72	1944.....	22,568
number 1950...	23,273	bushels 1949...	547,794
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	138	1944.....	432,146
1944.....	121	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	265
number 1949...	111,473	1944.....	860
1944.....	51,303	acres 1949...	2,707
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	11,499
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	233
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,477	1944.....	128
dollars 1949...	2,963,729	acres 1949...	3,324
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,378	1944.....	1,247
1944.....	2,358	bushels 1949...	64,155
number 1949...	21,821	1944.....	25,182
1944.....	23,035	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	1,456	1944.....	117
number 1949...	10,433	acres 1949...	116
dollars 1949...	1,364,910	1944.....	1,069
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,025	bushels 1949...	1,204
number 1949...	11,388	1944.....	12,859
dollars 1949...	641,563	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,346	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	157
1944.....	1,498	acres grown alone 1949...	1,053
number 1949...	21,129	1944 ²	788
1944.....	28,331	acres grown with other crops 1949...	29
dollars 1949...	684,668	1944 ²	103
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	376	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944.....	590	1944.....	20
number 1949...	16,269	acres grown alone 1949...	136
1944.....	21,730	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	257,953	bushels 1949...	1,722
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	183	1944.....	1,250
number 1949...	379	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	132
dollars 1949...	14,635	acres grown alone 1949...	870
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,017	tons 1949...	1,118
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	580	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	634	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	152	acres grown alone 1949...	1
1944.....	243	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
number 1949...	156	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	264	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	439	acres grown alone 1949...	46
1944.....	242	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
number 1949...	478	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	260	acres grown alone 1949...	22
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,911	1944 ²	15
1944.....	2,109	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
number 1949...	3,834	1944 ²	7
1944.....	4,827	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	1
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	215	acres grown alone 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	5,976	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944.....	12
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	1,592	acres grown alone 1949...	16
acres 1949...	17,385	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
1944.....	23,656	tons 1949...	25
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,255	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	1,586	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	17,089	acres grown alone 1949...	.....
1944.....	23,398	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
bushels 1949...	529,352	1944.....	.....
1944.....	616,197	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	108	acres grown alone 1949...	3
tons green weight 1949...	745	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or			
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	28		
acres 1949...	188		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,961	1944.....	36
acres 1949...	46,361	acres 1949...	36
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	561	1944.....	77
1944.....	248	acres 1949...	1,772
acres 1949...	4,387	1944.....	2,399
1944.....	1,558	acres 1949...	7
tons 1949...	10,676	1944.....	1
1944.....	4,366	acres 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	390	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	435	farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	5,255	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	5,972	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	6,450	1944.....	.....
1944.....	6,392	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1,515	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1,075	1944.....	10
1944.....	28,965	farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	16,777	acres 1949...	13
tons 1949...	33,675	1944.....	.....
1944.....	15,234	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	249	acres 1949...	3
1944.....	187	1944.....	1
acres 1949...	2,279	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
1944.....	1,997	acres 1949...	10
tons 1949...	2,160	1944.....	1
1944.....	1,644	acres 1949...	10
1944.....	196	1944.....	26
acres 1949...	199	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	2,943	1944.....	54
1944.....	2,866	farms reporting 1949...	7
tons 1949...	2,976	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	2,788	1944.....	6
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	283	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	363	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	2,933	1944.....	.....
1944.....	3,770	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	3,204	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944.....	3,744	acres 1949...	7
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quarts 1949...	6,119
acres 1949...	31	acres 1949...	20
tons green weight 1949...	100	1944.....	(*)
Field crops (other):		quarts 1949...	416
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	12	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,227
acres 1949...	216	1945.....	1,501
1944.....	88	acres 1950 ² ...	300
bushels 1949...	240	1945.....	1,010
1944.....	78	1945.....	742
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	121	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,189
1944.....	163	1945.....	7,727
acres 1949...	1,662	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	17,679
1944.....	2,177	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,710
pounds 1949...	381,098	1944.....	6,007
1944.....	395,600	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,670
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	395
acres 1949...	128	farms reporting 1950...	983
bushels 1949...	241	1945.....	1,480
1944.....	42	trees of all ages..number 1950...	16,929
acres 1949...	704	1945.....	35,185
1944.....	48,269	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,154
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,598	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13,775
1944.....	1,977	1944.....	1,736
acres 1949 ¹ ...	78	1945.....	798
1944.....	250	farms reporting 1950...	479
bushels 1949...	19,214	1945.....	583
1944.....	20,199	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,296
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	714	1945.....	1,776
1944.....	866	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	311
acres 1949 ¹ ...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	985
1944.....	97	1944.....	1,456
bushels 1949...	2,957	1945.....	300
1944.....	6,669	farms reporting 1950...	376
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	873
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,318
acres 1949...	.....	1945.....	4,839
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	528
bales 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	790
1944.....	.....	1944.....	2,857
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	2,562
1944.....	1	farms reporting 1950...	321
acres 1949...	.....	1945.....	618
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,482
pounds 1949...	195	1945.....	4,848
1944.....	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	325
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,157
acres 1949...	579	1944.....	342
gallons 1949...	43	1945.....	396
1944.....	47	farms reporting 1950...	490
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	692	1945.....	685
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	9,050
1944.....	1	1945.....	31,649
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	748
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,323	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	8,302
1944.....	2,666	1944.....	34,679
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	81,550
		1944.....	17
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	79
		1945.....	.....
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	71
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	378
		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.
^{*}Less than 1 acre.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,124	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	62
.....1945...	1,221	.....1945...	73
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	352,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	64.6	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	153,370	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	56
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	83,433	.....1945...	72
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	78
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,920	.....1945...	123
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	227,883	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	124
.....1945...	177,635	.....1945...	151
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	202.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....1945...	145.5	.....1945...	57
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	5,247	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	179
.....1945...	3,653	.....1945...	207
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	34.87	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	134
.....1945...	25.11	.....1945...	139
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	137
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	813	.....1945...	144
.....1944...	936	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	92
.....acres 1949...	30,060	.....1945...	88
.....1944...	36,642	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	61
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	155	.....1945...	60
.....1944...	205	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	157
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	168	.....1945...	133
.....1944...	186	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	40
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	123	.....1945...	39
.....1944...	110	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	157	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	162		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	157	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	197	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	49	White operators.....number 1950...	1,120
.....1944...	62	.....1945...	1,220
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	14	.....1945...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	781	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ..	470	Full owners.....number 1950...	843
.....acres 1949...	30,544	.....1945...	971
.....1944 ¹ ..	15,042	Part owners.....number 1950...	115
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	53
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	187	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	4,684	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	1,479	All tenants.....number 1950...	166
.....1949...	849	.....1945...	196
.....1944...	749	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	14.8
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	116,287	.....1945...	16.1
.....acres 1949...	53,234	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	34
.....1944...	300	.....1945...	97
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	338	Share-cash tenants....number 1950...	7
.....acres 1949...	20,421	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	18,403	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	61
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	92
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	386	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	45
.....1944 ¹ ..	848	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
.....acres 1949...	20,295	.....1945...	64
.....1944 ¹ ..	48,120	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	5
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	23
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,058	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	41
.....1944...	1,216		
.....acres 1949...	5,592	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	4,715	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	263
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	195
.....1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	590
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	188
.....1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	590
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.78
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	79
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	79
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	49
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	37
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	458
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	27
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		.....number 1950...	25
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	2
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....number 1950...	12
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	75
		.....number 1950...	98
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....number 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,062		
.....1945...	1,160		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	48		
.....1945...	60		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	476		
.....1949...	484		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	408		
.....1944...	309		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	339		
.....1944...	339		

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...	266	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	395
1945.....	180	General farms.....number 1950...	25
number 1950.....	280	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	190	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	13
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	224	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	175	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	589
number 1950.....	249		
1945.....	179		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	199	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950.....	212	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	541
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	4
number 1950.....	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	16
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	46
number 1950.....	7	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	77
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	569	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	164
1945.....	589	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	234
number 1950.....	615	Other farms.....number 1950...	583
1945.....	611	Part-time ².....number 1950...	199
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	384
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	339	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	117		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	431	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	182	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,942,933
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	55	1944.....	1,179,425
		1949.....	45,669
		1944.....	43,446
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	42,295
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	39,711
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,715
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	437	1944.....	1,391
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	355	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,639
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	153	1944.....	2,054
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	90
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	1,873,161
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	262	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,107,622
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	95	1944.....	167,697
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	368	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	144,252
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	117	1944.....	151,298
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.9	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	167,719
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	1,556,206
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	229	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	795,651
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	316	1944.....	24,103
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	489	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,357
		1944.....	.....
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	208	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	746
persons 1950.....	778	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	704
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	206	1945.....	752
Operators.....persons 1950.....	182	number 1950...	1,663
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	114	1945.....	1,784
persons 1950.....	486	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	137
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	55	1945.....	230
persons 1950.....	110	number 1950...	264
		1945.....	462
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	228	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	128	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,018
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	73	1945.....	1,061
dollars 1949...	18,394	number 1950...	16,400
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	116	1945.....	13,439
dollars 1949...	84,489	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	997
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	213	1945 ³	1,031
dollars 1949...	367,910	number 1950...	7,419
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	153	1945 ³	6,893
dollars 1949...	581,136	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	326
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	136	number 1950...	4,214
dollars 1949...	24,522	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	538
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	113	number 1950...	2,664
dollars 1949...	48,791	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	401
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	69	number 1950...	3,540
dollars 1949...	18,924	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	662
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	83	number 1950...	2,777
dollars 1949...	12,076	1949.....	201
		1944.....	75
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950...	97	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	287	1944.....	75
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	162	pounds 1949...	3,107,522
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	89	1944.....	1,666,577
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	134	dollars 1949...	109,111
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	100	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	18
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	112	1944.....	484
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	53	pounds of butterfat 1949...	113,025
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	29	1944.....	183,568
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	41	dollars 1949...	58,271
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	20	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1949.....	275
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	1	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	662
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	1945.....	595
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	11,778
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	1945.....	6,636
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	638
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	89	number 1950...	6,422
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	25	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	397
		number 1950...	5,556
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	460
		1945.....	412
		number 1950...	1,402
		1945.....	861

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...	44	Sorghums:	
1945...	82	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1950...	1,469	1944...	59
1945...	2,083	acres 1949...	381
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	378
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	44	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	777	1944...	3
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	43	acres 1949...	37
1945 ¹ ...	72	1944...	6
number 1950...	723	bushels 1949...	360
1945 ¹ ...	1,659	1944...	59
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950...	54	acres 1949...	192
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	36	tons..green weight 1949...	1,860
number 1950...	692	Sorghum or ganehogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	38	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944...	71	acres 1949...	152
number shorn 1949...	810	tons out 1949...	250
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	4,181	Small grains:	
1944...	10,364	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	1
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	10
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	901	bushels 1949...	10
1945...	1,015	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	91
number 1950...	57,387	1944...	111
1945...	74,256	acres 1949...	1,475
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	458	1944...	1,393
number 1949...	47,052	bushels 1949...	15,751
dollars 1949...	38,526	1944...	19,421
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	534	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	115
dozens 1949...	242,587	1944...	95
dollars 1949...	82,727	acres 1949...	1,513
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	10	1944...	1,462
number 1950...	130	bushels 1949...	26,251
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1944...	26,716
1944...	8	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	67
number 1949...	5,539	1944...	288
1944...	1,983	acres 1949...	536
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	3,018
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	914	1944...	11
dollars 1949...	1,548,722	acres 1949...	55
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	828	bushels 1949...	118
1944...	911	1944...	936
number 1949...	9,631	1944...	1,987
1944...	8,035	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	465	1944...	14
number 1949...	6,430	acres 1949...	11
dollars 1949...	928,018	1944...	120
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	703	bushels 1949...	90
number 1949...	3,201	1944...	1,119
dollars 1949...	167,476	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	615	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944...	571	acres grown alone 1949...	132
number 1949...	14,518	1944...	78
1944...	13,491	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	440,299	1944...	50
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	36	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	56	1944...	5
number 1949...	586	acres grown alone 1949...	42
1944...	1,061	acres grown with other crops 1949...	390
dollars 1949...	8,867	bushels 1944...	380
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14
number 1949...	113	acres grown alone 1949...	85
dollars 1949...	4,102	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	104
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	702	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	62	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	77	acres grown alone 1949...	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	18	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	23	1944...	
number 1949...	26	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944...	23	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	45	acres grown alone 1949...	5
number 1949...	51	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	39	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	697	acres grown alone 1949...	4
1944...	787	acres grown with other crops 1949...	30
number 1949...	1,619	1944...	2
1944...	1,876	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown alone 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,142	1944...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Corn:		acres grown alone 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	485	bushels 1949...	
1944...	585	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	8,314	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944...	11,918	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	472	1944...	
1944...	584	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out	
acres 1949...	7,081	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	11,583	acres grown alone 1949...	
bushels 1949...	195,410	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	391,586	1944...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	615	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons..green weight 1949...	4,430	acres grown alone 1949...	4
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1944...	
acres 1949...	618		

¹Even and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	701	1944.....	21
acres 1949...	17,267	acres 1949...	11
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	30	1944.....	16
1944.....	12	sold..dollars 1949...	1,715
acres 1949...	254	1944.....	1,591
1944.....	157	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	9
tons 1949...	516	1944.....	5
1944.....	352	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	163	1944.....	1
1944.....	281	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949...	3,214	1944.....	2
1944.....	6,755	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	4,125	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	7,228	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	498	1944.....	2
1944.....	452	acres 1949...	4
acres 1949...	10,153	1944.....	2
1944.....	7,832	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	11,738	1944.....	3
1944.....	7,972	acres 1949...	9
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	77	1944.....	1
1944.....	34	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	689	1944.....	
1944.....	443	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	627	1944.....	
1944.....	422	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	17	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949...	122	1944.....	14
1944.....	173	acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	157	1944.....	5
1944.....	154	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	158	1944.....	1
1944.....	94	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	3,112	1944.....	
1944.....	1,889	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	3,414	1944.....	
1944.....	1,630	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949...	87	1944.....	2
tons..green weight 1949...	365	acres 1949...	1,468
Field crops (other):		quarts 1949...	1
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	2	quarts 1949...	30
acres 1949...	154	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	25	1944.....	
bushels 1949...	106	acres 1949...	
1944.....	14	1944.....	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	21	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949...	142	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	726
1944.....	285	1945.....	699
pounds 1949...	17,208	acres 1950 ² ..	246
1944.....	7,442	1945.....	808
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	562
acres 1949...	7	1945.....	604
bushels 1949...	21	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,393
1944.....	12	1945.....	12,548
acres 1949...	74	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,590
1944.....	5,090	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,803
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	639	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,089
1944.....	1,006	1944.....	976
acres 1949 ¹ ..	39	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	635
1944.....	211	1945.....	755
bushels 1949...	7,410	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,544
1944.....	14,376	1945.....	18,450
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	239	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,951
1944.....	168	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,593
acres 1949 ¹ ..	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	820
1944.....	22	1944.....	2,598
bushels 1949...	1,373	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	282
1944.....	1,139	1945.....	231
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	841
1944.....		1945.....	1,098
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	198
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	643
bales 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	398
1944.....		1944.....	359
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	224
1944.....		1945.....	295
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	765
1944.....		1945.....	1,809
pounds 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	300
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	465
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	10	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	513
acres 1949...	14	1944.....	3,432
gallons 1949...	836	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	213
1944.....	11	1945.....	146
acres 1949...	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,025
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	20	1945.....	1,180
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	821
acres 1949...	50	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	204
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	883	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	196
1944.....	1,141	1944.....	38
		1945.....	275
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	377
		1945.....	4,281
		vines of all ages..number 1950...	9,146
		1945.....	359
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,922
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	8,195
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	24,027
		1944.....	9
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	3
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	3
		1945.....	7
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	26
		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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,726	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	61
1945...	1,858	1945...	99
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	331,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.9	1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	226,570	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	55
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	94,291	1945...	94
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,846	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	101
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	24,663	1945...	106
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	298,044	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	142
1945...	314,570	1945...	135
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	172.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	101
1945...	169.3	1945...	93
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	8,494	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	192
1945...	5,404	1945...	217
average per acre, dollars 1950*	45.82	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	257
1945..	31.92	1945...	307
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	241
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949/..	1,526	1945...	268
1944...	1,587	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	167
acres 1949...	99,375	1945...	133
1944...	101,411	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	119
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	142	1945...	151
1944...	136	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	287
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	166	1945...	269
1944...	204	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	54
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	164	1945...	76
1944...	160	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	4
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	291	1945...	4
1944...	319		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	460	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	430	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	240	White operators.....number 1950...	1,726
1944...	279	1945...	1,858
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	59	1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	744	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	141	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,071
acres 1949...	58,894	1945...	1,032
1944 ¹ ...	7,893	Part owners.....number 1950...	345
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	436
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	179	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1949...	6,938	1945...	2
acres 1944...	2,826	All tenants.....number 1950...	307
1949...	643	1945...	388
1944...	706	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.8
acres 1949...	24,326	1945...	20.9
1944...	27,920	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	52
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	207	1945...	93
1944...	174	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	105
acres 1949...	7,955	1945...	111
1944...	4,977	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	102
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	127
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,112	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	46
1944 ¹ ...	1,744	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	56
acres 1949...	84,464	1945...	48
1944 ¹ ...	152,094	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	57
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	15
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,684	Other tenants.....number 1950...	33
1944...	1,818	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
acres 1949...	16,092		
1944...	17,449	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	866
1944...		1945...	913
acres 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	993
1944...		1945...	357
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	983
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.93
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	120
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	58
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	96
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	696
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	72
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	87
		number 1950...	87
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	134
		number 1950...	144
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	64
		number 1950...	64
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		number 1950...	21
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,574		
1945...	1,715		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	97		
1945...	142		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	350		
1949...	529		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	424		
1944...	424		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	246		
1944...	203		

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...	375	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,021
.....1945...	188	General farms.....number 1950...	126
.....number 1950...	385	.....1945...	
.....1945...	199	.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	698	.....number 1950...	76
.....1945...	393	.....number 1950...	43
.....number 1950...	757	.....number 1950...	392
.....1945...	406		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	688	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	737	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,319
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950...	20	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	40
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	182
.....number 1950...		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	439
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,218	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	439
.....1945...	1,266	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	217
.....number 1950...	1,316	Other farms.....number 1950...	387
.....1945...	1,302	Part-time ².....number 1950...	199
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	188
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	319	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	76	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	624	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,720,988
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	550	.....1944...	2,802,566
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	157	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	504,409
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	161,101
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	498,818
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	190	.....1944...	160,033
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	696	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,206
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	453	.....1944...	
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	324	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,385
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944...	878
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	480	.....1944...	190
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	186	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,208,246
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	597	.....1944...	2,631,310
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	165	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	290,880
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.7	.....1944...	179,868
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	442,391
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	238	.....1944...	541,984
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	392	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,474,975
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,018	.....1944...	1,909,458
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,333
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	10,155
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,543	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	2,700	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,242
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,538	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,233
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,488	.....1945...	1,444
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	765	.....number 1950...	3,668
.....persons 1950...	1,087	.....1945...	5,206
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	94	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	91
.....persons 1950...	125	.....1945...	272
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950...	187
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,528	.....1945...	615
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,128	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	946	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,601
.....dollars 1949...	119,257	.....1945...	1,767
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	808	.....number 1950...	31,103
.....dollars 1949...	148,865	.....1945...	29,859
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,412	Cows, including heifers that have calved..farms reporting 1950...	1,584
.....dollars 1949...	651,979	.....1945 ⁴ ...	1,758
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,267	.....number 1950...	15,671
.....dollars 1949...	891,125	.....1945 ⁵ ...	19,294
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,162	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,484
.....dollars 1949...	96,177	.....number 1950...	5,968
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	993	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	904
.....dollars 1949...	214,926	.....number 1950...	4,817
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	586	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	826
.....dollars 1949...	54,602	.....number 1950...	4,368
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	880	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,148
.....dollars 1949...	58,000	.....number 1950...	6,247
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	118
No sales.....number 1950...	89	.....1944...	44
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	99	.....pounds 1949...	1,809,887
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	105	.....1944...	498,680
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	121	.....dollars 1949...	66,776
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	146	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	935
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	116	.....1944...	1,073
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	387	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	386,823
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	305	.....1944...	321,056
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	187	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	129	.....dollars 1949...	165
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	42	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,077
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	55	.....1945...	1,136
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	50	.....number 1950...	19,822
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....1945...	13,606
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,043
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	10,352
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	533
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	71	.....number 1950...	9,490
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	61	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	902
		.....1945...	937
		.....number 1950...	3,714
		.....1945...	1,019

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...	503	Sorghums:	
1945.....	697	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	45
number 1950...	30,051	1944.....	65
1945.....	23,940	acres 1949...	211
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	315
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	488	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950...	18,264	1944.....	8
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	484	acres 1949...	35
1945 ¹ ..	688	1944.....	57
number 1950...	16,956	bushels 1949...	665
1945 ¹ ..	20,991	1944.....	507
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	333	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	1,308	acres 1949...	18
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	426	1944.....	214
number 1950...	11,787	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	515	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	670	acres 1949...	158
number shorn 1949...	18,735	1944.....	486
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	137,793	tons out 1949...	
1944.....	160,252	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,467	acres 1949...	122
1945.....	1,624	bushels 1949...	3,905
number 1950...	160,826	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	169
1945.....	217,076	acres 1944...	39
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	924	1949...	2,913
number 1949...	82,742	acres 1944...	451
dollars 1949...	72,715	bushels 1949...	52,818
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,196	1944.....	6,689
dozens 1949...	1,107,093	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	594
dollars 1949...	365,179	acres 1944...	440
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1949...	9,822
number 1950...	7	1944.....	7,577
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	7	bushels 1949...	278,222
1944.....	9	1944.....	121,306
number 1949...	588	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	106
1944.....	1,667	acres 1944...	153
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	808
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	1,317
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,522	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	3,404,935	acres 1944...	1
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,405	acres 1949...	15
1944.....	1,556	1944.....	10
number 1949...	15,455	bushels 1949...	68
1944.....	19,122	1944.....	100
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	817	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1949...	7,210	acres 1944...	9
dollars 1949...	1,150,071	acres 1949...	95
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,244	1944.....	127
number 1949...	8,245	bushels 1949...	1,187
dollars 1949...	774,095	1944.....	975
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,165	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	160
number 1949...	28,314	acres grown alone 1949...	3,496
1944.....	26,362	1944 ²	3,096
dollars 1949...	1,127,857	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	513	1944 ²	79
1944.....	648	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	148
number 1949...	19,167	acres grown alone 1949...	132
1944.....	20,974	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3,308
dollars 1949...	337,298	bushels 1949...	70,888
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	192	1944.....	48,618
number 1949...	415	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23
dollars 1949...	15,614	acres grown alone 1949...	124
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	168
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,219	tons 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	378	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	409	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	57	acres grown alone 1949...	32
1944.....	51	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
number 1949...	60	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	57	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	327	acres grown alone 1949...	32
1944.....	398	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	349	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	414	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,165	1944 ²	
1944.....	1,389	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	2,234	1944 ²	
1944.....	3,052	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown alone 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	143	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,973	1944 ²	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Corn:	
Corn:		Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,237
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,237	1944.....	1,340
1944.....	1,340	acres 1949...	29,691
acres 1949...	29,691	1944.....	32,041
1944.....	32,041	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,216
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,216	1944.....	1,340
1944.....	1,340	acres 1949...	29,338
acres 1949...	29,338	1944.....	32,010
1944.....	32,010	bushels 1949...	1,047,960
bushels 1949...	1,047,960	1944.....	1,077,627
1944.....	1,077,627	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949...	58
1944.....	58	1944.....	400
acres 1949...	58	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or	
1944.....	400	dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	35
tons..green weight 1949...	400	acres 1949...	295
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	35		
acres 1949...	295		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,351	..... 1944.....	52
acres 1949.....	51,426	..... 1944.....	3,206
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	206	..... 1944.....	6
..... 1944.....	279	..... 1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	1,676	..... 1944.....	5
..... 1944.....	2,106	..... 1944.....	2
tons 1949.....	3,377	..... 1944.....	3
..... 1944.....	4,202	..... 1944.....	7
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059	..... 1944.....	2
..... 1944.....	1,293	..... 1944.....	15
acres 1949.....	37,857	..... 1944.....	11
..... 1944.....	51,243	..... 1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	35,302	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	39,963	..... 1944.....	18
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	501	..... 1944.....	30
..... 1944.....	128	..... 1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	10,033	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	1,959	..... 1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	9,711	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	1,231	..... 1944.....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	97	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	878	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	778	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	17	..... 1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	5	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	195	..... 1944.....	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	72	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	183	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	62	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	45	..... 1944.....	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	15	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	1,051	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	556	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	817	..... 1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	410	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
tons, green weight 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
Field crops (other):		..... 1944.....	1
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	66	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	74	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	692	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	711	..... 1944.....	1
bushels 1949.....	603	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	780	..... 1944.....	1
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	36	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	25	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	319	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	380	..... 1944.....	1
pounds 1949.....	35,468	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	51,550	..... 1944.....	1
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	91	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	1,527	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	3,763	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
bushels 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
pounds 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	679	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	918	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	38	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	158	..... 1944.....	1
bushels 1949.....	8,349	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	5,604	..... 1944.....	1
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	108	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	287	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	(*)	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	24	..... 1944.....	1
bushels 1949.....	201	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	661	..... 1944.....	1
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
bales 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
pounds 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	22	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	12	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	722	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	50	..... 1944.....	1
gallons 1949.....	6	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	113	..... 1944.....	1
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	1
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	1	..... 1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,414	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	1,734	..... 1944.....	1

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.
 *Less than 1 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...	1,468	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	71
.....1945...	1,643	.....1945...	98
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	305,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.4	.....1945...	36
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	190,484	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	57
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	100,782	.....1945...	62
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	720	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	103
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,452	.....1945...	86
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	273,534	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	86
.....1945...	266,673	.....1945...	118
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	186.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	82
.....1945...	162.3	.....1945...	107
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	11,643	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	147
.....1945...	5,977	.....1945...	195
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	58.61	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	195
.....1945...	36.82	.....1945...	245
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	191
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,244	.....1945...	257
.....1944...	1,425	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	138
.....acres 1949...	114,212	.....1945...	145
.....1944...	103,944	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	124
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	124	.....1945...	112
.....1944...	128	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	253
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	111	.....1945...	226
.....1944...	135	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	68
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	102	.....1945...	50
.....1944...	152	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	9
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	191	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	271		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	298	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	391	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	284	White operators.....number 1950...	1,450
.....1944...	254	.....1945...	1,627
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	134	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	18
.....1944...	94	.....1945...	16
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	583	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	337	Full owners.....number 1950...	874
.....acres 1949...	26,912	.....1945...	1,088
.....1944...	13,739	Part owners.....number 1950...	299
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	139
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	312	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....acres 1949...	11,546	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	8,676	All tenants.....number 1950...	294
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	681	.....1945...	409
.....1944...	746	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	20.0
.....acres 1949...	38,933	.....1945...	24.9
.....1944...	32,023	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	46
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	279	.....1945...	64
.....1944...	128	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	124
.....acres 1949...	14,128	.....1945...	137
.....1944...	4,235	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	101
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	177
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	869	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	61
.....1944...	1,375	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	40
.....acres 1949...	51,609	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
.....1944...	89,021	.....1945...	31
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,373	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....1944...	1,593		
.....acres 1949...	16,194	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	15,055	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,059
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	1,074
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,251
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	804
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,246
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.14
.....acres 1949...		.....farms reporting 1950...	434
.....1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	164
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	145
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,116
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	364
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	177
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	294
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	300
		.....number 1950...	221
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	226
		.....number 1950...	67
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	67
		.....number 1950...	90
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		.....number 1950...	3
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		.....number 1950...	3
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,392		
.....1945...	1,403		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	56		
.....1945...	222		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	385		
.....1944...	517		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	306		
.....1944...	307		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	218		
.....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...	483	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	376
1945.....	278	General farms.....number 1950...	129
number 1950.....	524	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	11
1945.....	292	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	44
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	781	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	74
1945.....	584	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	346
number 1950.....	950		
1945.....	645		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	756		
number 1950.....	899		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	45		
number 1950.....	45		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6		
number 1950.....	6		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	994		
1945.....	1,055		
number 1950.....	1,094		
1945.....	1,110		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	233		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	73		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	353		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	549		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	260		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	30		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	430		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	646		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	265		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	888		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	40		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	81		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	21		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	146		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,098		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	62		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,301		
persons 1950.....	2,065		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,276		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,241		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	446		
persons 1950.....	591		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	170		
persons 1950.....	233		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,281		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	966		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	772		
dollars 1949.....	166,825		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	761		
dollars 1949.....	253,038		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,165		
dollars 1949.....	632,422		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010		
dollars 1949.....	801,463		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	997		
dollars 1949.....	119,850		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	861		
dollars 1949.....	280,729		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	604		
dollars 1949.....	79,229		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	613		
dollars 1949.....	103,251		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	23		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	161		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	54		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	93		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	97		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	73		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	193		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	346		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	146		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	152		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	128		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	214		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	213		
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1		
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	1		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	1		
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	182		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	21		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,128
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	9
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	119
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	243
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	399
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	233
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	106
		Other farms.....number 1950.....	340
		Part-time ².....number 1950.....	136
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	184
		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,445,267
		1944.....	5,247,284
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,779,252
		1944.....	1,991,615
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,474,270
		1944.....	1,433,916
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,483
		1944.....	10,666
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	83,301
		1944.....	15,647
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	16,157
		1944.....	29,372
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,433,267
		1944.....	2,640,585
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	634,585
		1944.....	334,123
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	326,660
		1944.....	323,772
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,890,024
		1944.....	1,822,293
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,790
		1944.....	7,084
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,008
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	979
		1945.....	1,127
		number 1950.....	2,571
		1945.....	3,829
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	112
		1945.....	298
		number 1950.....	221
		1945.....	672
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,313
		1945.....	1,329
		number 1950.....	21,476
		1945.....	23,026
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,296
		1945 ³	1,275
		number 1950.....	11,850
		1945 ³	13,434
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,206
		number 1950.....	6,611
		1950.....	802
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,413
		number 1950.....	708
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,895
		number 1950.....	915
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,296
		number 1950.....	403
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	131
		1944.....	13,767,974
		pounds 1949.....	14,246,640
		1944.....	518,328
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	384
		1944.....	446
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	207,468
		1944.....	185,707
		dollars 1949.....	113,777
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		dollars 1949.....	460
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,084
		1945.....	1,023
		number 1950.....	35,380
		1945.....	23,794
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,035
		number 1950.....	14,194
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	744
		number 1950.....	17,136
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	919
		1945.....	874
		number 1950.....	3,143
		1945.....	4,004

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...	233	Sorghums:	
.....1945...	433	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	101
.....number 1950...	10,865	.....1944...	301
.....1945...	14,772	.....acres 1949...	547
Sheep and lambs born before		.....1944...	2,005
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	232	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....number 1950...	6,210	.....1944...	16
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	229	.....acres 1949...	72
.....1945 ¹ ...	420	.....1944...	229
.....number 1950...	5,686	.....bushels 1949...	1,905
.....1945 ¹ ...	11,611	.....1944...	5,164
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	157	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	21
.....number 1950...	524	.....acres 1949...	151
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	203	.....tons, green weight 1949...	1,548
.....number 1950...	4,655	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	236	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	70
.....1944...	418	.....acres 1949...	324
.....number shorn 1949...	6,625	.....tons out 1949...	547
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	47,633	Small grains:	
.....1944...	83,955	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr 1-Apr 14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		.....acres 1949...	134
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,294	.....bushels 1949...	2,775
.....1945...	1,346	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	394
.....number 1950...	116,862	.....acres 1949...	237
.....1945...	140,269	.....1944...	12,738
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	720	.....acres 1944...	6,597
.....number 1949...	76,667	.....bushels 1949...	204,831
.....dollars 1949...	71,418	.....1944...	95,819
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,013	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	519
.....dozens 1949...	692,516	.....1944...	268
.....dollars 1949...	241,085	.....acres 1949...	14,862
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	15	.....1944...	6,060
.....number 1950...	96	.....bushels 1949...	286,378
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....1944...	103,784
.....1944...	16	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	173
.....number 1949...	2,084	.....1944...	358
.....1944...	1,523	.....acres 1949...	2,183
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....1944...	5,165
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,288	.....1944...	1
.....dollars 1949...	2,864,292	.....acres 1949...	78
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,150	.....bushels 1949...	10
.....1944...	1,077	.....1944...	2,825
.....number 1949...	9,987	.....1944...	150
.....1944...	11,070	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	701	.....1944...	15
.....number 1949...	4,916	.....acres 1949...	56
.....dollars 1949...	764,561	.....1944...	223
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	907	.....bushels 1949...	762
.....number 1949...	5,071	.....1944...	2,512
.....dollars 1949...	395,451	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,050	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	582
.....1944...	985	.....acres grown alone 1949...	23,994
.....number 1949...	41,002	.....1944 ² ...	19,502
.....1944...	37,028	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
.....dollars 1949...	1,496,856	.....1944 ² ...	46
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	246	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	536
.....1944...	410	.....1944...	483
.....number 1949...	6,920	.....acres grown alone 1949...	23,382
.....1944...	13,293	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	389,934
.....dollars 1949...	117,187	.....bushels 1949...	237,563
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	151	.....1944...	84
.....number 1949...	359	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	590
.....dollars 1949...	90,237	.....acres grown alone 1949...	3
FARM SLAUGHTER		.....tons 1949...	759
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,026	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	405	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....number 1949...	459	.....acres grown alone 1949...	7
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	50	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
.....1944...	74	Soybeans plowed under for green	
.....number 1949...	60	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944...	82	.....acres grown alone 1949...	15
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	361	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
.....1944...	371	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....number 1949...	399	.....acres grown alone 1949...	13
.....1944...	395	.....1944 ² ...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	973	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
.....1944...	1,086	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1949...	2,525	.....1944...	
.....1944...	3,013	.....acres grown alone 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	113	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....dollars 1949...	3,164	.....acres grown alone 1949...	13
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		.....bushels 1949...	
Corn:		.....1944...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,101	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....1944...	1,273	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	40,073	.....acres grown alone 1949...	
.....1944...	42,410	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,081	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
.....1944...	1,255	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	38,499	.....acres grown alone 1949...	
.....1944...	41,225	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
.....bushels 1949...	1,448,687	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944...	1,251,107	.....acres grown alone 1949...	13
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	25
.....acres 1949...	482	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
.....tons, green weight 1949...	3,719	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		.....acres grown alone 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	94	.....acres grown with other crops 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	1,092		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	922	1944.....	34
acres 1949...	19,989	1949.....	27
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	247	1944.....	47
1944.....	207	1949.....	3,480
acres 1949.....	2,804	1944.....	10,660
1944.....	2,310	1949.....	7
tons 1949.....	5,579	1944.....	12
1944.....	5,824	1949.....	3
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	338	1944.....	6
1944.....	543	1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	5,611	1944.....	7
1944.....	11,449	1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	6,825	1944.....	3
1944.....	12,270	1949.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	576	1944.....	3
1944.....	101	1949.....	11
acres 1949.....	9,787	1944.....	7
1944.....	1,724	1949.....	13
tons 1949.....	12,059	1944.....	5
1944.....	1,863	1949.....	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	78	Horse radish.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
1944.....	3	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	868	1949.....	
1944.....	47	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	907	1944.....	
1944.....	61	1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	3	1944.....	13
acres 1949.....	26	1949.....	5
1944.....	30	1944.....	7
tons 1949.....	21	1949.....	3
1944.....	26	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	36	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	21	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	30
acres 1949.....	652	1944.....	22
1944.....	499	1949.....	52,639
tons 1949.....	698	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	426	1944.....	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1949.....	310
acres 1949.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons, green weight 1949.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	480
Field crops (other)		1945.....	437
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	68	acres 1950 ²	395
1944.....	48	1945.....	456
acres 1949.....	974	1945.....	224
1944.....	659	1945.....	351
bushels 1949.....	873	farms reporting 1950...	9,872
1944.....	740	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,218
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	116	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,585
1944.....	51	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,287
acres 1949.....	1,788	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	34,177
1944.....	720	1944.....	3,298
pounds 1949.....	259,801	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	298
1944.....	155,020	1945.....	604
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	44	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,884
acres 1949.....	900	1945.....	8,737
bushels 1949.....	2,288	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,610
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	88	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,274
acres 1949.....	2,922	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9,166
pounds 1949.....	196,638	1944.....	89
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	677	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	214
1944.....	563	1945.....	414
acres 1949 ¹	32	trees of all ages..number 1950...	940
1944.....	66	1945.....	1,351
bushels 1949.....	7,437	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	155
1944.....	4,460	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	785
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	130	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	913
1944.....	232	1944.....	1,109
acres 1949 ¹	1	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	243
1944.....	23	1945.....	510
bushels 1949.....	323	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,013
1944.....	916	1945.....	2,795
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	395
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	618
acres 1949.....	20	quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	5,418
1944.....	15	1944.....	7,033
bales 1949.....	15	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	178
1944.....		1945.....	463
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,306
1944.....		1945.....	2,786
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	315
1944.....	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	993
pounds 1949.....	25	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	667
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	17
acres 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	287
1944.....	1	1945.....	546
gallons 1949.....	43	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,270
1944.....	27	1945.....	4,793
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	43	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	901
acres 1949.....	23	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,369
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	135	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	17,945
1944.....		1944.....	28,163
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	12
acres 1949.....	12	1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,209	trees of all ages..number 1950...	58
1944.....	1,399	1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	18
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	40
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	347
		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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950....	1,711	Under 10 acres.....number 1950....	89
.....1945....	1,981	.....1945....	167
Approximate land area.....acres 1950....	309,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950....	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950....	88.4	.....1945....	44
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950....	213,094	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950....	84
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950....	68,715	.....1945....	123
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950....	6,817	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950....	109
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950....	14,876	.....1945....	149
Land in farms.....acres 1950....	273,750	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950....	197
.....1945....	285,144	.....1945....	196
Average size of farm.....acres 1950....	160.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950....	114
.....1945....	143.9	.....1945....	113
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	9,078	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950....	234
.....1945....	5,479	.....1945....	296
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	58.04	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950....	275
.....1945....	38.07	.....1945....	305
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950....	211
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	1,452	.....1945....	256
.....1944....	1,712	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950....	154
acres 1949....	89,359	.....1945....	148
.....1944....	90,307	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950....	105
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	177	.....1945....	110
.....1944....	282	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950....	198
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	214	.....1945....	223
.....1944....	224	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950....	59
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	166	.....1945....	54
.....1944....	241	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950....	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	273	.....1945....	4
.....1944....	308		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	352	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944....	405	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949....	201	White operators.....number 1950....	1,693
.....1944....	197	.....1945....	1,948
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949....	69	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950....	18
.....1944....	55	.....1945....	33
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949....	573	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944....	260	Full owners.....number 1950....	1,222
acres 1949....	29,525	.....1945....	1,292
.....1944....	8,617	Part owners.....number 1950....	258
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945....	276
pastured.....farms reporting 1949....	421	Managers.....number 1950....	3
.....1944....	13,997	.....1945....	1
acres 1949....	9,048	All tenants.....number 1950....	228
.....1944....	588	.....1945....	412
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949....	842	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950....	13.3
.....1944....	29,017	.....1945....	20.8
acres 1949....	48,524	Cash tenants.....number 1950....	52
.....1944....	398	.....1945....	147
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949....	197	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950....	79
.....1944....	15,525	.....1945....	53
acres 1949....	7,695	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950....	52
.....1944....		.....1945....	180
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950....	30
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949....	1,193	.....1945....	22
.....1944....	1,467	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950....	45
acres 1949....	76,888	.....1945....	32
.....1944....	102,102	Other tenants.....number 1950....	9
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950....	36
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949....	1,646		
.....1944....	1,948	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949....	19,439	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950....	1,166
.....1944....	18,851	.....1945....	1,181
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950....	1,323
.....1944....		.....1945....	782
acres 1949....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950....	1,323
.....1944....		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950....	5.62
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949....		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950....	345
.....1944....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950....	163
acres 1949....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950....	122
.....1944....		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950....	1,001
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950....	291
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950....	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950....	102
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950....	155
		.....number 1950....	160
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950....	118
		.....number 1950....	118
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950....	82
		.....number 1950....	82
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950....	58
		.....number 1950....	68
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950....	12
		.....number 1950....	13
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950....	1,583		
.....1945....	1,773		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950....	84		
.....1945....	205		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949....	553		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949....	653		
.....1944....	691		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949....	425		
.....1944....	482		

*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...	455	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	697
.....1945.....	266	General farms.....number 1950...	177
.....1950.....	545	.....1945.....	5
.....1945.....	279	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	101
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	722	.....1945.....	71
.....1945.....	488	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	578
.....1950.....	889	.....1945.....	578
.....1945.....	521	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	677		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	799	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1950.....	60	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,138
.....1945.....	60	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	18
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	65
.....1945.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	192
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	30	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	218
.....1945.....	1,082	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	393
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,291	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	232
.....1945.....	1,205	Other farms.....number 1950...	573
.....1945.....	1,341	Part-time.....number 1950...	309
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	264
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	308	Abnormal.....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	81	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	595	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,953,964
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	550	.....1944.....	3,284,765
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	177	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	993,495
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD ¹		.....1944.....	449,243
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	954,025
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	125	.....1944.....	428,620
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	745	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,506
4 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	444	.....1944.....	10,186
9 to 10 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	17,712
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	8,277
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	18,232
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	911	.....1944.....	2,200
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	160	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,940,543
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	255	.....1944.....	2,828,660
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	371,334
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.6	.....1944.....	324,680
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	478,328
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	228	.....1944.....	439,714
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	996	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,090,681
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	345	.....1944.....	2,034,266
FARM LABOR ²		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	19,926
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	6,862
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,408	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	2,321	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,193
.....1945.....	1,385	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,165
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,330	.....1945.....	1,433
Operators.....persons 1950...	491	.....number 1950...	3,114
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	636	.....1945.....	4,636
.....persons 1950...	207	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	119
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	355	.....1945.....	321
.....persons 1950...		.....number 1950...	233
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES ³		.....1945.....	729
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,459	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,528
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	893	.....1945.....	1,717
dollars 1949...	168,160	.....number 1950...	23,073
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	853	.....1945.....	26,097
dollars 1949...	340,942	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,499
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,298	.....1945.....	1,686
dollars 1949...	789,474	.....number 1950...	10,831
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,208	.....1945.....	14,368
dollars 1949...	1,196,370	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,371
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,135	.....number 1950...	3,600
dollars 1949...	128,641	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	901
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	853	.....number 1950...	4,436
dollars 1949...	236,682	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	793
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	378	.....number 1950...	3,632
dollars 1949...	78,985	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,027
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	798	.....number 1950...	4,134
dollars 1949...	88,895	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	269
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	234
No sales.....number 1950...	86	pounds 1949...	6,170,089
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	178	.....1944.....	7,351,672
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	153	dollars 1949...	246,792
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	138	.....1944.....	354
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	194	.....number 1950...	696
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	199	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	232,173
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	270	.....1944.....	218,736
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	163	dollars 1949...	122,313
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	101	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	16
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	146	.....dollars 1949...	2,127
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	83	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,139
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	122	.....1945.....	1,166
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	122	.....number 1950...	27,094
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....1945.....	19,044
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,088
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	13,141
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	13,931
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	101	.....number 1950...	68
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	31	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	3,681
		.....1945.....	3,004
		.....number 1950...	
		.....1945.....	

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	368	Sorghums:	
1945.....	465	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	273
number 1950.....	15,800	1944.....	763
1945.....	13,826	acres 1949...	1,374
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	4,855
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	356	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	21
number 1950...	8,772	1944.....	46
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	253	acres 1949...	101
1945 ^a ...	449	1944.....	277
number 1950...	8,189	bushels 1949...	2,283
1945 ^b ...	11,585	1944.....	5,237
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	208	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1950...	583	acres 1949...	130
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	331	tons..green weight 1949...	1,369
number 1950...	7,028	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	352	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	237
1944.....	444	acres 1949...	1,143
number shorn 1949...	9,423	tons out 1949...	1,884
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	69,728	Small grains:	
1944.....	86,147	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	66
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,436	bushels 1949...	1,500
1945.....	1,706	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	415
number 1950...	113,261	acres 1949...	185
1945.....	147,209	1944.....	12,154
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	767	bushels 1949...	4,094
number 1949...	87,029	1944.....	215,278
dollars 1949...	88,081	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	60,461
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,074	acres 1949...	458
dozens 1949...	635,563	1944.....	142
dollars 1949...	224,220	acres 1949...	9,024
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	51	bushels 1949...	2,684
number 1950...	316	1944.....	220,800
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	56	1944.....	42,845
1944.....	110	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	202
number 1949...	27,787	acres 1949...	388
1944.....	4,039	1944.....	2,002
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		bushels 1949...	4,498
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	8
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,431	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	3,051,341	acres 1949...	84
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,227	1944.....	3
1944.....	1,473	bushels 1949...	1,970
number 1949...	12,352	1944.....	45
1944.....	16,425	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	734	acres 1949...	24
number 1949...	7,117	1944.....	135
dollars 1949...	1,224,022	acres 1949...	227
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	992	bushels 1949...	1,118
number 1949...	5,235	1944.....	2,912
dollars 1949...	479,859	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,114	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	463
1944.....	1,176	acres grown alone 1949...	11,038
number 1949...	32,118	1944.....	9,754
1944.....	31,585	acres grown with other crops 1949...	194
dollars 1949...	1,141,533	1944.....	800
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	356	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	374
1944.....	403	acres grown alone 1949...	286
number 1949...	11,033	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10,281
1944.....	14,036	bushels 1949...	135
dollars 1949...	184,316	1944.....	189,902
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	128	1944.....	197,734
number 1949...	518	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	106
dollars 1949...	21,611	acres grown alone 1949...	554
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	50
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,192	tons 1949...	886
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	388	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
number 1949...	430	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	91	acres grown alone 1949...	71
1944.....	98	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	61	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	110	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	358	acres grown alone 1949...	132
number 1949...	297	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
1944.....	389	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	311	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,111	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	1,468	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	2,714	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	3,771	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	183	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	7,687	acres grown alone 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		bushels 1949...	
Corn:		1944.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,198	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,480	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949...	27,996	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	35,562	bushels 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,179	1944.....	
1944.....	1,449	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	27,328	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	35,289	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
bushels 1949...	941,892	tons 1949...	
1944.....	1,178,290	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	22	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	270	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	2,209	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	51	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949...	398	acres grown with other crops 1949...	

^aEwes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
^bDoes not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	26
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,149	.....farms reporting 1944...	63
acres 1949...	26,196	.....acres 1949...	43
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	127	.....sold..dollars 1949...	3,506
.....farms reporting 1944...	123	.....farms reporting 1944...	10,186
acres 1949...	880	.....farms reporting 1949...	19
.....farms reporting 1944...	738	.....farms reporting 1944...	20
tons 1949...	1,991	.....acres 1949...	4
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,953	.....farms reporting 1944...	10
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	467	.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....farms reporting 1944...	829	.....farms reporting 1944...	7
acres 1949...	8,628	.....acres 1949...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	16,832	.....farms reporting 1944...	1
tons 1949...	11,996	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	13
.....farms reporting 1944...	17,846	.....farms reporting 1944...	9
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	836	.....acres 1949...	26
.....farms reporting 1944...	489	.....farms reporting 1944...	21
acres 1949...	14,501	.....acres 1949...	15
.....farms reporting 1944...	6,980	.....farms reporting 1944...	22
tons 1949...	19,966	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....farms reporting 1944...	7,439	.....farms reporting 1944...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	119	.....acres 1949...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	2	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	1,358	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	80	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	1,479	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	85	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....farms reporting 1944...	19
.....farms reporting 1944...	16	.....acres 1949...	7
acres 1949...	129	.....farms reporting 1944...	16
.....farms reporting 1944...	351	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	10
tons 1949...	130	.....farms reporting 1944...	6
.....farms reporting 1944...	323	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	57	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	78	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	25
acres 1949...	887	.....farms reporting 1944...	4
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,121	.....acres 1949...	7,377
tons 1949...	1,004	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,221	.....farms reporting 1944...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....acres 1949...	109
.....farms reporting 1944...	82	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	490	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	546
Field crops (other):		.....farms reporting 1945...	537
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	61	.....acres 1950 ² ...	78
.....farms reporting 1944...	50	.....acres 1945...	265
acres 1949...	911	.....farms reporting 1950...	213
.....farms reporting 1944...	586	.....farms reporting 1945...	267
bushels 1949...	693	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,481
.....farms reporting 1944...	655	.....number 1945...	2,716
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	181	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,100
.....farms reporting 1944...	122	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,381
acres 1949...	2,515	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,833
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,648	.....bushels 1944...	5,012
pounds 1949...	450,653	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	301
.....farms reporting 1944...	430,087	.....farms reporting 1945...	312
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,353
.....farms reporting 1944...	348	.....number 1945...	3,764
acres 1949...	823	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	943
.....farms reporting 1944...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,410
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	120
.....farms reporting 1944...	135	.....bushels 1944...	55
acres 1949...	7,260	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	239
.....farms reporting 1944...	629	.....farms reporting 1945...	408
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	138	trees of all ages..number 1950...	814
.....farms reporting 1944...	34	.....number 1945...	1,464
acres 1949 ¹ ...	22	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	256
.....farms reporting 1944...	7,086	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	358
bushels 1949...	1,636	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	760
.....farms reporting 1944...	178	.....bushels 1944...	927
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	223
.....farms reporting 1944...	1	.....farms reporting 1945...	449
acres 1949 ¹ ...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	839
.....farms reporting 1944...	1	.....number 1945...	2,194
bushels 1949...	562	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	326
.....farms reporting 1944...	50	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	533
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,900
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....pounds 1944...	9,081
acres 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	187
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	370
bales 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,091
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....number 1945...	2,410
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	301
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	750
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	150
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....bushels 1944...	59
pounds 1949...	1,155	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	315
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	525
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	10	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,141
.....farms reporting 1944...	5	.....number 1945...	5,408
acres 1949...	459	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	634
.....farms reporting 1944...	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,507
gallons 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,638
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....pounds 1944...	55,556
.....farms reporting 1944...	1	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	16
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	1	.....farms reporting 1945...	.....
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	20	.....farms reporting 1944...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,281	trees of all ages..number 1950...	78
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,799	.....number 1945...	.....
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	51
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....pounds 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.

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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...	2,101	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	123
1945...	2,187	1945...	144
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	367,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	26
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	87.0	1945...	14
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	223,554	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	97
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	124,254	1945...	130
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,421	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	133
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	30,712	1945...	151
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	319,517	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	212
1945...	329,491	1945...	211
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	152.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	158
1945...	150.7	1945...	166
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	12,868	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	311
1945...	8,555	1945...	323
average per acre, dollars 1950*	82.37	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	296
1945...	56.78	1945...	294
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	248
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,815	1945...	248
1944...	1,935	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	161
acres 1949...	136,217	1945...	181
1944...	152,186	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	121
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	163	1945...	129
1944...	180	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	270
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	217	1945...	274
1944...	206	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	60
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	205	1945...	56
1944...	208	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	8
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	340	1945...	10
1944...	335	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	431	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	480	White operators.....number 1950...	2,100
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	330	1945...	2,183
1944...	381	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	129	1945...	4
1944...	145	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,129	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,226
1944 ¹ ...	595	1945...	1,114
acres 1949...	56,362	Part owners.....number 1950...	470
1944 ¹ ...	27,893	1945...	443
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	596	1945...	8
1944...	22,419	All tenants.....number 1950...	401
1944...	25,437	1945...	622
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	703	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.1
1944...	477	1945...	28.4
acres 1949...	22,788	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	56
1944...	17,415	1945...	107
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	326	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	141
1944...	215	1945...	282
acres 1949...	8,676	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	132
1944...	5,319	1945...	215
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	86
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,007	1945...	46
1944 ¹ ...	1,735	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	72
acres 1949...	50,009	1945...	18
1944 ¹ ...	83,277	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	11
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	61
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,017	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	2,134	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,130
acres 1949...	23,046	1945...	1,228
1944...	17,944	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,202
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	581
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,187
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.11
1944...		1945...	336
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	116
acres 1949...		1945...	133
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	898
1944...		1945...	234
FARM OPERATORS		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,824	1945...	116
1945...	1,997	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	242
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	150	1945...	255
1945...	155	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	253
With other income of family exceeding value		1945...	261
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	450	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	58
1944...	722	1945...	58
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	518	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	52
1944...	397	1945...	55
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	251	Grain combines.....number 1950...	34
1944...		1945...	39
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945...	

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...	652	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,086
.....1945...	372	General farms.....number 1950...	205
.....number 1950...	671	.....1945...	
.....1945...	398	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,098	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	97
.....1945...	750	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	97
.....number 1950...	1,429	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	437
.....1945...	886		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,078	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	1,361	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,669
.....1950...	45	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	31
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	161
.....number 1950...	23	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	293
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	488
.....number 1950...	23	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	443
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,438	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	273
.....1945...	1,455	Other farms.....number 1950...	432
.....number 1950...	1,584	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	245
.....1945...	1,530	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	187
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	380	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	70	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,535,679
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	554	.....1944...	6,275,777
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	689	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,339,548
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	408	.....1944...	1,015,288
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,327,002
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944...	1,001,549
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	155	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	10,149
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	720	.....1944...	10,463
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	747	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,387
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	461	.....1944...	2,450
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties spld.....dollars 1949...	1,010
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944...	826
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,189	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,193,194
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	135	.....1944...	5,256,444
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	221	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	533,337
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....1944...	388,471
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	573,358
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944...	578,640
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	338	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	6,086,499
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,390	.....1944...	4,291,333
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,937
FARM LABOR*		.....1944...	2,045
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,903	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279
.....persons 1950...	3,184	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,174
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,893	.....number 1945...	1,527
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,838	.....number 1950...	2,775
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	775	.....1945...	4,617
.....persons 1950...	1,000	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	252
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	243	.....number 1945...	587
.....persons 1950...	346	.....number 1950...	488
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945...	1,588
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,003	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,573	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,850
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,386	.....1945...	1,951
dollars 1949...	281,597	.....number 1950...	30,935
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,128	.....1945...	29,218
dollars 1949...	379,983	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,624
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,812	.....1945...	1,894
dollars 1949...	1,589,174	.....number 1950...	13,284
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,735	.....1945...	13,911
dollars 1949...	1,679,560	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,703
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,513	.....number 1950...	8,014
dollars 1949...	226,172	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,181
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,388	.....number 1950...	5,795
dollars 1949...	421,425	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,012
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	903	.....number 1950...	6,678
dollars 1949...	155,715	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,260
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,061	.....number 1950...	5,178
dollars 1949...	145,649	.....number 1949...	482
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944...	320
No sales.....number 1950...	64	.....pounds 1949...	11,383,545
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	123	.....1944...	8,122,674
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	117	.....dollars 1949...	421,736
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	112	.....farms reporting 1949...	599
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	176	.....1944...	84
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	205	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	203,828
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	351	.....1944...	265,240
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	355	.....dollars 1949...	111,334
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	243	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	4
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	183	.....dollars 1949...	247
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	172	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,568
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	148	.....1945...	1,325
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	148	.....number 1950...	65,820
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....1945...	43,559
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,527
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	30,894
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,089
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	181	.....number 1950...	24,928
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	44	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,343
		.....1945...	1,314
		.....number 1950...	9,414
		.....1945...	7,840

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...	260	Sorghums:	
1945.....	423	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	39
number 1950.....	11,743	1944.....	214
1945.....	10,941	acres 1949.....	197
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	1,750
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	252	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1950.....	6,506	1944.....	109
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	249	acres 1949.....	103
1945 ¹	407	1944.....	1,018
number 1950.....	5,989	bushels 1949.....	2,420
1945 ¹	9,807	1944.....	21,762
Hens and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	162	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	517	acres 1949.....	18
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	239	tons..green weight 1949...	110
number 1950.....	5,237	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	266	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number shorn 1949.....	374	acres 1949.....	76
1944.....	6,942	tons out 1949...	211
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	49,793	Small grains:	
1944.....	64,774	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	12
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	431
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,769	bushels 1949...	6,190
1945.....	1,944	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	647
number 1950.....	179,183	1944.....	465
1945.....	244,304	acres 1949.....	27,232
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,151	1944.....	16,870
number 1949.....	104,946	acres 1949.....	412,483
dollars 1949.....	104,988	1944.....	259,157
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,428	bushels 1949.....	587
dollars 1949.....	1,304,718	1944.....	771
dozens 1949.....	461,349	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12,278
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	23	acres 1949.....	24,910
number 1950.....	147	1944.....	231,796
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	29	bushels 1949.....	368,820
1944.....	36	1944.....	
number 1949.....	1,220	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	111
1944.....	699	1944.....	330
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	1,261
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	5,096
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,843	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
dollars 1949.....	6,050,960	1944.....	3
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,561	acres 1949.....	98
1944.....	1,626	1944.....	53
number 1949.....	21,036	bushels 1949.....	1,391
1944.....	22,894	1944.....	795
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	955	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	55
number 1949.....	14,290	1944.....	29
dollars 1949.....	2,467,280	acres 1949.....	728
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,138	1944.....	400
number 1949.....	6,746	bushels 1949.....	9,192
dollars 1949.....	605,394	1944.....	4,743
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,575	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,584	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	72
number 1949.....	76,988	acres grown alone 1949...	2,372
1944.....	86,309	1944 ²	798
dollars 1949.....	2,817,604	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
1944.....	267	1944 ²	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	330	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	68
1944.....	7,817	acres grown alone 1949...	42
number 1949.....	9,455	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,317
1944.....	138,720	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	172	bushels 1949.....	38,213
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	487	1944.....	11,745
1944.....	21,962	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
dollars 1949.....		acres grown alone 1949...	53
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	57
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,583	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	582	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	654	acres grown alone 1949...	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	79	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	87	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	127	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	510	acres grown alone 1949...	2
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	315	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
1944.....	567	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	334	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,517	1944 ²	11
1944.....	1,696	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949.....	3,923	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	5,018	1944.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown alone 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	275	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	10,031	1944 ²	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Corn:		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,473	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	1,697	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	50,045	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	67,306	1944.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,453	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,692	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949.....	47,827	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	66,332	tons 1949...	
bushels 1949.....	1,549,182	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	2,074,872	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
38		acres grown alone 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1,012	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949.....	7,034	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
tons..green weight 1949...		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		acres grown alone 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	97	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	1,206		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	25
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,502	..... 1944.....	37
acres 1949.....	38,469	acres 1949.....	103
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	706	..... sold..dollars 1949.....	137
..... 1944.....	683	..... 1944.....	10,149
acres 1949.....	10,589	..... farms reporting 1949.....	10,463
..... 1944.....	7,291	..... 1944.....	5
tons 1949.....	25,916	acres 1949.....	4
..... 1944.....	20,844	..... 1944.....	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	563	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944.....	413	..... 1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	9,958	..... 1944.....	4
..... 1944.....	6,472	..... 1949.....	15
tons 1949.....	12,837	acres 1949.....	30
..... 1944.....	7,442	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	820	..... 1944.....	12
..... 1944.....	928	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	15,581	..... 1944.....	6
..... 1944.....	18,834	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	16,596	..... 1944.....	13
..... 1944.....	18,640	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	158	..... 1944.....	
..... 1944.....	49	Horseradiah.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1,771	..... 1944.....	
..... 1944.....	595	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	1,645	..... 1944.....	
..... 1944.....	541	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	12	..... 1944.....	10
..... 1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	130	..... 1944.....	12
..... 1944.....	19	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	14
tons 1949.....	118	acres 1949.....	57
..... 1944.....	11	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	6
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	41	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944.....	26	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	30
acres 1949.....	493	..... 1944.....	7
..... 1944.....	400	acres 1949.....	6,337
tons 1949.....	665	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	15
..... 1944.....	467	..... 1944.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	403
acres 1949.....	7	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	40	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	888
Field crops (other):		..... 1945.....	166
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	144	acres 1950 ² ..	156
..... 1944.....	70	..... 1945.....	142
acres 1949.....	2,156	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	345
..... 1944.....	1,015	..... 1945.....	375
bushels 1949.....	1,972	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,176
..... 1944.....	1,049	..... 1945.....	7,100
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	205	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,525
..... 1944.....	275	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	651
acres 1949.....	4,518	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	238
..... 1944.....	5,337	..... 1944.....	158
pounds 1949.....	912,174	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	693
..... 1944.....	1,328,847	..... 1945.....	785
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	107	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,903
..... 1944.....	1,908	..... 1945.....	10,605
bushels 1949.....	4,404	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,442
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,461
..... 1944.....	52	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	550
acres 1949.....	2,450	..... 1944.....	8
pounds 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	431
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	632	..... 1945.....	528
..... 1944.....	959	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,155
acres 1949 ¹ ..	315	..... 1945.....	1,682
..... 1944.....	1,366	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	242
bushels 1949.....	32,786	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	913
..... 1944.....	155,771	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,333
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	125	..... 1944.....	36
..... 1944.....	193	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	361
acres 1949 ¹..	(*)	..... 1945.....	446
..... 1944.....	21	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,267
bushels 1949.....	333	..... 1945.....	2,074
..... 1944.....	871	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	469
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	798
..... 1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,274
acres 1949.....		..... 1944.....	1,705
..... 1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	271
bales 1949.....		..... 1945.....	379
..... 1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,338
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	..... 1945.....	2,025
..... 1944.....	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	276
acres 1949.....	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,062
..... 1944.....	16	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	58
pounds 1949.....	5,908	..... 1944.....	11
..... 1944.....	15,170	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	471
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	16	..... 1945.....	737
..... 1944.....	27	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,933
acres 1949.....	1,309	..... 1945.....	6,993
gallons 1949.....	18	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,579
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	192	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,354
..... 1944.....	3,325	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	17,293
100 lb. ear corn 1949...		..... 1944.....	80,820
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	16
..... 1944.....	58	..... 1945.....	2
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,595	trees of all ages..number 1950...	53
..... 1944.....	2,000	..... 1945.....	10
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	31
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	223
		..... 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.

³Less than 1 acre.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
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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...	1,005	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	27
1945.....	1,142	1945.....	34
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	526,080	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	30.9	1945.....	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	137,889	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	25
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	26,298	1945.....	28
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	500	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	59
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,138	1945.....	46
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	162,549	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	98
1945.....	180,296	1945.....	100
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	161.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	63
1945.....	157.9	1945.....	73
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	3,360	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	149
1945.....	2,590	1945.....	210
average per acre, dollars 1950*	21.59	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	183
1945.....	16.41	1945.....	200
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	125
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	870	1945.....	169
1944.....	1,002	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	83
acres 1949.....	25,850	1945.....	99
1944.....	31,884	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	68
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	147	1945.....	58
1944.....	174	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	115
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	204	1945.....	114
1944.....	208	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	28
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	176	1945.....	32
1944.....	177	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	192	1945.....	7
1944.....	261		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	152	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	White operators.....number 1950...	1,005
1944.....	28	1945.....	1,142
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	2	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	590	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	746	Full owners.....number 1950...	815
acres 1949.....	15,928 ¹	1945.....	887
1944.....	14,261	Part owners.....number 1950...	94
		1945.....	60
		Managers.....number 1950...	1
		1945.....	2
		All tenants.....number 1950...	95
		1945.....	193
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	9.5
		1945.....	16.9
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	11
		1945.....	43
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
		1945.....	
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	38
		1945.....	122
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	33
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	5
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	45
		1945.....	28
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	22
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	17
		1945.....	28
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	244
		1945.....	138
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	242
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.04
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	16
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	216
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	5
		1945.....	5
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	943		
1945.....	999		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	45		
1945.....	135		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	462		
1944.....	460		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	577		
1944.....	273		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	380		
1944.....			

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...	406	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	383
.....farms reporting 1945.....	257	General farms.....number 1950...	33
.....number 1950.....	426	.....number 1945.....	
.....number 1945.....	268	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	157	.....number 1945.....	19
.....farms reporting 1945.....	75	.....number 1950.....	9
.....number 1950.....	174	.....number 1950.....	351
.....number 1945.....	80		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	152	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	164	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	468
.....number 1950.....	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1945.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	13
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	67
.....farms reporting 1945.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	133
.....number 1950.....	346	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ².....number 1950.....	256
.....number 1945.....	330	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950.....	537
.....number 1950.....	386	Other farms.....number 1950.....	264
.....number 1945.....	337	Part-time ³.....number 1950.....	
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	273
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	149	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	110		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	595	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	116	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	969,456
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	.....dollars 1944.....	907,700
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	52,825
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....dollars 1944.....	34,483
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	43,851
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	140	.....dollars 1944.....	28,256
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	319	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	576
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	330	.....dollars 1944.....	732
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	253	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,193
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	.....dollars 1944.....	5,055
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	205
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	.....dollars 1944.....	380
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	106	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	880,422
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	418	.....dollars 1944.....	822,757
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	186	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	50,263
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.9	.....dollars 1944.....	45,187
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	60,372
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	115	.....dollars 1944.....	108,182
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	132	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	769,787
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	775	.....dollars 1944.....	669,388
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	36,209
FARM LABOR^a		.....dollars 1944.....	50,460
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	787	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	792
.....persons 1950.....	1,338	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	718
.....persons 1945.....	777	.....number 1945.....	771
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	777	.....number 1950.....	1,633
Operators.....persons 1950.....	727	.....number 1945.....	1,952
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	353	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	213
.....persons 1950.....	538	.....number 1945.....	393
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	47	.....number 1950.....	422
.....persons 1950.....	73	.....number 1945.....	867
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	956	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	867
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	320	.....farms reporting 1945.....	971
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	196	.....number 1950.....	9,839
.....dollars 1949.....	10,210	.....number 1945.....	12,008
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	235	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	840
.....dollars 1949.....	32,894	.....farms reporting 1945.....	969
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	865	.....number 1950.....	5,102
.....dollars 1949.....	280,907	.....number 1945.....	6,704
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	514	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	719
.....dollars 1949.....	142,903	.....number 1950.....	2,654
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	681	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	497
.....dollars 1949.....	34,473	.....number 1950.....	1,975
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	256	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	320
.....dollars 1949.....	20,577	.....number 1950.....	1,211
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	75	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	540
.....dollars 1949.....	4,574	.....number 1950.....	1,531
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	351	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	74
.....dollars 1949.....	11,975	.....farms reporting 1944.....	71
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949.....	777,259
No sales.....number 1950.....	99	.....pounds 1944.....	303,520
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	174	.....dollars 1949.....	27,713
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	179	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	110
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	131	.....farms reporting 1944.....	140
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	165	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	18,493
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	105	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	54,206
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	78	.....dollars 1949.....	20,738
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	61	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	41
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	10	.....dollars 1949.....	1,810
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	7	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	1	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	834
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....farms reporting 1945.....	791
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	14,762
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		.....number 1945.....	8,339
Cotton.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	785
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	7,784
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	475
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	5,978
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	24	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	559
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	14	.....farms reporting 1945.....	547
		.....number 1950.....	1,997
		.....number 1945.....	1,525

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...	29	Sorghums:	
1945.....	119	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	36
number 1950.....	588	1944.....	145
1945.....	1,850	acres 1949.....	98
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	391
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	334	1944.....	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	27	acres 1949.....	2
1945 ¹	115	1944.....	2
number 1950.....	317	bushels 1949.....	45
1945 ¹	1,484	1944.....	20
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	14	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950.....	17	acres 1949.....	30
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	26	tons..green weight 1949...	430
number 1950.....	254	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	33	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	99	acres 1949...	56
number shorn 1949.....	436	tons out 1949...	43
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	2,247		
1944.....	8,137	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	873	acres 1949...	25
1945.....	959	bushels 1949...	448
number 1950.....	35,803	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	50
1945.....	52,773	1944.....	26
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	302	acres 1949...	579
number 1949.....	17,817	1944.....	297
dollars 1949.....	16,050	bushels 1949.....	8,503
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	386	1944.....	3,791
dozens 1949.....	128,801	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	82
dollars 1949.....	44,173	1944.....	33
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	12	acres 1949.....	985
number 1950.....	49	1944.....	415
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	5	bushels 1949.....	18,343
1944.....	4	1944.....	7,919
number 1949.....	52	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	49
1944.....	93	1944.....	243
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	343
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	2,062
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	844	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
dollars 1949...	767,190	1944.....	5
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	682	acres 1949...	120
1944.....	744	1944.....	48
number 1949...	3,688	bushels 1949...	3,455
1944.....	5,949	1944.....	1,221
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	375	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	1,761	1944.....	14
dollars 1949...	225,681	acres 1949...	223
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	564	1944.....	223
number 1949...	1,927	bushels 1949...	1944.....
dollars 1949...	124,231	1944.....	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	692	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	723	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	59
number 1949...	16,613	acres grown alone 1949...	307
dollars 1949...	20,025	1944 ²	228
408,270	24	acres grown with other crops 1949...	40
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	83	1944 ²	48
1944.....	338	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	1,108	1944.....	2
dollars 1949...	5,422	acres grown alone 1949.....	4
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	70	acres grown with other crops 1949...	220
number 1949...	125	1944.....	55
dollars 1949...	3,586	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	287
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949...	36
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	610	acres grown with other crops 1949...	405
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	21	tons 1949...	
number 1949...	6	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	4	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	6	acres grown alone 1949...	7
number 1949...	23	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	15	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	8	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	15	acres grown alone 1949...	13
1944.....	12	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	605	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944.....	813	acres grown alone 1949...	97
number 1949...	1,453	1944 ²	84
dollars 1949...	2,404	acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ²	38
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	12	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	931	1944.....	2
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Corn:		1944.....	2
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	504	acres grown alone 1949...	3
1944.....	764	acres grown with other crops 1949...	19
acres 1949...	5,400	bushels 1949...	80
1944.....	8,068	1944.....	19
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	489	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	79
1944.....	764	acres grown alone 1949...	8
acres 1949...	5,085	acres grown with other crops 1949...	88
1944.....	8,036	tons 1949...	
bushels 1949...	152,881	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	175,534	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1		acres grown alone 1949...	4
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	19	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
tons..green weight 1949...		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown alone 1949...	12
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	30	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	308		

¹Even and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	801	1944.....	32
acres 1949...	17,529	acres 1949...	11
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	125	1944.....	8
1944.....	123	sold..dollars 1949...	576
acres 1949...	939	1944.....	792
1944.....	799	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	12
tons 1949...	1,825	1944.....	8
1944.....	1,730	acres 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	195	1944.....	1
1944.....	436	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1949...	2,437	1944.....	1
1944.....	7,290	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	2,751	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	4,972	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	520	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	500	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949...	7,958	1944.....	3
1944.....	8,280	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	7,811	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	5,250	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	180	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	192	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	1,301	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,324	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
tons 1949...	1,201	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	1,019	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	29	1944.....	20
1944.....	29	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	255	1944.....	3
1944.....	243	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949...	167	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	244	acres 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	285	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	243	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	4,716	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1,882	acres 1949...	4
tons 1949...	3,924	quarts 1949...	7,548
1944.....	1,575	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	10
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...		quarts 1949...	699
tons..green weight 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	639
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	829
1944.....	3	acres 1950 ² ..	413
acres 1949...	33	1945.....	708
1944.....	9	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	538
bushels 1949...	15	1945.....	753
1944.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,465
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945.....	15,992
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,367
acres 1949...	71	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,098
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7,318
pounds 1949...	14,405	1944.....	1,151
1944.....	300	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	345
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	803
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	16,399
bushels 1949...		1945.....	35,704
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,621
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,778
acres 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,092
1944.....		1944.....	2,400
pounds 1949...	200	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	204
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	780	1945.....	231
1944.....	967	trees of all ages..number 1950...	575
acres 1949 ¹ ..	117	1945.....	702
1944.....	180	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	120
bushels 1949...	18,293	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	435
1944.....	17,966	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	102
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	233	1944.....	103
1944.....	255	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	198
acres 1949 ¹ ..	3	1945.....	277
1944.....	30	trees of all ages..number 1950...	654
bushels 1949...	1,435	1945.....	914
1944.....	2,152	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	171
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	481
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,913
1944.....		1944.....	723
bales 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	234
1944.....		1945.....	296
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,168
1944.....	1	1945.....	1,687
acres 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	111
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,097
pounds 1949...	1,219	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	155
1944.....	163	1944.....	50
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	226
acres 1949...	24	1945.....	354
1944.....	1,135	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,088
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	31	1945.....	5,866
acres 1949...	13	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	554
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	64	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,534
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,849
acres 1949...	1	1944.....	6,833
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	856	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	6
1944.....	1,037	1945.....	26
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	15
		1945.....	11
		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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,717	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	85
.....1945...	1,634	.....1945...	64
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	408,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	10
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	45.9	.....1945...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	161,285	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	75
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,404	.....1945...	60
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	183
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,130	.....1945...	134
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	187,559	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	300
.....1945...	179,167	.....1945...	304
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	109.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	141
.....1945...	109.6	.....1945...	130
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	3,179	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	326
.....1945...	2,390	.....1945...	350
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	30.59	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	244
.....1945...	21.80	.....1945...	230
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	166
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,313	.....1945...	170
.....1944...	1,483	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	83
.....acres 1949...	39,228	.....1945...	76
.....1944...	43,155	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	58
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	300	.....1945...	61
.....1944...	393	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	109
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	301	.....1945...	92
.....1944...	307	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	20
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	225	.....1945...	21
.....1944...	226	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	249	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	292		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	190	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	206	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	47	White operators.....number 1950...	1,717
.....1944...	57	.....1945...	1,633
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	2	.....1945...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,153	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ...	836	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,345
.....acres 1949...	30,646	.....1945...	1,259
.....1944 ¹ ...	23,640	Part owners.....number 1950...	170
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	104
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	362	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	9,891	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	5,711	All tenants.....number 1950...	202
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,065	.....1945...	271
.....1944...	966	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.8
.....acres 1949...	56,020	.....1945...	16.6
.....1944...	44,937	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	40
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	718	.....1945...	89
.....1944...	670	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....acres 1949...	33,424	.....1945...	88
.....1944...	32,077	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	100
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	83
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	316	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	5
.....1944 ¹ ...	619	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	65
.....acres 1949...	9,532	.....1945...	71
.....1944 ¹ ...	23,131	Other tenants.....number 1950...	25
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	40
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,671	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	1,582		
.....acres 1949...	8,818	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	6,516	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945...	30
.....1944...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	412
.....acres 1949...	259	.....1945...	262
.....1944...	60	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	797
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.81
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	115
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	55
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	627
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	55
		.....number 1950...	55
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....number 1950...	10
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		.....number 1950...	31
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	7
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	632	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	385
1945.....	385	General farms.....number 1950...	86
number 1950.....	637	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	9
1945.....	394	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	9
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	387	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	68
1945.....	182	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	912
number 1950.....	472		
1945.....	190		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	387		
number 1950.....	452		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
number 1950.....	15		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5		
number 1950.....	5		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	545		
1945.....	513		
number 1950.....	550		
1945.....	531		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	475		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	185		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or			
mules.....farms reporting 1950...	660		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	237		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	160		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	145		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	676		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	435		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	406		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	335		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	205		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	557		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	135		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.0		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	200		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	491		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	926		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,312		
persons 1950.....	2,315		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,292		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,202		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	707		
persons 1950.....	988		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	80		
persons 1950.....	125		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,402		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	622		
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	401		
48,689			
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	497		
dollars 1949.....	112,304		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,307		
dollars 1949.....	324,820		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	802		
dollars 1949.....	171,920		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees			
purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	861		
dollars 1949.....	57,217		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and			
oil.....farms reporting 1949...	481		
dollars 1949.....	68,433		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	276		
dollars 1949.....	18,563		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	461		
dollars 1949.....	21,295		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	236		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	333		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	185		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	190		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	196		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	185		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	217		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	121		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	43		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	5		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	6		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable			
and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	276		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	13		
Cotton.....number 1950...	263		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	40		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	13		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	809
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	6
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	22
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	147
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	293
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	339
		Other farms.....number 1950...	908
		Part-time ².....number 1950...	339
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of	
		products sold).....number 1950...	569
		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,649,973
		1944.....	1,216,917
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	582,708
		1944.....	250,677
		Field crops, other than vegetables	
		and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	571,969
		1944.....	223,789
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,468
		1944.....	15,833
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8,271
		1944.....	10,273
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
		1944.....	782
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,038,482
		1944.....	928,833
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	107,963
		1944.....	138,086
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	128,756
		1944.....	254,206
		Livestock and livestock products, other	
		than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	801,763
		1944.....	536,541
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	28,781
		1944.....	37,407
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,140
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	990
		number 1950.....	1,032
		1945.....	2,141
		number 1950.....	2,592
		1945.....	291
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	541
		number 1950.....	558
		1945.....	1,131
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,422
		1945.....	1,506
		number 1950.....	11,537
		1945.....	12,489
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,372
		1945 ³	1,466
		number 1950.....	6,227
		1945 ³	7,591
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,285
		number 1950.....	1,988
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	649
		number 1950.....	2,175
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	313
		number 1950.....	835
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	808
		number 1950.....	2,300
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	73
		1944.....	41
		pounds 1949.....	726,051
		1944.....	356,960
		dollars 1949.....	33,761
		Crean sold.....farms reporting 1949...	393
		1944.....	791
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	136,808
		1944.....	240,983
		dollars 1949.....	73,797
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk,	
		and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		dollars 1949.....	401
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,281
		number 1950.....	1,988
		1945.....	17,031
		number 1950.....	10,156
		1945.....	1,142
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	6,859
		number 1950.....	84
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	10,131
		number 1950.....	83
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	84
		1945.....	2,501
		number 1950.....	2,154
		1945.....	

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	36	Sorghums:	
1945.....	139	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	77
number 1950...	907	1944.....	287
1945.....	2,155	acres 1949...	277
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	1,133
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950...	501	1944.....	11
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	33	acres 1949...	18
1945 ¹	130	1944.....	37
number 1950...	458	bushels 1949...	290
1945 ¹	1,906	1944.....	989
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1950...	43	acres 1949...	70
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	32	tons..green weight 1949...	658
number 1950...	406	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	29	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	61
1944.....	130	acres 1949...	189
number shorn 1949...	422	tons out 1949...	286
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,145	Small grains:	
1944.....	9,237	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	92
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,510	bushels 1949...	1,511
1945.....	1,452	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	97
number 1950...	76,840	1944.....	115
1945.....	100,339	acres 1949...	1,224
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	451	1944.....	1,892
number 1949...	33,665	bushels 1949...	14,651
dollars 1949...	25,540	1944.....	22,227
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	684	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	108
dollars 1949...	282,647	1944.....	85
dozens 1949...	96,590	acres 1949...	1,219
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	18	1944.....	1,183
number 1950...	95	bushels 1949...	20,758
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1944.....	19,698
1944.....	10	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	42
number 1949...	1,137	1944.....	316
1944.....	1,666	acres 1949...	267
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	1,947
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,286	1944.....	25
dollars 1949...	799,566	acres 1949...	166
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,031	1944.....	446
1944.....	1,167	bushels 1949...	2,727
number 1949...	4,228	1944.....	5,181
1944.....	6,597	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	454	1944.....	13
number 1949...	1,485	acres 1949...	28
dollars 1949...	168,682	1944.....	114
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	891	bushels 1949...	371
number 1949...	2,742	1944.....	1,007
dollars 1949...	162,957	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,038	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	218
1944.....	1,031	acres grown alone 1949...	3,076
number 1949...	19,210	1944 ²	1,731
1944.....	17,675	acres grown with other crops 1949...	319
dollars 1949...	456,885	1944 ²	513
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	102
1944.....	121	1944.....	45
number 1949...	402	acres grown alone 1949...	2,006
1944.....	1,663	acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
dollars 1949...	6,054	bushels 1949...	30,163
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	81	1944.....	5,890
number 1949...	143	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	132
dollars 1949...	4,988	acres grown alone 1949...	847
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	68
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	962	tons 1949...	949
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	61	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	5	acres grown alone 1949...	143
1944.....	34	acres grown with other crops 1949...	191
number 1949...	7	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	34	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres grown alone 1949...	80
1944.....	72	acres grown with other crops 1949...	40
number 1949...	54	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	48
1944.....	73	acres grown alone 1949...	165
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	950	1944 ²	1,246
1944.....	1,014	acres grown with other crops 1949...	136
number 1949...	1,840	1944 ²	5
1944.....	2,279	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	13
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	15	acres grown alone 1949...	128
dollars 1949...	759	bushels 1949...	1,368
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944.....	36
Corn:		Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	132
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	906	acres grown alone 1949...	19
1944.....	956	acres grown with other crops 1949...	117
acres 1949...	12,159	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	12,494	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	881	acres grown alone 1949...	3
1944.....	917	acres grown with other crops 1949...	33
acres 1949...	11,485	tons 1949...	3
1944.....	12,008	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
bushels 1949...	254,223	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	197,948	acres grown alone 1949...	17
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres grown with other crops 1949...	64
acres 1949...	44		
tons..green weight 1949...	348		
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or			
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	59		
acres 1949...	630		

¹Ewee and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,004	1944...	63
acres 1949...	14,722	acres 1949...	72
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	37	1944...	266
1944...	19	sold..dollars 1949...	2,468
acres 1949...	270	1944...	15,833
1944...	90	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3
tons 1949...	357	1944...	1
1944...	157	acres 1949...	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	60	1944...	(*)
1944...	91	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	634	1944...	1
1944...	788	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	615	1944...	1
1944...	594	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	845	1944...	14
1944...	767	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949...	11,650	1944...	2
1944...	10,338	acres 1949...	4
tons 1949...	11,727	1944...	4
1944...	6,973	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	85	1944...	1
1944...	140	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	660	1944...	
1944...	1,100	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	538	1944...	
1944...	785	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1944...	4
1944...	67	acres 1949...	9
acres 1949...	446	1944...	5
1944...	597	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	12
tons 1949...	366	1944...	44
1944...	398	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	157	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	384	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	13
acres 1949...	1,180	acres 1949...	17
1944...	4,258	quarts 1949...	14,437
tons 1949...	1,104	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	2,913	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		quarts 1949...	398
acres 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	777
Field crops (other):		1945...	551
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950 ² ...	652
1944...		1945...	945
acres 1949...	10 ¹	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	628
1944...		1945...	939
bushels 1949...	9	trees of all ages..number 1950...	13,870
1944...		1945...	18,284
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,759
1944...	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,111
acres 1949...	188	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,587
1944...	239	1944...	2,485
pounds 1949...	42,404	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	691
1944...	44,805	1945...	1,054
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	25,798
acres 1949...		1945...	63,641
bushels 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,280
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21,518
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,183
acres 1949...		1944...	5,386
pounds 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	328
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	874	1945...	272
1944...	944	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,244
acres 1949 ¹ ...	77	1945...	1,534
1944...	153	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	702
bushels 1949...	12,193	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,542
1944...	11,892	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	470
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	373	1944...	212
1944...	308	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	219
acres 1949 ¹ ...	12	1945...	231
1944...	43	trees of all ages..number 1950...	717
bushels 1949...	3,151	1945...	943
1944...	2,908	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	336
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	465	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	381
1944...	350	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,191
acres 1949...	5,165	1944...	1,556
1944...	2,759	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	278
bales 1949...	3,461	1945...	360
1944...	1,771	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,783
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	3,374
1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	844
acres 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	939
1944...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	234
pounds 1949...	250	1944...	368
1944...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	278
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1945...	313
acres 1949...	16	vines of all ages..number 1950...	12,608
gallons 1949...	863	1945...	8,376
1944...	8	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,860
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	10,748
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	22,006
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	13	1944...	14,001
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	21
acres 1949...	11	1945...	18
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,456	trees of all ages..number 1950...	94
1944...	1,509	1945...	58
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	45
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	49
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	168
		1944...	161

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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,981	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	196
.....1945...	1,931	.....1945...	137
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	359,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	43
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	78.9	.....1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	170,776	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	153
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	123,354	.....1945...	132
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,028	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	162
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	24,939	.....1945...	145
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	283,219	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	125
.....1945...	279,775	.....1945...	104
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	143.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	131
.....1945...	144.9	.....1945...	128
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	15,280	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	232
.....1945...	10,912	.....1945...	231
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A..	106.91	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	332
.....1945...	75.32	.....1945...	363
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	269
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,710	.....1945...	299
.....1944...	1,733	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....acres 1949...	134,720	.....1945...	167
.....1944...	124,747	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	132
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	203	.....1945...	130
.....1944...	174	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	197
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	.....1945...	189
.....1944...	111	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	36
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	123	.....1945...	32
.....1944...	122	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	224	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	281		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	537	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	638	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	377	White operators.....number 1950...	1,954
.....1944...	346	.....1945...	1,895
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	112	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	27
.....1944...	61	.....1945...	36
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,031	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ..	742	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,083
.....acres 1949...	27,808	.....1945...	1,035
.....1944 ¹ ..	18,896	Part owners.....number 1950...	362
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	271
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	769	Managers.....number 1950...	13
.....acres 1949...	24,539	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	35,416	All tenants.....number 1950...	523
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	799	.....1945...	618
.....1944...	674	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	26.4
.....acres 1949...	23,418	.....1945...	32.0
.....1944...	25,825	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	74
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	730	.....1945...	80
.....1944...	627	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	199
.....acres 1949...	30,812	.....1945...	131
.....1944...	20,137	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	200
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	304
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	961	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	178
.....1944 ¹ ..	1,186	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1949...	21,393	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	50
.....1944 ¹ ..	36,506	.....1945...	103
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	6
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,860	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
.....1944...	1,872		
.....acres 1949...	20,529	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT²	
.....1944...	18,248	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	988
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	829
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,534
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	976
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,519
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.17
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	894
.....1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	277
		.....1945...	350
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,342
		.....1945...	557
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	70
		.....1945...	105
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	538
		.....1945...	583
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	331
		.....1945...	341
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	136
		.....1945...	136
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	135
		.....1945...	177
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		.....1945...	60
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	

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...	834	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	529
.....1945...	436	General farms.....number 1950...	332
.....1945...	923	.....1945...	
.....1945...	486	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,325	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	116
.....1945...	1,046	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	211
.....1945...	1,831	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	454
.....1945...	1,248		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,275	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	1,711	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,527
.....number 1950...	96	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	29
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	56	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	162
.....number 1950...	23	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	396
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	443
.....number 1950...	1,544	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	318
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,546	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	179
.....1945...	1,892	Other farms.....number 1950...	454
.....1945...	1,718	Part-time ².....number 1950...	284
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	169
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	367	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	36	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	207	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,189,241
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	801	.....1944...	5,125,509
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	570	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,785,622
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	1,722,551
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,730,387
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	211	.....1944...	1,673,111
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	848	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	22,467
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	535	.....1944...	31,045
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	286	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	16,757
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944...	16,897
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	15,813
0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,390	.....1944...	1,498
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	60	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,388,883
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	125	.....1944...	3,394,114
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	912,983
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3	.....1944...	691,814
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	853,143
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	653	.....1944...	670,687
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,142	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,622,757
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	25	.....1944...	2,031,613
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,736
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	8,844
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,745	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	3,201	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066
.....1945...	1,719	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	857
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,624	.....1945...	1,074
Operators.....persons 1950...	770	.....number 1950...	1,906
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,164	.....1945...	2,875
.....persons 1950...	333	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	427
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	413	.....number 1950...	820
.....persons 1950...	413	.....1945...	844
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945...	1,915
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,835	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,420	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,592
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,170	.....1945...	1,606
.....dollars 1949...	215,083	.....number 1950...	20,404
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,123	.....1945...	22,197
.....dollars 1949...	468,566	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,537
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,674	.....1945...	1,563
.....dollars 1949...	1,186,135	.....number 1950...	9,587
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,534	.....1945...	11,417
.....dollars 1949...	1,333,386	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,451
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,409	.....number 1950...	7,340
.....dollars 1949...	223,026	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,004
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,455	.....number 1950...	4,029
.....dollars 1949...	436,243	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	836
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,103	.....number 1950...	4,234
.....dollars 1949...	150,935	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	901
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,084	.....number 1950...	2,354
.....dollars 1949...	136,176	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	320
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944...	226
No sales.....number 1950...	55	.....pounds 1949...	17,206,488
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	114	.....1944...	12,926,643
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	129	.....dollars 1949...	706,034
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	114	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	542
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	164	.....1944...	832
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	169	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	370,625
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	206	.....1944...	448,658
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	314	.....dollars 1949...	203,579
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	292	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	42
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	233	.....dollars 1949...	3,370
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	191	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,381
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	409	.....1945...	1,397
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	404	.....number 1950...	39,406
Cotton.....number 1950...	5	.....1945...	33,156
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,318
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	10	.....number 1950...	19,837
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	964
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	142	.....number 1950...	19,569
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	105	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,131
		.....1945...	1,115
		.....number 1950...	5,337
		.....1945...	3,961

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...	79	Sorghums:	
1945.....	94	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1950.....	2,292	1944.....	48
1945.....	1,974	acres 1949.....	84
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	281
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	77	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
number 1950.....	1,288	1944.....	5
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	76	acres 1949.....	.....
1945 ¹	89	1944.....	22
number 1950.....	1,178	bushels 1949.....	.....
1945 ¹	1,710	1944.....	440
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950.....	110	acres 1949.....	80
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	75	tons..green weight 1949...	953
number 1950.....	1,004	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1949.....	72	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	84	acres 1949.....	4
number shorn 1949.....	1,318	tons out 1949...	8
1949.....	10,124		
1944.....	13,368	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,711	acres 1949...	287
1945.....	1,692	bushels 1949...	3,775
number 1950.....	215,934	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,109
1945.....	246,572	1944.....	1,102
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,176	acres 1949...	48,196
number 1949.....	185,573	1944.....	37,698
dollars 1949.....	190,513	bushels 1949...	864,431
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,493	1944.....	720,630
dozens 1949.....	1,715,579	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	520
dollars 1949.....	623,833	1944.....	366
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	16	acres 1949...	5,110
number 1950.....	83	1944.....	3,748
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	36	bushels 1949...	134,279
1944.....	32	1944.....	86,490
number 1949.....	5,725	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	149
1944.....	5,813	1944.....	387
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	924
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	3,136
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,625	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	95
dollars 1949...	3,602,513	1944.....	141
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,390	acres 1949...	958
1944.....	1,333	1944.....	1,225
number 1949...	13,971	bushels 1949...	24,544
1944.....	11,996	1944.....	31,260
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	936	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	54
number 1949...	9,460	1944.....	55
dollars 1949...	1,714,666	acres 1949...	474
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,088	1944.....	389
number 1949...	4,511	bushels 1949...	8,262
dollars 1949...	250,590	1944.....	5,749
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,332	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,268	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	438
number 1949...	41,914	acres grown alone 1949...	11,717
1944.....	41,602	1944 ²	4,441
dollars 1949...	1,602,677	acres grown with other crops 1949...	24
1944.....	70	1944 ²	632
number 1949...	1,118	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	388
1944.....	1,255	acres grown alone 1949...	169
dollars 1949...	24,919	acres grown with other crops 1949...	11,155
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	128	bushels 1949...	220,240
number 1949...	256	1944.....	63,473
dollars 1949...	9,661	1944.....	64
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	393
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,495	acres grown alone 1949...	24
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	654	acres grown with other crops 1949...	620
number 1949...	769	tons 1949...	.....
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	383	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
1944.....	372	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	447	acres grown alone 1949...	10
1944.....	412	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	283	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	159	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1949...	322	acres grown alone 1949...	159
1944.....	184	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,433	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	58
1944.....	1,438	acres grown alone 1949...	343
number 1949...	4,725	1944 ²	394
1944.....	5,673	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ²	58
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	397	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	13,861	1944.....	16
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Corn:		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,477	acres grown with other crops 1949...	30
1944.....	1,573	bushels 1949...	964
acres 1949...	47,953	1944.....	51
1944.....	51,377	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	296
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,469	acres grown alone 1949...	5
1944.....	1,268	acres grown with other crops 1949...	400
acres 1949...	46,043	tons 1949...	.....
1944.....	50,537	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out	
bushels 1949...	1,993,163	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	2,380,998	acres grown alone 1949...	11
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	166	acres grown with other crops 1949...	7
acres 1949...	1,407	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
tons..green weight 1949...	11,041	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown alone 1949...	32
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	63	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	503		

¹Bred and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	42
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,296	..... 1944...	73
.....acres 1949...	18,257	.....acres 1949...	195
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	789	..... 1944...	123
..... 1944...	632	.....sold..dollars 1949...	22,467
.....acres 1949...	5,920	..... 1944...	31,045
..... 1944...	4,479	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	15
.....tons 1949...	15,110	..... 1944...	22
..... 1944...	11,462	.....acres 1949...	6
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	603	..... 1944...	11
..... 1944...	838	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
.....acres 1949...	7,349	..... 1944...	11
..... 1944...	11,350	.....acres 1949...	8
.....tons 1949...	8,885	..... 1944...	5
..... 1944...	13,590	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	380	.....acres 1949...	30
..... 1944...	224	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	18
.....acres 1949...	3,883	..... 1944...	87
..... 1944...	2,683	.....acres 1949...	11
.....tons 1949...	4,524	..... 1944...	5
..... 1944...	2,609	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	75	.....acres 1949...	2
..... 1944...	25	.....acres 1949...	3
.....acres 1949...	434	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
..... 1944...	154	.....acres 1949...	10
.....tons 1949...	465	..... 1944...	19
..... 1944...	154	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	36
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....acres 1949...	21
..... 1944...	13	..... 1944...	23
.....acres 1949...	339	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
..... 1944...	80	.....acres 1949...	6
.....tons 1949...	215	.....acres 1949...	46
..... 1944...	105	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	52	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944...	94	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	41
.....acres 1949...	357	.....acres 1949...	13
..... 1944...	700	.....quarts 1949...	19,003
.....tons 1949...	545	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	13
..... 1944...	959	.....acres 1949...	3
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....quarts 1949...	698
.....acres 1949...	52	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....tons..green weight 1949...	275	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,145
Field crops (other):		..... 1945...	1,001
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	227	.....acres 1950 ² ...	541
..... 1944...	229	..... 1945...	865
.....acres 1949...	2,593	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	749
..... 1944...	2,582	..... 1945...	973
.....bushels 1949...	4,194	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,291
..... 1944...	3,622	..... 1945...	15,635
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	72	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,044
..... 1944...	55	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,247
.....acres 1949...	685	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	15,431
..... 1944...	760	..... 1944...	3,181
.....pounds 1949...	148,200	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	956
..... 1944...	138,152	..... 1945...	1,192
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	14,408
.....acres 1949...	121	..... 1945...	21,447
.....bushels 1949...	456	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,637
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,771
.....acres 1949...	42	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,854
.....pounds 1949...	3,500	..... 1944...	6,723
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	903	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	582
..... 1944...	673	..... 1945...	871
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	144	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,654
..... 1944...	115	..... 1945...	3,704
.....bushels 1949...	19,658	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	342
..... 1944...	11,624	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,312
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	284	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,025
..... 1944...	180	..... 1944...	4,159
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	21	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	588
..... 1944...	35	..... 1945...	886
.....bushels 1949...	3,721	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,977
..... 1944...	4,763	..... 1945...	4,007
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	644
..... 1944...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,333
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13,034
..... 1944...		..... 1944...	29,429
.....bales 1949...		Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	434
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1945...	733
..... 1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,960
.....acres 1949...		..... 1945...	4,857
.....pounds 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	449
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,511
.....acres 1949...	2	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	712
.....gallons 1949...	139	..... 1944...	1,101
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	602
.....acres 1949...	17	..... 1945...	907
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	184	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	15,909
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	6	..... 1945...	23,631
.....acres 1949...	29	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,136
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,597	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	14,772
..... 1944...	1,694	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	134,854
		..... 1944...	82,366
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	106
		..... 1945...	74
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,172
		..... 1945...	778
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	161
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,011
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12,333
		..... 1944...	1,156

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.

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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...	1,976	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	67
1945...	2,017	1945...	125
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	447,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	82.6	1945...	33
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	290,491	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	56
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	133,836	1945...	92
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	10,718	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	94
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	65,399	1945...	104
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	369,686	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	162
1945...	365,554	1945...	136
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	187.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	125
1945...	181.2	1945...	117
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	7,145	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	274
1945...	5,070	1945...	280
average per acre, dollars 1950*	38.41	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	252
1945...	27.97	1945...	247
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	244
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,667	1945...	271
1944...	1,603	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	215
acres 1949...	116,111	1945...	188
1944...	120,949	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	135
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	187	1945...	142
1944...	124	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	311
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	218	1945...	316
1944...	146	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	80
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	181	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	75
1944...	163	1945...	17
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	279		
1944...	284	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	403	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	446	White operators.....number 1950...	1,975
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	300	1945...	2,014
1944...	351	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	97	1945...	3
1944...	89	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	624	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,129
1944 ¹ ...	578	1945...	926
acres 1949...	26,138	Part owners.....number 1950...	392
1944 ¹ ...	22,261	1945...	413
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	558	1945...	5
acres 1949...	17,047	All tenants.....number 1950...	451
1944...	14,595	1945...	673
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,042	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	22.8
1944...	1,032	1945...	33.4
acres 1949...	99,964	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
1944...	101,504	1945...	142
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	227	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	172
1944...	230	1945...	185
acres 1949...	23,439	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	121
1944...	11,913	1945...	282
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	97
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,147	1945...	24
1944 ¹ ...	1,379	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	62
acres 1949...	66,929	1945...	64
1944 ¹ ...	78,491	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	17
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	45
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,928		
1944...	1,983	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	20,058	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	647
1944...	15,841	1945...	708
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	951
1944...		1945...	233
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	946
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.73
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	225
acres 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	73
1944...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	73
		Electric washing machines.....farms reporting 1950...	715
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	48
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	123
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	187
		number 1950...	188
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	117
		number 1950...	117
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		number 1950...	44
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	85
		number 1950...	86
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,836		
1945...	1,926		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	102		
1945...	86		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	556		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	616		
1944...	339		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	323		
1944...	133		

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...	497	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	563
1945.....	287	General farms.....number 1950...	329
number 1950.....	503	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	188
1945.....	296	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	341
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	925	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	606
1945.....	581	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	606
number 1950.....	1,038		
1945.....	606		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	894	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950.....	971	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,370
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	Class I (Value of products sold,\$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	2
number 1950.....	60	Class II (Value of products sold,\$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	35
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	Class III (Value of products sold,\$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	163
number 1950.....	7	Class IV (Value of products sold,\$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	411
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,235	Class V (Value of products sold,\$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	432
1945.....	1,818	Class VI (Value of products sold,\$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	327
number 1950.....	1,350	Other farms.....number 1950.....	606
1945.....	1,368	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	242
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	364
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	403	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	66		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	566	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	656	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,140,335
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	285	1944.....	2,712,780
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	749,468
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		1944.....	314,887
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	736,210
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	186	1944.....	298,622
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	836	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,842
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	551	1944.....	4,687
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	324	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,416
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	1944.....	2,233
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,000
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	755	1944.....	9,345
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	203	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,367,949
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	616	1944.....	2,385,206
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	627,822
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.0	1944.....	356,311
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	608,206
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	173	1944.....	677,740
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	981	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,131,921
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	722	1944.....	1,351,155
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	22,918
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	12,687
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,751	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,268
persons 1950.....	3,159	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,230
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,741	1945.....	1,415
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,671	number 1950.....	3,194
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	922	1945.....	4,682
persons 1950.....	1,360	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	170
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	1945.....	396
persons 1950.....	128	number 1950.....	438
		1945.....	847
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,715	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,768
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,027	1945.....	1,807
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	812	number 1950.....	29,124
dollars 1949.....	114,135	1945.....	28,109
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	746	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,752
dollars 1949.....	130,955	1945.....	1,771
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,629	number 1950.....	14,833
dollars 1949.....	804,511	1945.....	16,209
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,314	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,653
dollars 1949.....	744,116	number 1950.....	8,760
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,322	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,187
dollars 1949.....	104,466	number 1950.....	6,156
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,064	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	897
dollars 1949.....	218,707	number 1950.....	3,296
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	673	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,249
dollars 1949.....	68,054	number 1950.....	5,119
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	852	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	796
dollars 1949.....	62,466	1944.....	311
		pounds 1949.....	16,794,991
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	7,281,723
No sales.....number 1950.....	99	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	337
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	265	1944.....	933
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	106	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	101,482
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	126	1944.....	348,656
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	278	dollars 1949.....	54,022
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	198	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	293	1949.....	174
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	279	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	198	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,205
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	97	1945.....	1,213
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	37	number 1950.....	22,677
		1945.....	18,096
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,123
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	94	number 1950.....	10,736
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	89	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	738
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	11,941
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	918
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	911
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	5	number 1950.....	3,331
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	306	1945.....	2,688
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	73		

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...	181	Sorghums:	
1945.....	328	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	373
number 1950.....	5,404	1944.....	748
1945.....	7,115	acres 1949...	2,927
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	6,603
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	174	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	181
number 1950.....	3,102	1944.....	434
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	173	acres 1949...	1,425
1945.....	304	1944.....	3,316
number 1950.....	2,754	bushels 1949...	21,147
1945.....	5,648	1944.....	72,745
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	116	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1950.....	348	acres 1949...	178
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	161	tons green weight 1949...	1,386
number 1950.....	2,302	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	174	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	203
1944.....	285	acres 1949...	1,324
number shorn 1949...	3,054	tons cut 1949...	2,753
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	19,831		
1944.....	36,440	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr 15-Apr 28	Grains grown together and threshed.	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,679	acres 1949...	80
1945.....	1,808	bushels 1949...	1,265
number 1950.....	202,124	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	514
1945.....	231,897	1944.....	453
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010	acres 1949...	17,750
number 1949...	105,661	1944.....	10,815
dollars 1949...	95,633	bushels 1949...	272,148
1944.....	1,354	1944.....	160,092
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,316,647	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	687
dollars 1949...	485,277	1944.....	704
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	29	acres 1949...	17,696
number 1950.....	160	1944.....	21,320
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	29	bushels 1949...	270,854
1944.....	35	1944.....	284,332
number 1949...	4,276	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	135
1944.....	1,959	1944.....	345
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	1,514
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	4,289
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,686	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
dollars 1949...	2,118,218	1944.....	24
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,544	acres 1949...	385
1944.....	1,508	1944.....	217
number 1949...	12,275	bushels 1949...	9,216
1944.....	12,848	1944.....	3,871
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	912	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1949...	5,576	1944.....	24
dollars 1949...	704,217	acres 1949...	271
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,300	1944.....	205
number 1949...	6,699	bushels 1949...	2,943
dollars 1949...	437,469	1944.....	1,957
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,208	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,223	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	170
number 1949...	28,101	acres grown alone 1949...	2,471
1944.....	28,924	1944 ²	1,139
dollars 1949...	913,475	acres grown with other crops 1949...	35
1944.....	164	1944 ²	71
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	234	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	92
number 1949...	2,702	1944.....	33
1944.....	4,038	acres grown alone 1949...	1,919
dollars 1949...	42,876	acres grown with other crops 1949...	23,984
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	194	bushels 1949...	5,049
number 1949...	510	1944.....	78
dollars 1949...	20,181	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	464
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949...	25
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,308	tons 1949...	599
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	356	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	379	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	62	acres grown alone 1949...	33
1944.....	124	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
number 1949...	66	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944.....	127	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	296	acres grown alone 1949...	55
1944.....	232	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	313	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	248	acres grown alone 1949...	20
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,244	1944 ²	34
1944.....	1,452	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
number 1949...	2,361	1944 ²	5
1944.....	3,071	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	1
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	168	acres grown alone 1949...	(*)
dollars 1949...	4,276	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		bushels 1949...	3
Corn:		1944.....	10
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	1,423	acres grown alone 1949...	18
acres 1949...	38,894	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
1944.....	48,295	tons 1949...	22
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	1,417	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	38,025	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	47,863	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
bushels 1949...	896,195	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
1944.....	1,124,561	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	21	acres grown alone 1949...	2
acres 1949...	194	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
tons green weight 1949...	1,374		
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or			
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	76		
acres 1949...	675		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,327	.....acres 1944...	53
.....acres 1949...	33,070	.....acres 1949...	31
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	80	.....sold..dollars 1949...	73
.....1944...	44	.....1944...	2,842
.....acres 1949...	646	.....1944...	4,687
.....1944...	250	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....tons 1949...	1,289	.....acres 1944...	2
.....1944...	602	.....acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	169	.....(*) 1944...	(*)
.....1944...	236	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....acres 1949...	2,347	.....acres 1944...	(*)
.....1944...	3,225	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	2,774	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	3,091	.....acres 1944...	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,074	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	14
.....1944...	743	.....acres 1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	20,908	.....acres 1949...	4
.....1944...	12,099	.....(*) 1944...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	23,294	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....1944...	11,481	.....acres 1949...	6
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	130	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	21	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	1,393	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	194	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	1,281	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	8
.....1944...	172	.....acres 1949...	9
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	231	.....acres 1944...	1
.....1944...	336	.....acres 1949...	3
.....acres 1949...	6,189	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....1944...	6,382	.....acres 1949...	18
.....tons 1949...	6,820	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	7,127		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	139	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	106	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	32
.....acres 1949...	1,617	.....acres 1949...	10
.....1944...	1,246	.....quarts 1949...	14,837
.....tons 1949...	1,811	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
.....1944...	1,189	.....acres 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....quarts 1949...	1,286
.....acres 1949...	35		
.....tons, green weight 1949...	55	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	970
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945...	653
.....1944...	3	.....acres 1950 ¹ ...	552
.....acres 1949...	146	.....1945...	660
.....1944...	32	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	638
.....bushels 1949...	148	.....1945...	696
.....1944...	30	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,792
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	250	.....1945...	12,232
.....1944...	152	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,593
.....acres 1949...	4,456	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,197
.....1944...	2,379	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,523
.....pounds 1949...	1,022,903	.....1944...	116
.....1944...	209,778	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	733
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	18	.....1945...	802
.....acres 1949...	228	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,468
.....bushels 1949...	637	.....1945...	17,590
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	117	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,333
.....acres 1949...	2,360	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,115
.....pounds 1949...	188,818	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	669
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	830	.....1944...	270
.....1944...	629	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	409
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	54	.....1945...	496
.....1944...	113	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,443
.....bushels 1949...	10,727	.....1945...	1,895
.....1944...	6,368	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	266
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	212	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,197
.....1944...	305	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	779
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	.....1944...	110
.....1944...	36	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	398
.....bushels 1949...	839	.....1945...	538
.....1944...	1,800	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,125
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	2,703
.....acres 1949...	4	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	482
.....1944...	2	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	643
.....bales 1949...	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,172
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....1944...	528
.....1944...	3	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	328
.....acres 1949...	12	.....1945...	513
.....1944...	8	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,734
.....pounds 1949...	11,950	.....1945...	4,061
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8,194	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	345
.....acres 1949...	77	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,389
.....gallons 1949...	3,113	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	220
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1944...	11
.....acres 1949...	15	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	514
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	249	.....1945...	530
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	6,568
.....acres 1949...	66	.....1945...	10,284
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,595	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,319
.....1944...	1,850	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	5,249
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	23,637
		.....1944...	26,471
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	98
		.....1945...	53
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,871
		.....1945...	8,881
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	854
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,017
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,733
		.....1944...	4,360

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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,201	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	106
1945...	1,471	1945...	297
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	292,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	53.1	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	104
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	130,815	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	97
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	28,128	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	193
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,198	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	167
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,688	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	196
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	155,453	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	119
1945...	169,646	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	128
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	129.4	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	98
1945...	115.3	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	109
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	7,479	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	174
1945...	4,033	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	162
average per acre, dollars 1950*	57.66	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	167
1945...	34.97	1945...	183
Land in farms according to use:			105
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	996	1945...	95
1944...	1,106	1945...	87
acres 1949...	35,655	1945...	45
1944...	41,668	1945...	47
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	243	1945...	116
1944...	288	1945...	127
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	190	1945...	30
1944...	175	1945...	34
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	137	1945...	5
1944...	138	1945...	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	174		
1944...	218	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	188	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	212	White operators.....number 1950...	1,201
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	1945...	1,471
1944...	61	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945...	
1944...	14	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	950	Full owners.....number 1950...	929
1944 ¹ ...	177	1945...	1,114
acres 1949...	38,534	Part owners.....number 1950...	122
1944 ¹ ...	6,148	1945...	104
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	281	1945...	145
acres 1949...	6,838	All tenants.....number 1950...	253
1944...	791	1945...	12.1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	633	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.2
1944...	727	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	87
acres 1949...	33,891	1945...	212
1944...	38,395	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	506	1945...	1
1944...	304	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	25
acres 1949...	22,423	1945...	32
1944...	19,057	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	19
Other pasture (not cropland and		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	319	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	30
1944 ¹ ...	1,062	1945...	8
acres 1949...	12,033	Other tenants.....number 1950...	12
1944 ¹ ...	53,293	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	18
Other land (house lots, roads,		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,149	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	378
1944...	1,429	1945...	393
acres 1949...	6,079	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,056
1944...	10,294	1945...	600
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,056
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.04
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	310
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	189
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	137
acres 1949...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	906
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	131
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	51
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	46
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	61
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,139	number 1950...	66
1945...	1,411	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	30	number 1950...	71
1945...	58	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	71
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	596	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	57
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	587	number 1950...	59
1944...	584	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	512	number 1950...	
1944...	541		

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...	388	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	316
.....farms reporting 1945.....	203	General farms.....number 1950...	63
.....number 1950.....	403	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	23
.....1945.....	214	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	23
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	445	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	17
.....farms reporting 1945.....	267	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	668
.....number 1950.....	491		
.....1945.....	290		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	405	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	440	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	331
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	6
.....number 1950.....	20	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	7
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	63
.....number 1950.....	31	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	187
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	739	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	132
.....farms reporting 1945.....	955	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	136
.....number 1950.....	774	Other farms.....number 1950...	668
.....1945.....	983	Part-time ².....number 1950...	282
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	383
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	343	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	106		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	298	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	261	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,078,347
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	193	.....dollars 1944.....	1,698,395
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	165,673
		.....dollars 1944.....	176,932
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	132,617
		.....dollars 1944.....	147,436
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	12,547
		.....dollars 1944.....	21,244
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,394
		.....dollars 1944.....	2,666
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	18,125
		.....dollars 1944.....	7,616
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,904,336
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,509,481
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	435,411
		.....dollars 1944.....	375,199
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	296,692
		.....dollars 1944.....	267,117
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,172,231
		.....dollars 1944.....	867,165
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,338
		.....dollars 1944.....	9,982
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	717
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	621
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	729
		.....number 1950.....	1,270
		.....1945.....	1,725
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	165
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	371
		.....number 1950.....	353
		.....1945.....	841
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,020
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,194
		.....number 1950.....	16,231
		.....1945.....	16,901
		Cows, including heifers that have calved,.....farms reporting 1950...	979
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,165
		.....number 1950.....	7,845
		.....1945.....	9,339
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	774
		.....number 1950.....	3,983
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	530
		.....number 1950.....	2,913
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	432
		.....number 1950.....	2,709
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	629
		.....number 1950.....	2,764
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	197
		.....farms reporting 1944.....	240
		.....pounds 1949.....	8,732,395
		.....pounds 1944.....	9,927,591
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	409,530
		.....farms reporting 1944.....	115
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	166
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	44,339
		.....dollars 1949.....	66,633
		.....dollars 1949.....	23,823
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,534
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	692
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	675
		.....number 1950.....	9,000
		.....number 1945.....	6,533
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	626
		.....number 1950.....	4,422
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	417
		.....number 1950.....	4,378
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	377
	farms reporting 1945.....	393
	number 1950.....	1,027
	number 1945.....	902

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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...	16	Sorghums:	
1945.....	57	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	707	1944.....	7
1945.....	1,694	acres 1949...	6
1945.....		1944.....	99
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	381	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	49	1944.....	
number 1950...	359	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	1,359	1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	22	acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	13	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950...	326	Sorghum or cans hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	17	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	48	acres 1949.....	6
number shorn 1949.....	528	tons out 1949...	16
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	3,316		
1944.....	8,757		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	970	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1945.....	1,338	acres 1949.....	99
number 1950...	66,032	bushels 1949...	1,350
1945.....	77,446		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	404	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	220
number 1949...	170,860	acres 1944.....	288
dollars 1949...	154,223	1944.....	4,171
Chickens eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	448	acres 1944.....	5,281
dollars 1949...	294,350	bushels 1949...	74,764
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	16	1944.....	99,738
number 1950...	215	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	170
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1944.....	234
1944.....	29	1944.....	2,119
number 1949...	3,879	acres 1944.....	3,390
1944.....	3,486	bushels 1949...	53,817
		1944.....	80,696
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	70
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	190
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	891	acres 1949.....	453
dollars 1949...	1,165,640	1944.....	1,727
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	773	acres 1944.....	35
1944.....	910	1944.....	36
number 1949...	7,059	acres 1949.....	378
1944.....	8,657	acres 1944.....	349
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	489	bushels 1949...	10,628
number 1949...	4,325	1944.....	9,272
dollars 1949...	626,189		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	583	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	2,734	acres 1949...	20
dollars 1949...	186,352	acres 1944.....	18
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	568	bushels 1949...	191
1944.....	473	1944.....	285
number 1949...	9,547		2,689
1944.....	10,124	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	334,877	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	50
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	20	acres grown alone 1949...	473
1944.....	48	1944.....	597
number 1949...	825	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
1944.....	1,418	1944.....	17
dollars 1949...	14,802	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	56	acres grown alone 1949...	4
number 1949...	95	acres grown with other crops 1949...	204
dollars 1949...	3,420	bushels 1949...	2,774
		1944.....	471
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	773	acres grown alone 1949...	192
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	151	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
number 1949...	190	tons 1949...	307
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	28	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
1944.....	28	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	42	acres grown alone 1949...	57
1944.....	125	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Galves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	148	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	97	acres grown alone 1949...	20
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	749	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	996	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	27
number 1949...	1,831	acres grown alone 1949...	154
1944.....	2,905	1944.....	64
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	12
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	51	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	4,609	1944.....	1
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	4
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	75
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	700	bushels 1949...	26
1944.....	768	1944.....	24
acres 1949...	8,415	acres grown alone 1949...	148
1944.....	9,478	acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	688	tons 1949...	136
acres 1949...	762	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	7,941	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
bushels 1949...	8,938	acres grown alone 1949...	2
286,255	264,894	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	379	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...	4,184	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	14		
acres 1949...	95		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	870	1944.....	17
acres 1949...	19,421	acres 1949...	166
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	347	1944.....	103
1944.....	358	sold..dollars 1949...	12,547
acres 1949...	3,305	1944.....	21,244
1944.....	2,981	farms reporting 1949...	9
tons 1949...	6,287	1944.....	10
1944.....	5,839	acres 1949...	18
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	303	1944.....	13
1944.....	295	farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949...	4,986	1944.....	10
1944.....	4,853	acres 1949...	10
tons 1949...	7,343	1944.....	7
1944.....	5,095	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	479	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	335	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1949...	7,612	1944.....	12
1944.....	6,586	acres 1949...	57
tons 1949...	9,244	1944.....	11
1944.....	5,640	farms reporting 1949...	7
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	81	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	54	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	686	farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	461	acres 1949...	8
tons 1949...	761	1944.....	13
1944.....	380	farms reporting 1949...	20
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	30	acres 1949...	19
1944.....	6	1944.....	1
acres 1949...	470	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	75	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	647	1944.....	55
1944.....	70	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	152	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	256	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	2,355	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	4,816	quarts 1949...	1,040
tons 1949...	3,056	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	4,128	acres 1949...	9
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quarts 1949...	1,220
acres 1949...	76	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	420	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	435
Field crops (other):		1945.....	543
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	27	acres 1950 ¹ ..	326
1944.....	9	1945.....	444
acres 1949...	282	farms reporting 1950...	306
1944.....	59	1945.....	796
bushels 1949...	216	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,538
1944.....	41	1945.....	5,995
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	18	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,288
1944.....	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,250
acres 1949...	270	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,567
1944.....	143	1944.....	102
pounds 1949...	39,100	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	337
1944.....	24,110	1945.....	963
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,699
acres 1949...	2	1945.....	12,013
bushels 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,977
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,722
acres 1949...	22	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	918
pounds 1949...	3,062	1944.....	1,050
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	528	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	191
1944.....	1,196	1945.....	577
acres 1949 ¹ ..	54	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,518
1944.....	189	1945.....	3,399
bushels 1949...	7,137	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	244
1944.....	17,531	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,274
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	116	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	909
1944.....	223	1944.....	313
acres 1949 ¹ ..	6	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	200
1944.....	28	1945.....	639
bushels 1949...	1,448	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,266
1944.....	1,374	1945.....	2,585
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	485
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	781
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,937
1944.....		1944.....	818
bales 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	142
1944.....		1945.....	466
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	946
1944.....		1945.....	2,165
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	437
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	509
pounds 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	286
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	52
acres 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	171
gallons 1949...	137	1945.....	510
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,520
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	7,987
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	8	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,864
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,656
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,677
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,006	1944.....	12,378
1944.....	1,404	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	6
		1945.....	
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	13
		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	9
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4
		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.
^{*}Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	37	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	29
.....1945...	56	.....1945...	42
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	39,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	1.1	.....1945...	20
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	196	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	17
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	181	.....1945...	22
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	40	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	4
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3	.....1945...	9
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	414	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	847	.....1945...	.....
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	11.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	15.1	.....1945...	1
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	15,000	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	18,509	.....1945...	2
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A...	2,500.00	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	1,223.73	.....1945...	1
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	.....
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	43	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	234	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	487	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	.....
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	34	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	.....
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	3	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	.....
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	1	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	2		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	3	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	White operators.....number 1950...	36
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	56
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	7	Full owners.....number 1950...	27
acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	28
.....1944...	.....	Part owners.....number 1950...	1
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	107	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	191	All tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	22
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.6
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	39.3
acres 1949...	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	21
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	.....
acres 1949...	.....	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	.....
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	6	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....acres 1949...	3	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	46	Other tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	22		
.....1944...	43	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	62	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....1944...	123	.....1945...	37
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	43
acres 1949...	7	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.78
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	7	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....1944...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	13		
.....1945...	47		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	.....	
.....1945...	2		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	7		
.....1944...	9		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	9		
.....1944...	6		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	9		
.....1944...	6		

*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...	10	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1945...	35	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1945.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	37	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	10	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	30	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	12	.....number 1950.....	14
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	28
.....number 1950.....	20	Class I (Value of products sold \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	9
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1945.....	33	Class V (Value of products sold \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	9
.....number 1950.....	10	Class VI (Value of products sold \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	35	Other farms.....number 1950.....	9
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	9
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	Abnormal ¹.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	171,854
		.....1944.....	221,094
		.....1949.....	158,582
		.....1944.....	220,162
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,892
		.....1944.....	1,137
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	97,500
		.....1944.....	100,500
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	105
		.....1944.....	.....
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	67,100
		.....1944.....	116,400
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,272
		.....1944.....	932
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,317
		.....1944.....	632
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	955
		.....1944.....	300
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
		.....1945.....	18
		.....number 1950.....	12
		.....1945.....	28
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	3
		.....1945.....	12
		.....number 1950.....	4
		.....1945.....	21
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
		.....1945.....	12
		.....number 1950.....	28
		.....1945.....	18
		.....number 1950.....	5
		.....1945.....	12
		.....number 1950.....	7
		.....1945.....	16
		.....number 1950.....	5
		.....1950.....	1
		.....number 1950.....	1
		.....1950.....	1
		.....number 1950.....	20
		.....1950.....	.....
		.....number 1950.....	.....
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		.....pounds 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....1949.....	.....
		.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1949.....	.....
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		.....1945.....	4
		.....number 1950.....	.....
	1945.....	13
	number 1950.....
	1950.....
	number 1950.....
	1950.....
	number 1950.....
	1945.....
	number 1950.....
	1945.....

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Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950.....		Sorghums:	
1945.....		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	
1945.....		acres 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
1945 ¹		1944.....	
number 1950.....		bushels 1949.....	
1945 ¹		1944.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
number 1950.....		tons .green weight 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....		out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number shorn 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....		tons cut 1949.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....			
1944.....			
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	June 3 & later		
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Small grains:	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950.....	7	Grains grown together and threshed	
1945.....	26	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	265	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	1,502	bushels 1949.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
number 1949.....	2,020	acres 1949.....	1
dollars 1949.....	2,022	1944.....	12
1944.....	2	bushels 1949.....	35
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1944.....	380
dozens 1949.....	600	bushels 1949.....	40
dollars 1949.....	295	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....		bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
number 1949.....			
1944.....		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		1944 ²	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		1944 ²	
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		tons 1949.....	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
		acres grown alone 1949.....	18
		1944 ²	3
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		1944 ²	
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		tons 1949.....	
		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres grown alone 1949.....	
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
		acres grown alone 1949.....	18
		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2	..... 1944.....	27
.....acres 1949.....	4	..... 1949.....	167
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		..... 1944.....	195
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	..... sold..dollars 1949.....	97,590
..... 1944.....	2	..... 1944.....	100,500
.....acres 1949.....	2	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2
..... 1944.....	11	..... 1944.....	2
.....tons 1949.....	2	.....acres 1949.....	2
..... 1944.....	12	..... 1944.....	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	19
.....acres 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	24
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	20
.....tons 1949.....		Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	5
.....acres 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	23
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	14
.....tons 1949.....		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	1
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		.....acres 1949.....	1
..... 1944.....		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....acres 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	14
..... 1944.....		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....tons 1949.....		..... 1944.....	18
..... 1944.....		.....acres 1949.....	20
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1	..... 1944.....	19
..... 1944.....		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....acres 1949.....	
..... 1944.....		Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	82
.....tons 1949.....	3	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944.....		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...		.....acres 1949.....	
..... 1944.....	2	.....quarts 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	6	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944.....	6	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....tons 1949.....	6	.....quarts 1949...	25
..... 1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
.....acres 1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	3
..... 1944.....		.....acres 1945.....	1
.....tons, green weight 1949...		..... 1950 ²	(*)
Field crops (other):		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	2
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1945.....	
..... 1944.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4
.....acres 1949.....		..... 1945.....	
..... 1944.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....bushels 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....	6	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1
..... 1944.....		..... 1945.....	
.....pounds 1949.....	1,200	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	2
..... 1944.....		..... 1945.....	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2
..... 1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
..... 1944.....		..... 1944.....	
.....bushels 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	14
..... 1944.....		..... 1945.....	
.....pounds 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
..... 1944.....	1	..... 1944.....	100
.....acres 1949 ¹	5	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
..... 1944.....	1	..... 1945.....	
.....bushels 1949.....	432	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	
..... 1944.....	30	..... 1945.....	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
..... 1944.....	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
.....acres 1949 ¹	6	..... 1944.....	
..... 1944.....	8	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....bushels 1949.....	920	..... 1945.....	
..... 1944.....	900	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1945.....	
..... 1944.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
..... 1944.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
.....bales 1949.....		..... 1944.....	
..... 1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1945.....	
..... 1944.....		.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949.....		..... 1945.....	130
..... 1944.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....pounds 1949.....		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
..... 1944.....		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	
.....gallons 1949.....		..... 1945.....	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	
.....acres 1949.....		..... 1945.....	
..... 1944.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
100 lb. ear corn 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		..... 1944.....	600
.....acres 1949.....		Vegetables harvested for home use (other than	
..... 1944.....		Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	14
..... 1944.....	44	..... 1944.....	44

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1.5 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Number of farms.....	1,062 1945... 1,244	Under 10 acres.....	77 1945... 95
Proximate land area.....	320,000	Under 3 acres.....	15 1945... 12
Proportion in farms.....	70.0	3 to 9 acres.....	62 1945... 83
Owned by farm operators.....	188,508	10 to 29 acres.....	52 1945... 95
Rented from others by farm operators.....	43,258	30 to 49 acres.....	61 1945... 68
Owned and managed by farm operators.....	800	50 to 69 acres.....	41 1945... 53
Rented to others by farm operators.....	8,620	70 to 99 acres.....	99 1945... 111
Owned in farms.....	223,946 1945... 239,952	100 to 139 acres.....	123 1945... 146
Average size of farm.....	210.9 1945... 192.9	140 to 179 acres.....	130 1945... 164
Value of land and buildings.....	9,415 1945... 5,352	180 to 219 acres.....	116 1945... 130
average per farm, dollars 1950*..	46.54	220 to 259 acres.....	87 1945... 86
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	27.75	260 to 499 acres.....	202 1945... 230
Owned in farms according to use:		500 to 999 acres.....	62 1945... 57
Cropland harvested.....	917 1944... 1,113	1,000 acres and over.....	12 1945... 9
acres 1949... 56,565			
1 to 9 acres.....	88 1944... 148	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....	103 1944... 107	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....	81 1944... 109	White operators.....	1,059 1945... 1,243
30 to 49 acres.....	183 1944... 223	Nonwhite operators.....	3 1945... 1
50 to 99 acres.....	313 1944... 383	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....	135 1944... 131	Full owners.....	737 1945... 789
200 acres and over.....	14 1944... 12	Part owners.....	224 1945... 226
Cropland used only for pasture.....	611 1944*.. 622	Managers.....	1 1945... 4
acres 1949... 24,438		All tenants.....	100 1945... 225
1944*.. 18,179		Proportion of tenancy.....	9.4 1945... 18.1
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....	353 1949... 10,864	Cash tenants.....	12 1945... 43
acres 1944... 8,065		Share-cash tenants.....	5 1945... 6
Woodland pastured.....	744 1944... 936	Share tenants and croppers.....	41 1945... 141
acres 1949... 70,386		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....	29 1945... 29
1944... 88,202		Livestock-share tenants.....	12 1945... 12
Woodland not pastured.....	466 1949... 385	Other and unspecified tenants.....	42 1945... 35
acres 1949... 37,278		Other tenants.....	7 1945... 7
1944... 25,949		Unspecified tenants.....	35 1945... 35
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....	432 1944*.. 753		
acres 1949... 15,815		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944*.. 31,432		Telephone.....	444 1945... 568
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....	1,014 1944... 1,190	Electricity.....	703 1945... 269
acres 1949... 8,600		From a power line.....	697 1945... 697
1944... 7,744		Average of last monthly electric bill.....	4.59 1945... 208
Irrigated land in farms.....	.....	Electric water pump.....	101 1945... 101
farms reporting 1949... ..		Electric hot-water heater.....	142 1945... 142
1944... ..		Home freezer.....	638 1945... 638
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....	.....	Electric washing machine.....	56 1945... 56
farms reporting 1949... ..		Electric chick brooder.....	30 1945... 30
1944... ..		Electric power feed grinder.....	45 1945... 45
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....	109 1945... 109
Residing on farm operated.....	1,012 1945... 1,136	Grain combines.....	116 1945... 116
Not residing on farm operated.....	38 1945... 102	Corn pickers.....	88 1945... 88
farms reporting 1949... ..		Pick-up hay balers.....	90 1945... 90
1944... ..		Upright silos.....	79 1945... 80
with other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....	292	Pit or trench silos.....	42 1945... 42
Working off their farm, total.....	371 1944... 408	farms reporting 1950... ..	6 1945... 6
100 days or more.....	262 1944... 263	number 1950... ..	8 1945... 8

*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...	490	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	536
1945.....	343	General farms.....number 1950...	93
number 1950.....	508	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	36
1945.....	361	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	57
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	571	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	338
1945.....	445	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	209
number 1950.....	728		
1945.....	475	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	545	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	730
number 1950.....	665	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	13
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	17
number 1950.....	56	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	126
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	285
number 1950.....	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	154
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	668	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	135
1945.....	769	Other farms.....number 1950.....	332
number 1950.....	851	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	123
1945.....	790	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	209
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	181	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	63	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,113,168
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	260	1944.....	1,986,287
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	459	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	526,236
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	99	1944.....	292,813
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	520,668
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	272,321
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	84
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	317	1944.....	13,739
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	361	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,484
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	326	1944.....	6,738
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	15
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,555,018
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	467	1944.....	1,671,142
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	72	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	172,526
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	216	1944.....	126,651
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	82	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	275,988
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.4	1944.....	287,972
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,106,504
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	295	1944.....	1,256,519
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	570	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	31,914
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	169	1944.....	24,332
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	757
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	977	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	607
persons 1950.....	1,835	1945.....	792
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	966	number 1950.....	1,368
Operators.....persons 1950.....	915	1945.....	2,134
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	558	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	268
persons 1950.....	785	1945.....	495
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	87	number 1950.....	591
persons 1950.....	135	1945.....	1,089
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	970	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	918
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	675	1945.....	1,070
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	594	number 1950.....	16,826
dollars 1949.....	90,700	1945.....	18,407
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	444	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	903
dollars 1949.....	151,976	1945 ⁴	1,019
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	919	number 1950.....	7,942
dollars 1949.....	317,082	1945 ⁵	10,594
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	762	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	777
dollars 1949.....	590,405	number 1950.....	2,503
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	739	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	604
dollars 1949.....	65,230	number 1950.....	3,106
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	634	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	566
dollars 1949.....	151,475	number 1950.....	2,762
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	422	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	680
dollars 1949.....	56,069	number 1950.....	3,016
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	497	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	65
dollars 1949.....	49,452	1944.....	72
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		pounds 1949.....	2,934,801
No sales.....number 1950.....	96	1944.....	1,159,432
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	113	dollars 1949.....	125,317
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	63	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	181
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	45	1944.....	29
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	45	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	87,630
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	118	1944.....	118,853
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	71	dollars 1949.....	47,139
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	115	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	187	1949.....	70
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	156	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	68	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	850
	30	1945.....	937
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950.....	28,233
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	43	1945.....	19,427
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	43	1945.....	804
Cotton.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	12,513
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	608
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	11,718
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	688
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	31	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	771
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	21	1945.....	3,099
		number 1950.....	2,358

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...	28	Sorghums:	
1945...	70	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950...	920	1944...	20
1945...	1,226	acres 1949...	19
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	102
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950...	546	1944...	8
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	28	acres 1949...	14
1945 ¹ ..	67	1944...	55
number 1950...	513	bushels 1949...	380
1945 ¹ ..	1,059	1944...	1,207
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	19	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	33	acres 1949...	5
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	25	tons green weight 1949...	80
number 1950...	374		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944...	68	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number shorn 1949...	472	acres 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,815	tons cut 1949...	
1944...	6,469		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	950	acres 1949...	198
1945...	1,095	bushels 1949...	4,577
number 1950...	82,058		
1945...	107,757	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	444
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	582	1944...	518
number 1949...	64,032	acres 1949...	10,004
dollars 1949...	62,123	1944...	9,692
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	720	bushels 1949...	200,727
dozens 1949...	528,235	1944...	192,742
dollars 1949...	189,191	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	443
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	32	1944...	552
number 1950...	747	acres 1949...	5,846
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1944...	7,250
1944...	71	bushels 1949...	163,480
number 1949...	3,705	1944...	196,848
1944...	3,097		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	64
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	96
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	890	acres 1949...	451
dollars 1949...	2,101,942	1944...	827
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	769	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	126
1944...	921	1944...	168
number 1949...	7,657	acres 1949...	1,306
1944...	8,853	bushels 1949...	1,363
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	533	1944...	34,105
number 1949...	4,582	1944...	33,905
dollars 1949...	790,972	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	553	1944...	12
number 1949...	3,075	acres 1949...	103
dollars 1949...	254,080	1944...	67
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	763	bushels 1949...	1,743
1944...	873	1944...	698
number 1949...	26,967	Annual legumes:	
1944...	28,056	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	34
dollars 1949...	1,043,863	acres grown alone 1949...	410
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944 ² ..	537
1944...	51	acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
number 1949...	475	1944 ² ..	111
1944...	794	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	15
dollars 1949...	8,597	acres grown alone 1949...	28
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres grown with other crops 1949...	271
number 1949...	99	bushels 1949...	4,792
dollars 1949...	4,430	1944...	4,860
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	865	acres grown alone 1949...	125
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	262	acres grown with other crops 1949...	14
number 1949...	302	tons 1949...	191
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	54	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	47	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	61	acres grown alone 1949...	2
1944...	52	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	210	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944...	114	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	241	acres grown alone 1949...	12
1944...	120	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	855	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944...	1,037	acres grown alone 1949...	99
number 1949...	3,341	1944 ² ..	154
1944...	4,351	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	92	1944...	5
dollars 1949...	2,804	acres grown alone 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Corn:		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	760	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	954	acres grown alone 1949...	23
acres 1949...	21,561	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944...	20,596		
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	748	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944...	953	acres grown alone 1949...	66
acres 1949...	20,882	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
1944...	20,364	tons 1949...	102
bushels 1949...	928,855	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	798,873	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres grown alone 1949...	10
acres 1949...	237	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
tons green weight 1949...	1,963	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	43	acres grown alone 1949...	23
acres 1949...	442	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	813	1944.....	40
acres 1949...	16,183	acres 1949...	7
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	432	1944.....	93
1944.....	392	acres 1949...	84
acres 1949...	3,293	1944.....	13,739
1944.....	2,621	acres 1949...	6
tons 1949...	8,291	1944.....	1
1944.....	5,834	acres 1949...	11
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	220	1944.....	5
1944.....	369	acres 1949...	18
acres 1949...	2,460	1944.....	1
1944.....	4,008	acres 1949...	20
tons 1949...	3,102	1944.....	2
1944.....	4,742	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	545	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	529	1944.....	21
acres 1949...	8,186	acres 1949...	3
1944.....	7,526	1944.....	11
tons 1949...	10,477	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	6,841	acres 1949...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1944.....	1
1944.....	81	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	497	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	622	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	530	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	515	1944.....	6
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	14	acres 1949...	21
1944.....	13	1944.....	1
acres 1949...	89	acres 1949...	27
1944.....	121	1944.....	1
tons 1949...	71	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
1944.....	77	acres 1949...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	131	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	165	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	1,596	1944.....	6
1944.....	1,787	acres 1949...	21
tons 1949...	1,486	1944.....	1
1944.....	1,657	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	27
acres 1949...	6	acres 1949...	1
tons..green weight 1949...	40	1944.....	1
Field crops (other):		Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	39	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	103	1944.....	.....
acres 1949...	337	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	728	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	11
bushels 1949...	269	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	847	quarts 1949...	1,682
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	72	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	160	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	614	quarts 1949...	600
1944.....	1,769	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
pounds 1949...	153,299	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	630
1944.....	394,903	1945.....	647
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1950...	424
acres 1949...	.....	1945.....	934
bushels 1949...	.....	1950.....	482
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	727
acres 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,741
pounds 1949...	400	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	20,652
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	592	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,316
1944.....	956	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7,425
acres 1949 ¹ ...	94	1944.....	5,700
1944.....	262	1944.....	952
bushels 1949...	13,517	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	507
1944.....	24,712	1945.....	877
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	212	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,992
1944.....	461	1945.....	27,948
acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,702
1944.....	59	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,290
bushels 1949...	1,212	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,160
1944.....	4,104	1944.....	7,124
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944.....	303
acres 1949...	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	529
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1,346
bales 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,546
1944.....	.....	1945.....	291
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,055
acres 1949...	14	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,382
1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	612
acres 1949...	2	1944.....	342
pounds 1949...	28	1945.....	625
1944.....	1,286	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,447
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1945.....	3,500
acres 1949...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	425
gallons 1949...	489	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,022
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	10,870
acres 1949...	10	quantity harvested..pounds 1944.....	8,627
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	171	1944.....	193
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949...	3	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	515
acres 1949...	26	1945.....	1,071
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	908	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,128
1944.....	1,146	1945.....	267
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	804
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	410
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	495
		1944.....	387
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	646
		1945.....	9,916
		vines of all ages..number 1950...	23,988
		1945.....	955
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8,961
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	50,785
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	50,944
		1944.....	62,942
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	57
		1945.....	325
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	481
		1945.....	99
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	237
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,620
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,200
		1944.....	2,200

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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,402	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	148
1945...	2,444	1945...	120
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	485,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	38
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.2	1945...	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	297,232	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	110
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	186,554	1945...	110
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,581	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	140
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	54,258	1945...	154
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	443,121	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	178
1945...	446,712	1945...	163
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	184.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	137
1945...	182.8	1945...	121
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	19,850	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	282
1945...	13,060	1945...	295
average per acre, dollars 1950*	104.56	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	511
1945...	71.45	1945...	555
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	297
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,086	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	215
1944...	2,189	1945...	216
acres 1949...	229,598	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	179
1944...	227,850	1945...	177
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	135	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	875
1944...	113	1945...	395
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	135	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	121
1944...	136	1945...	112
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	125	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	19
1944...	138	1945...	15
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	288		
1944...	305	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	566	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	649	White operators.....number 1950...	2,781
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	537	1945...	2,393
1944...	586	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	21
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	512	1945...	51
1944...	287	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,358	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,256
1944 ¹ ...	1,745	1945...	1,099
acres 1949...	74,849	Part owners.....number 1950...	555
1944 ¹ ...	67,065	1945...	551
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	6
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	520	1945...	9
acres 1949...	20,558	All tenants.....number 1950...	585
1944...	19,921	1945...	785
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	787	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	24.4
1944...	539	1945...	32.1
acres 1949...	28,284	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	87
1944...	18,746	1945...	108
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	418	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	250
1944...	347	1945...	137
acres 1949...	13,109	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	176
1944...	5,675	1945...	391
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	120
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,072	1945...	96
1944 ¹ ...	1,705	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	52
acres 1949...	46,650	1945...	92
1944 ¹ ...	51,104	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	149
Other land (house lots, roads,		1945...	16
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,261	Other tenants.....number 1950...	76
1944...	2,408	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
acres 1949...	30,135		
1944...	28,351	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,559
1944...		1945...	1,445
acres 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,017
1944...		1945...	995
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,017
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.11
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	849
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	367
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	187
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,577
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	705
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	89
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	77
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	602
		number 1950...	618
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	529
		number 1950...	944
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	181
		number 1950...	161
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	155
		number 1950...	143
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		number 1950...	46
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,189		
1945...	2,299		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	154		
1945...	128		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	382		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	777		
1944...	824		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	347		
1944...	241		

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...	961	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,78
.....1945.....	550	General farms.....number 1950...	28
.....number 1950.....	965	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	594	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,448	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	1,159	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	2,156	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	1,445	.....number 1950.....	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,445	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	38
.....number 1950.....	2,020		
.....1945.....	114	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	114	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,04
.....number 1950.....	114	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	6
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	23
.....number 1950.....	22	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	51
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,710	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	53
.....1945.....	1,875	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	53
.....number 1950.....	1,921	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	23
.....1945.....	2,080	Other farms.....number 1950...	52
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ².....number 1950...	17
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	555	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	16
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	6
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	451		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,047	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	462	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,555,857
		.....1944.....	10,003,860
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	5,624,711
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,808,974
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	167	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,547,802
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	740	.....1944.....	1,764,552
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	578	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	10,181
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	788	.....1944.....	8,251
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	29,691
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	12,878
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,377	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	56,620
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	75	.....1944.....	5,485
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	501	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,005,127
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	29	.....1944.....	8,135,876
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.6	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	556,632
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	498,463
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	434	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	704,988
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,511	.....1944.....	845,533
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	318		
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	9,741,481
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	6,849,859
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,021
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,048	.....1944.....	11,030
.....persons 1950.....	5,914		
.....farms reporting 1950...	2,024	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,973	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,576
.....persons 1950.....	875	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,398
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	1,181	.....1945.....	1,822
.....persons 1950.....	500	.....number 1950.....	3,589
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	750	.....1945.....	6,228
.....persons 1950.....		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	476
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...		.....1945.....	1,182
.....persons 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	1,062
		.....1945.....	3,357
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,124	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,728	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,150
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,455	.....1945.....	2,276
dollars 1949.....	410,512	.....number 1950...	49,222
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,418	.....1945.....	48,638
dollars 1949.....	812,289	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,111
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,016	.....1945 ³	2,285
dollars 1949.....	1,967,220	.....number 1950...	18,688
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,627	.....1945 ³	19,547
dollars 1949.....	2,776,581	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,944
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,748	.....number 1950...	9,006
dollars 1949.....	272,435	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,455
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,559	.....number 1950...	6,855
dollars 1949.....	808,448	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,578
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,223	.....number 1950...	14,005
dollars 1949.....	253,325	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,551
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,542	.....number 1950...	7,774
dollars 1949.....	231,134	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	329
		.....1944.....	445
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	8,915,561
No sales.....number 1950...	62	.....1944.....	9,681,493
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	118	.....dollars 1949...	554,654
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	70	.....1949.....	86
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	90	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	350,650
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	207	.....1944.....	527,808
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	146	.....dollars 1949...	201,025
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	256	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	15
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	350	.....dollars 1949...	963
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	265		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	543	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	377	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,940
		.....1945.....	2,041
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	115,177
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	545	.....1945.....	85,618
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	545	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,902
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	54,394
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,541
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	58,841
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	1,706
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	52	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,777
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	21	.....1945.....	14,269
		.....1945.....	12,002

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...	184	Sorghums:	
1945.....	284	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	45
number 1950...	7,305	1944.....	129
1945.....	6,082	acres 1949...	351
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	1,120
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	161	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	50
number 1950...	4,025	1944.....	79
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	158	acres 1949...	206
1945.....	286	1944.....	580
number 1950...	5,889	bushels 1949...	5,018
1945 ¹ ..	4,986	1944.....	14,820
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	97	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1950...	356	acres 1949...	119
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	146	tons green weight 1949...	1,028
number 1950...	3,280	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	156	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	249	acres 1949...	6
number shorn 1949...	4,163	tons out 1949...	16
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	50,669	Small grains:	
1944.....	42,295	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	15
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	525
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2,043	bushels 1949...	8,529
1945.....	2,285	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025
number 1950...	210,699	1944.....	871
1945.....	276,857	acres 1949...	51,544
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,358	1944.....	31,706
number 1949...	114,206	bushels 1949...	815,404
dollars 1949...	110,804	1944.....	524,066
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,713	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	955
dozens 1949...	1,534,169	1944.....	727
dollars 1949...	548,959	acres 1949...	24,087
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	12	1944.....	18,496
number 1950...	93	bushels 1949...	588,965
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944.....	305,607
1944.....	59	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	203
number 1949...	6,787	1944.....	578
1944.....	6,972	acres 1949...	2,635
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	8,845
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,180	1944.....	35
dollars 1949...	9,715,304	acres 1949...	229
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,858	1944.....	558
1944.....	1,989	bushels 1949...	4,275
number 1949...	31,252	1944.....	5,542
1944.....	32,927	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	52
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	1,299	1944.....	72
number 1949...	24,406	acres 1949...	448
dollars 1949...	4,350,549	1944.....	618
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,140	bushels 1949...	4,411
number 1949...	6,846	1944.....	9,867
dollars 1949...	674,852	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,948	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	168
1944.....	2,065	acres grown alone 1949...	5,590
number 1949...	120,097	1944 ² ..	2,992
1944.....	138,074	acres grown with other crops 1949...	118
dollars 1949...	4,587,777	1944 ² ..	16
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	171	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	152
1944.....	173	1944.....	167
number 1949...	3,940	acres grown alone 1949...	3,579
1944.....	3,775	acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
dollars 1949...	65,493	bushels 1949...	66,251
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	191	1944.....	40,700
number 1949...	440	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9
dollars 1949...	24,655	acres grown alone 1949...	71
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	72
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,885	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	701	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	771	acres grown alone 1949...	42
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	227	acres grown with other crops 1949...	81
1944.....	524	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	255	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	535	acres grown alone 1949...	98
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	461	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
1944.....	230	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	516	acres grown alone 1949...	6
1944.....	259	1944 ² ..	5
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,820	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
1944.....	2,081	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	5,206	acres grown alone 1949...	.....
1944.....	6,772	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949...	.....
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	283	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	14,402	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,938	bushels 1949...	.....
1944.....	2,090	1944.....	.....
acres 1949...	103,855	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	119,200	acres grown alone 1949...	.....
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,988	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
1944.....	2,088	tons 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	100,874	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	118,523	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
bushels 1949...	4,585,864	acres grown alone 1949...	.....
1944.....	4,700,478	acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	59	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	937	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons green weight 1949...	8,351	acres grown alone 1949...	6
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	.....
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	186		
acres 1949...	2,184		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,517	1944.....	52
acres 1949.....	40,348	1949.....	59
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		1944.....	40
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	358	1949.....	10,189
1944.....	217	1944.....	8,261
acres 1949.....	5,305	1949.....	1
1944.....	2,640	1944.....	20
tons 1949.....	14,781	1949.....	1
1944.....	8,049	1944.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	745	1949.....	11
1944.....	796	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	17,283	1949.....	1
1944.....	15,512	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	25,326	1949.....	1
1944.....	15,704	1944.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	857	1949.....	1
1944.....	895	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	15,794	1949.....	1
1944.....	16,006	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	20,423	1949.....	1
1944.....	18,765	1944.....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		Other vegetables.....	
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	122	1949.....	1
1944.....	64	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	1,724	1949.....	1
1944.....	1,154	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	2,164	1949.....	1
1944.....	857	1944.....	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1949.....	1
1944.....	1	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	49	1949.....	1
1944.....	15	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	24	1949.....	1
1944.....	15	1944.....	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1949.....	1
1944.....	22	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	521	1949.....	1
1944.....	245	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	585	1949.....	1
1944.....	362	1944.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	7	1944.....	1
tons..green weight 1949...	35	1949.....	1
Field crops(other):		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	40
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	205	1944.....	11
1944.....	195	1949.....	7,855
acres 1949.....	5,582	1944.....	9
1944.....	2,892	1949.....	277
bushels 1949.....	2,623	1944.....	
1944.....	4,209	1949.....	
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	536	1944.....	
1944.....	702	1949.....	
acres 1949.....	12,246	1944.....	
1944.....	15,265	1949.....	
pounds 1949.....	2,987,072	1944.....	
1944.....	4,126,479	1949.....	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	154	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	2,829	1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	7,748	1944.....	
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1949.....	
acres 1949.....	35	1944.....	
pounds 1949.....	2,831	1949.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,151
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	964	1945.....	934
1944.....	797	acres 1950 ²	544
acres 1949 ¹	134	1945.....	516
1944.....	221	1950.....	625
bushels 1949.....	21,773	1945.....	885
1944.....	16,205	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,207
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or		1945.....	11,550
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	144	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,855
1944.....	191	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,552
acres 1949 ¹	30	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	17,187
1944.....	472	1944.....	4,959
bushels 1949.....	1,117	1949.....	897
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,226
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	8,788
1944.....		1945.....	13,502
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,548
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,240
bales 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	942
1944.....		1944.....	16
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	459
1944.....	2	1945.....	666
acres 1949.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,167
1944.....	5	1945.....	1,653
pounds 1949.....	8,000	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	352
1944.....	2,206	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	835
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	9	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	935
acres 1949.....	19	1944.....	255
gallons 1949.....	1,283	1949.....	559
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1945.....	908
acres 1949.....	143	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,747
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	2,697	1945.....	5,743
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	725
corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,024
acres 1949.....	51	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,487
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than		1944.....	18,079
Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,857	1949.....	371
1944.....	2,286	1945.....	711
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,51
		1945.....	5,811
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	423
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,101
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	219
		1944.....	27
		1949.....	64
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	1,048
		1945.....	5,818
		vines of all ages..number 1950...	10,189
		1945.....	1,554
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,282
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	27,478
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	61,500
		1944.....	168
		1949.....	82
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	5,115
		1945.....	491
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	794
		1945.....	4,38
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	45,794
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21
		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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,018	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	41
.....1945...	1,049	.....1945...	41
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	195,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.8	.....1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	134,719	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	36
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	58,110	.....1945...	41
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,870	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	44
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	13,986	.....1945...	41
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	181,713	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	64
.....1945...	185,814	.....1945...	58
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	178.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	38
.....1945...	177.1	.....1945...	40
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	9,152	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	123
.....1945...	6,083	.....1945...	122
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	46.56	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	151
.....1945...	34.34	.....1945...	179
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	144
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	911	.....1945...	149
1944...	950	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	136
acres 1949...	55,774	.....1945...	141
1944...	59,793	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	86
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	70	.....1945...	83
1944...	70	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	159
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	93	.....1945...	166
1944...	84	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	28
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	100	.....1945...	4
1944...	110	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	4
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	214	.....1945...	5
1944...	199		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	281	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	329	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	123	White operators.....number 1950...	1,017
1944...	135	1945...	1,049
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944...	23	1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	236	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	89	Full owners.....number 1950...	621
acres 1949...	13,955	1945...	558
1944 ¹ ...	2,283	Part owners.....number 1950...	201
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1945...	250
acres 1949...	2,503	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1944...	2,526	1945...	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	256	All tenants.....number 1950...	193
1944...	243	1945...	236
acres 1949...	10,493	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.0
1944...	9,815	1945...	22.5
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	119	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	31
1944...	74	1945...	40
acres 1949...	3,570	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	68
1944...	4,387	1945...	107
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	849	Share tenants.....number 1950...	61
1944 ¹ ...	990	1945...	75
acres 1949...	87,941	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944 ¹ ...	99,823	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	36
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	958	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	33
1944...	1,036	1945...	14
acres 1949...	7,477	Other tenants.....number 1950...	6
1944...	7,187	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	27
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	851
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	794
1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	751
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	383
acres 1949...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	746
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.03
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	159
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	55
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	601
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	96
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	38
		number 1950...	38
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	56
		number 1950...	61
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		number 1950...	61
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	41
		number 1950...	46
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		number 1950...	20
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	978		
.....1945...	975		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	23		
.....1945...	70		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	124		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	305		
1944...	202		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	113		
1944...	112		

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..	223	Livestock: farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950..	589
1945.....	101	General farms.....number 1950..	71
number 1950..	228	Primarily crop.....number 1950..	57
1945.....	104	Primarily livestock.....number 1950..	14
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	465	Crop and livestock.....number 1950..	165
1945.....	246	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950..	165
number 1950..	499		
1945.....	266		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950..	460	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950..	483	Commercial farms.....number 1950..	853
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950..	5
number 1950..	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950..	28
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950..	149
number 1950..	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950..	233
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950..	766	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950..	253
1945.....	793	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950..	168
number 1950..	857	Other farms.....number 1950..	163
1945.....	831	Part-time ².....number 1950..	88
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950..	77
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	137	Abnormal ³.....number 1950..	.....
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..	411	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	327	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949..	3,039,779
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	128	1944.....	2,192,924
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949..	286,458
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		1944.....	159,426
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949..	296,939
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950..	90	1944.....	157,536
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	460	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949..	376
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	410	1944.....	40
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	45	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949..	643
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	4	1944.....	1,564
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949..	500
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	262	1944.....	286
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	115	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949..	2,736,665
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	291	1944.....	2,030,511
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	67	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949..	330,076
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	1.5	1944.....	260,360
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949..	318,398
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950..	116	1944.....	545,379
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950..	323	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949..	2,088,191
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950..	551	1944.....	1,224,772
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949..	4,656
FARM LABOR^a		1944.....	2,987
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	921	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	752
persons 1950..	1,544	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950..	744
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950..	920	1945.....	838
Operators.....persons 1950..	895	number 1950..	2,004
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950..	397	1945.....	2,824
persons 1950..	578	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950..	33
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	53	1945.....	60
persons 1950..	71	number 1950..	63
		1945.....	140
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949..	996	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950..	979
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	811	1945.....	971
Machine hire.....dollars 1949..	695	number 1950..	18,152
1949.....	108,871	1945.....	16,185
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	565	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950..	973
dollars 1949..	107,202	1945 ³	955
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949..	931	number 1950..	9,340
dollars 1949..	416,337	1945 ³	10,221
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	824	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950..	923
dollars 1949..	782,460	number 1950..	5,601
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	721	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	619
dollars 1949..	67,093	number 1950..	3,549
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949..	671	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	494
dollars 1949..	146,618	number 1950..	1,726
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	380	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	743
dollars 1949..	36,593	number 1950..	3,537
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	646	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949..	175
dollars 1949..	47,508	1944.....	79
		pounds 1949..	3,412,810
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	2,733,974
No sales.....number 1950..	11	dollars 1949..	112,542
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950..	66	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949..	634
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950..	54	1944.....	718
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950..	54	pounds of butterfat 1949..	364,302
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950..	98	1944.....	364,022
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950..	117	dollars 1949..	213,699
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950..	196	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949..	15
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950..	177	1949.....	3,435
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950..	124		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950..	87	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950..	34	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950..	710
		1945.....	656
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950..	14,240
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950..	39	1945.....	7,230
Cash-grain.....number 1950..	39	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950..	682
Cotton.....number 1950..	.....	number 1950..	7,219
Other field-crop.....number 1950..	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	393
Vegetable farms.....number 1950..	.....	number 1950..	7,021
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950..	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950..	602
Dairy farms.....number 1950..	125	1945.....	541
Poultry farms.....number 1950..	29	number 1950..	2,442
		1945.....	1,734

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...	503	Sorghums:	
1944.....	619	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	72
number 1950...	44,837	1944.....	104
1945.....	34,708	acres 1949...	280
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	437
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	491	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950...	30,648	1944.....	19
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	483	acres 1949...	410
1945 ¹ ..	617	1944.....	10
number 1950...	21,400	bushels 1949...	61
1945 ¹ ..	29,898	1944.....	628
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	350	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	57
number 1950...	9,248	acres 1949...	200
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	423	tons..green weight 1949...	374
number 1950...	14,189	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	500	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	57
1944.....	632	acres 1949...	200
number shorn 1949...	36,175	tons cut 1949...	374
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	255,690	Small grains:	
1944.....	253,353	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	51
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	924	bushels 1949...	1,830
1945.....	941	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	190
number 1950...	93,280	1944.....	53
1945.....	115,216	acres 1949...	2,945
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	632	1944.....	636
number 1949...	62,741	bushels 1949...	52,392
dollars 1949...	61,048	1944.....	9,697
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	789	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	417
dollars 1949...	565,799	1944.....	246
dozens 1949...	193,717	acres 1949...	7,630
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	7	1944.....	4,174
number 1950...	33	bushels 1949...	214,126
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1944.....	83,369
1944.....	21	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	68
number 1949...	11,455	1944.....	127
1944.....	13,743	acres 1949...	560
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	1,112
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	952	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	1,960,794	acres 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	894	bushels 1949...	
1944.....	906	1944.....	
number 1949...	7,787	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	8,748	1944.....	18
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	527	acres 1949...	214
number 1949...	3,367	1944.....	204
dollars 1949...	485,737	bushels 1949...	3,733
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	818	1944.....	2,093
number 1949...	4,420	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	299,856	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	145
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	727	acres grown alone 1949...	3,159
1944.....	678	1944 ²	3,814
number 1949...	17,620	acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
1944.....	16,036	1944 ²	27
dollars 1949...	635,812	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	114
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	505	1944.....	141
1944.....	580	acres grown alone 1949...	2,968
number 1949...	30,824	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
1944.....	29,613	bushels 1949...	69,154
dollars 1949...	531,730	1944.....	49,346
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	107	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	39
number 1949...	184	acres grown alone 1949...	179
dollars 1949...	7,659	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	222
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	820	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	240	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	255	acres grown alone 1949...	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	38	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	97	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	39	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	98	acres grown alone 1949...	12
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	204	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	102	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	216	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	105	1944 ²	
1944.....	797	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	801	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,684	1944.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown alone 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	167	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,918	1944 ²	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Corn:		1944.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	755	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	804	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	16,382	bushels 1945...	
1944.....	20,209	1944.....	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	747	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	804	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949...	15,838	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	20,154	tons 1949...	
bushels 1949...	568,728	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	739,473	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949...	111	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...	1,223	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	45	acres grown alone 1949...	
acres 1949...	433	acres grown with other crops 1949...	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	841	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	24,909	acres 1949.....	7
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	187	1944.....	1
1944.....	223	sold..dollars 1949.....	376
acres 1949.....	1,490	1944.....	40
1944.....	1,977	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	3,255	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	4,306	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	621	1944.....	
1944.....	781	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	15,210	1944.....	
1944.....	24,286	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	16,458	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	21,844	1944.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	368	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	80	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	6,484	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	1,041	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	7,492	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	845	acres 1949.....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1944.....	
1944.....		Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	500	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	481	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	5
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	3	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	71	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	26	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	47	1944.....	
1944.....	27	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1944.....	
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,298	1944.....	
1944.....	347	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,299	1944.....	
1944.....	315	acres 1949.....	48
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	24	acres 1949.....	
tons..green weight 1949.....	80	1944.....	
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1944.....	
1944.....	39	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	306	1944.....	
1944.....	456	bushels 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	234	1944.....	
1944.....	316	trees of all ages..number 1945.....	1,324
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1944.....	1,367
1944.....	49	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	553
acres 1949.....	698	1945.....	771
1944.....	1,131	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	957
pounds 1949.....	95,560	1949.....	283
1944.....	125,473	quantity harvested..bushels 1944.....	433
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	41	1945.....	440
1944.....	769	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,815
bushels 1949.....	1,733	1945.....	5,483
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	738
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	4,077
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	267
acres 1949.....		1949.....	11
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1944.....	315
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	364
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	518	1945.....	1,192
1944.....	357	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,551
acres 1949 ¹	18	1945.....	174
1944.....	50	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,018
bushels 1949.....	6,015	1945.....	1,951
1944.....	2,007	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	403
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	148	1949.....	279
1944.....	3	1945.....	304
acres 1949 ²	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,062
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	1,539
bushels 1949.....	272	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	315
1944.....	13	1945.....	747
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,798
1944.....		1949.....	4,316
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested...pounds 1949.....	221
1944.....		1944.....	261
bales 1949.....		1945.....	1,391
1944.....		1945.....	1,823
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	297
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,094
acres 1949.....	1	1949.....	221
1944.....		1944.....	2
pounds 1949.....	4	1945.....	341
1944.....	6,000	1945.....	423
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	15	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	2,507
1944.....	5	1945.....	3,712
acres 1949.....	481	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	290
gallons 1949.....	31	1945.....	2,217
1944.....	8	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	20,432
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	63	1949.....	47,065
1944.....		1944.....	7
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	35
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	871	1945.....	3
1944.....	973	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	33
		1950.....	2
		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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,356	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	44
.....1945.....	1,486	.....1945.....	41
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	282,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	8
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	93.1	.....1945.....	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	183,713	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	36
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	100,197	.....1945.....	36
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,815	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	41
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,917	.....1945.....	66
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	262,808	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	59
.....1945.....	271,725	.....1945.....	70
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	193.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	62
.....1945.....	182.9	.....1945.....	68
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	11,552	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	151
.....1945.....	6,992	.....1945.....	173
average per acre, dollars 1950*	57.95	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	208
.....1945.....	38.24	.....1945.....	245
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	200
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,222	.....1945.....	239
.....1944.....	1,342	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	163
acres 1949.....	104,224	.....1945.....	161
.....1944.....	103,089	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	119
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	67	.....1945.....	122
.....1944.....	67	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	257
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	83	.....1945.....	242
.....1944.....	83	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	46
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	101	.....1945.....	50
.....1944.....	118	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	193	.....1945.....	9
.....1944.....	263		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	385	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	479	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	308	White operators.....number 1950...	1,356
.....1944.....	263	.....1945.....	1,486
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	85	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944.....	69	.....1945.....	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	502	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹	176	Full owners.....number 1950...	764
acres 1949.....	33,349	.....1945.....	799
.....1944 ¹	6,129	Part owners.....number 1950...	298
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	284
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	105	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....1944.....	3,109	.....1945.....	6
acres 1949.....	2,667	All tenants.....number 1950...	292
.....1944.....	394	.....1945.....	397
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	352	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.5
.....1944.....	352	.....1945.....	26.7
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	18,989	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	34
.....1944.....	18,348	.....1945.....	67
acres 1949.....	178	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	148
.....1944.....	86	.....1945.....	150
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	89
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,056	.....1945.....	123
.....1944 ¹	1,364	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	40
acres 1949.....	86,694	.....1945.....	49
.....1944 ¹	128,911	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945.....	57
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,331	Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944.....	1,430	.....1945.....	17
acres 1949.....	11,399	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	10,935	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,053
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	1,213
.....1944.....	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,088
acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	476
.....1944.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,087
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	5,775
.....1944.....	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	247
		.....1945.....	158
FARM OPERATORS		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	138
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,298	.....1945.....	881
.....1945.....	1,369	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	141
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	43	.....1945.....	11
.....1945.....	84	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	26
With other income of family exceeding value		.....1945.....	226
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	166	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	234
.....1944.....	378	.....1945.....	153
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	194	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	154
.....1944.....	138	.....1945.....	87
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	109	.....1945.....	87
.....1944.....	.....	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		.....1945.....	41
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		.....1945.....	29
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945.....	.....
		Fit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945.....	.....

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...	297	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	793
.....farms reporting 1945...	152	.....number 1945...	2
.....number 1950...	307	General farms.....number 1950...	154
.....number 1945...	165	.....number 1945...	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	779	.....number 1950...	61
.....farms reporting 1945...	541	.....number 1945...	93
.....number 1950...	943	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	160
.....number 1945...	604		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	759	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	905	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,196
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950...	25	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	61
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	258
.....number 1950...	13	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	382
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,024	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	308
.....farms reporting 1945...	1,141	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	177
.....number 1950...	1,166	Other farms.....number 1950...	160
.....number 1945...	1,210	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	102
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	58
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	98	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	445	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,548,133
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	600	.....dollars 1944...	3,718,683
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	203	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,174,994
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....dollars 1944...	589,808
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,173,743
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....dollars 1944...	586,898
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	403	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	65
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	393	.....dollars 1944...	150
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	403	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	680
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8	.....dollars 1944...	1,441
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	506
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	453	.....dollars 1944...	1,319
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	81	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,369,083
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	457	.....dollars 1944...	3,126,008
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	264,317
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3	.....dollars 1944...	227,833
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	420,805
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	146	.....dollars 1944...	594,259
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	522	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,683,961
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	566	.....dollars 1944...	2,303,916
FARM LABOR⁴		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,056
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944...	2,867
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,184	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	1,961	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,014
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,183	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,004
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,158	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,205
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	466	.....number 1950...	2,844
.....persons 1950...	696	.....number 1945...	4,194
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	93	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	41
.....persons 1950...	107	.....farms reporting 1945...	109
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁴		.....number 1950...	92
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,220	.....number 1945...	225
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	985	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	841	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,273
.....dollars 1949...	163,961	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,370
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	620	.....number 1950...	23,850
.....dollars 1949...	192,613	.....number 1945...	23,874
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,134	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,265
.....dollars 1949...	597,375	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,363
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,038	.....number 1950...	12,137
.....dollars 1949...	1,069,368	.....number 1945...	15,691
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,040	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,182
.....dollars 1949...	152,858	.....number 1950...	4,985
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	935	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	787
.....dollars 1949...	266,492	.....number 1950...	4,438
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	672	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	671
.....dollars 1949...	98,297	.....number 1950...	2,647
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	872	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	952
.....dollars 1949...	73,445	.....number 1950...	4,628
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	110
No sales.....number 1950...	7	.....farms reporting 1944...	97
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	51	.....pounds 1949...	1,843,813
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	53	.....pounds 1944...	1,755,828
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	72	.....dollars 1949...	61,134
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	72	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	766
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	154	.....farms reporting 1944...	895
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	236	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	362,071
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	291	.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	361,269
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	190	.....dollars 1949...	203,168
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	165	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	15
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	65	.....dollars 1949...	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	192	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,017
.....number 1950...	192	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,013
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	31,762
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	20,183
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	994
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1950...	16,007
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1950...	626
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	28	.....number 1950...	15,759
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	29	.....number 1950...	874
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	838
		.....farms reporting 1945...	4,987
		.....number 1950...	3,759

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...	498	Sorghums:	
1945.....	680	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	44
number 1950.....	27,365	1944.....	85
1945.....	25,971	acres 1949.....	218
1945.....		1944.....	472
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	492	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	16,365	1944.....	3
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	489	acres 1949.....	12
1945.....	675	1944.....	16
number 1950.....	14,788	bushels 1949.....	250
1945.....	22,412	1944.....	250
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	301	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950.....	1,577	acres 1949.....	67
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	419	tons..green weight 1949...	690
number 1950.....	11,000	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	36
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	506	acres 1949.....	139
1944.....	698	tons cut 1949...	1,004
number shorn 1949.....	16,961		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	132,840	Small grains:	
1944.....	188,841	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	69
		bushels 1949.....	1,181
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	384
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,178	acres 1949.....	56
1945.....	1,320	1944.....	8,128
number 1950.....	126,382	bushels 1949.....	771
1945.....	159,606	1944.....	142,380
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	758	1944.....	11,835
number 1949.....	55,950	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	748
dollars 1949.....	53,202	acres 1949.....	578
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,039	1944.....	15,373
dozens 1949.....	782,701	bushels 1949.....	9,916
dollars 1949.....	278,000	1944.....	382,773
Broilers, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	9	1944.....	191,971
number 1950.....	1,540	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	81
1944.....	12	1944.....	96
number 1949.....	3	acres 1949.....	800
1944.....	15,516	1944.....	836
number 1949.....	40	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949.....	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	10
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold live.....farms reporting 1949...	1,247	1944.....	16
dollars 1949.....	3,617,266	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	1,158	acres 1949.....	133
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,252	1944.....	51
number 1949.....	14,502	bushels 1949.....	1,682
1944.....	14,862	1944.....	371
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	665	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	7,974	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	489
dollars 1949.....	1,240,319	acres grown alone 1949.....	14,650
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,023	1944.....	17,143
number 1949.....	6,528	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	39
dollars 1949.....	564,729	1944.....	25
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,034	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	485
1944.....	1,060	acres grown alone 1949.....	586
number 1949.....	39,208	1944.....	14,479
1944.....	40,361	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	25
dollars 1949.....	1,519,234	bushels 1949.....	318,112
1944.....	490	1944.....	277,925
number 1949.....	611	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	17,557	acres grown alone 1949.....	128
dollars 1949.....	23,959	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	14
1944.....	283,189	tons 1949.....	186
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	108	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	229	acres grown alone 1949.....	41
dollars 1949.....	9,775	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949.....	2
Cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,039	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	396	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	419	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	49	1944.....	11
1944.....	63	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
number 1949.....	51	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	96	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	351	1944.....	
number 1949.....	346	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	368	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	992	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1944.....	1,114	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
number 1949.....	2,048	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	2,431	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	251	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	5,388	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
		Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949.....	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
1944.....	1,244	bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	34,188	1944.....	
1944.....	40,610	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,065	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1944.....	1,244	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	33,177	tons 1949.....	
1944.....	40,443	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949.....	1,343,947	acres grown alone 1949.....	
1944.....	1,598,940	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	166	acres grown alone 1949.....	
tons..green weight 1949.....	1,357	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	88		
acres 1949.....	845		

Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949..	3
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,052	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	29,447	acres 1949...	3
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	110	1944.....	1
1944.....	177	sold.dollars 1949...	65
acres 1949.....	850	1944.....	150
1944.....	1,504	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	1,888	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	2,895	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	783	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	1,086	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	18,116	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	30,392	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	18,915	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	28,340	1944.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	529	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	60	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	9,347	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	853	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	10,114	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	813	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	60	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	601	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	528	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	2	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	8	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949...	10	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	9	1944.....	(*)
5		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	31	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	24	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949...	334	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	203	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	302	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	232	acres 1949...	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949.....		acres 1949...	(*)
tons, green weight 1949.....		acres 1949...	(*)
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	(*)
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	157	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	104	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	1,569	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	1,036	acres 1949...	(*)
bushels 1949...	1,328	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	759	acres 1949...	(*)
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	173	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	33	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	1,984	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	460	acres 1949...	(*)
pounds 1949...	285,678	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	64,861	acres 1949...	(*)
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	108	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	1,551	acres 1949...	(*)
bushels 1949...	3,251	acres 1949...	(*)
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
pounds 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	530	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	140	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	34	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	27	acres 1949...	(*)
bushels 1949...	6,728	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	1,272	acres 1949...	(*)
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	120	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	5	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	(*)	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	(*)	acres 1949...	(*)
bushels 1949...	221	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	18	acres 1949...	(*)
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
bales 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
2		acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
5		acres 1949...	(*)
pounds 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
3,100		acres 1949...	(*)
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	4	acres 1949...	(*)
gallons 1949...	324	acres 1949...	(*)
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	2	acres 1949...	(*)
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	54	acres 1949...	(*)
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...		acres 1949...	(*)
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,148	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	1,348	acres 1949...	(*)

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 *Less than 1 acre.

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farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	209
land harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,715number 1945...	209
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,860	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	126
.....acres 1949...	167,133	.....number 1945...	145
.....acres 1944...	152,538	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	81
to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	101	.....number 1945...	74
.....farms reporting 1944...	139	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	188
to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	190	.....number 1945...	151
.....farms reporting 1944...	239	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	42
to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	171	.....number 1945...	41
.....farms reporting 1944...	210	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	283	.....number 1945...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...	273	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	405	Farms by color of operator:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	471	White operators.....number 1950...	1,677
to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	358	.....number 1945...	1,740
.....farms reporting 1944...	374	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	161
to 999 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	207	.....number 1945...	154
.....farms reporting 1944...	154	Farms by tenure of operator:	
and used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	884	Full owners.....number 1950...	663
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,054	.....number 1945...	692
.....acres 1949...	25,340	Part owners.....number 1950...	219
.....acres 1944...	31,799	.....number 1945...	124
and not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	376	Managers.....number 1950...	14
.....farms reporting 1944...	311	.....number 1945...	7
and pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	358	All tenants.....number 1950...	942
.....farms reporting 1944...	311	.....number 1945...	1,071
.....acres 1949...	9,122	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	51.3
.....acres 1944...	8,389	.....percent 1945...	56.5
and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	350	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....farms reporting 1944...	358	.....number 1945...	42
.....acres 1949...	14,182	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	62
.....acres 1944...	13,471	.....number 1945...	10
pasture (not cropland and woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	220	Share tenants.....number 1950...	357
.....farms reporting 1944...	337	.....number 1945...	576
.....acres 1949...	5,881	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	277
.....acres 1944...	7,322	.....number 1945...	80
land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	457
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,761	.....number 1945...	411
.....acres 1949...	14,048	Croppers.....number 1950...	45
.....acres 1944...	11,146	.....number 1945...	32
land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	.....number 1945...	37
.....acres 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1944...	.....	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	318
irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	236
.....farms reporting 1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,032
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	568
.....acres 1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,012
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.47
on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,666	.....dollars 1945...	446
.....operators reporting 1945...	1,708	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	142
ing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	120	.....farms reporting 1945...	187
.....operators reporting 1945...	170	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	783
r income of family exceeding agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	279	.....farms reporting 1945...	135
ff their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	581	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....operators reporting 1944...	414	.....farms reporting 1945...	45
ys or more.....operators reporting 1949...	266	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	583
.....operators reporting 1944...	187	.....farms reporting 1945...	701
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	257
		.....farms reporting 1945...	269
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	89
		.....farms reporting 1945...	94
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	76
		.....farms reporting 1945...	91
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	5
		.....number 1945...	5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....farms reporting 1945...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
	farms reporting 1945...
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...
	farms reporting 1945...

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Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	267,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	17
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.2	1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	128,263	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	80
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	142,232	1945.....	80
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	34,974	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	317
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	58,917	1945.....	358
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	246,552	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	232
1945.....	232,207	1945.....	227
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	134.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	108
1945.....	122.6	1945.....	120
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	13,734	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	211
1945.....	7,668	1945.....	234
average per acre, dollars 1950*	101.13	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	217
1945.....	62.54	1945.....	251
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	209
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,715	1945.....	209
1944.....	1,860	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	126
acres 1949...	167,133	1945.....	145
1944.....	152,538	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	81
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	101	1945.....	74
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10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	190	1945.....	151
1944.....	239	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	42
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	171	1945.....	41
1944.....	210	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	283	1945.....	3
1944.....	273		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	405	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	471	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	358	White operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	374	1945.....	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	207	1945.....	
1944.....	154	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	884	1945.....	
1944 ¹	1,054	1945.....	
acres 1949...	25,340	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	31,799	Full owners.....number 1950...	
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	376	1945.....	
acres 1949...	10,846	1945.....	
1944.....	7,542	Part owners.....number 1950...	
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	358	1945.....	
1944.....	311	1945.....	
acres 1949...	9,122	Managers.....number 1950...	
1944.....	8,389	1945.....	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	350	1945.....	
1944.....	358	All tenants.....number 1950...	
acres 1949...	14,182	1945.....	
1944.....	13,471	1945.....	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	220	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	
1944 ¹	337	1945.....	
acres 1949...	5,881	1945.....	
1944 ¹	7,322	1945.....	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	
1944.....	1,761	1945.....	
acres 1949...	14,048	1945.....	
1944.....	11,146	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949...		Share tenants.....number 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
acres 1949...		Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		1945.....	
		Croppers.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		1945.....	
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		1945.....	
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		37	
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		236	
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		1,032	
		568	
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		1,012	
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	
		1945.....	
		6.47	
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		446	
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		142	
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		187	
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		783	
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		135	
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		15	
		Milk machine.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		45	
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		583	
		number 1950...	
		701	
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		257	
		number 1950...	
		269	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		89	
		number 1950...	
		94	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		76	
		number 1950...	
		91	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		5	
		number 1950...	
		5	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,666		
1945.....	1,708		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	120		
1945.....	170		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	279		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	521		
1944.....	414		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	266		
1944.....	187		

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...	773	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	293
.....1945.....	490	General farms.....number 1950.....	266
.....number 1950.....	862	.....number 1950.....	44
.....194.....	520	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,061	.....number 1950.....	217
.....1945.....	770	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	256
.....number 1950.....	1,735		
.....1945.....	977		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,061	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,690	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,592
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	53
.....number 1950.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	168
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	309
.....number 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	484
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,016	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	405
.....1945.....	1,140	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	163
.....number 1950.....	1,237	Other farms.....number 1950.....	286
.....1945.....	1,200	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	97
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	149
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	483	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	36		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	320	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	676	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,316,640
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	423	.....1944.....	5,689,240
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,662,914
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	3,614,436
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,516,537
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	132	.....1944.....	3,432,023
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	768	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	56,137
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	512	.....1944.....	84,873
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	310	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,500
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	.....1944.....	43,584
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	64,700
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	762	.....1944.....	33,946
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	120	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,641,962
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	422	.....1944.....	2,047,530
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	73	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	384,367
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.0	.....1944.....	239,144
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	157,212
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	307	.....1944.....	211,833
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	331	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,100,343
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	455	.....1944.....	1,596,531
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,764
FARM LABOR⁵		.....1944.....	7,284
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,925	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	915
.....persons 1950.....	2,834	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	487
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,450	.....1945.....	706
.....persons 1950.....	1,448	.....number 1950.....	1,021
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	565	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,632
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	676	.....1945.....	398
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	292	.....number 1950.....	1,000
.....persons 1950.....	700	.....1945.....	1,484
		.....1945.....	2,909
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURE⁶		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,656	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,382
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,406	.....1945.....	1,464
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,157	.....number 1950.....	15,414
dollars 1949.....	366,955	.....1945.....	16,580
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,091	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,216
dollars 1949.....	788,271	.....1945.....	1,431
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,335	.....number 1950.....	6,066
dollars 1949.....	709,305	.....1945.....	7,342
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,114	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,137
dollars 1949.....	779,230	.....number 1950.....	4,689
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,251	.....number 1950.....	597
dollars 1949.....	286,088	.....number 1950.....	2,837
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,149	Stewers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	538
dollars 1949.....	615,628	.....number 1950.....	4,338
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	350	.....number 1950.....	691
dollars 1949.....	250,155	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,131
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	923	.....number 1950.....	161
dollars 1949.....	160,723	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	141
		.....1944.....	141
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949.....	7,641,009
No sales.....number 1950.....	54	.....1944.....	4,912,681
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	95	.....dollars 1949.....	319,731
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	42	.....farms reporting 1949.....	28
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	56	.....1944.....	48
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	91	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	123,762
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	137	.....1944.....	170,498
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	339	.....dollars 1949.....	64,118
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	364	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	14
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	228	.....1944.....	80
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	211		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	231	HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,118
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	1,284
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	934	.....number 1950.....	27,118
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	351	.....1945.....	27,363
Cotton.....number 1950.....	598	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,114
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	12,640
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	633
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	14,483
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	69	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	99
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,001
		.....number 1950.....	3,889
		.....1945.....	3,538

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...	15	Sorghums:	
1945.....	21	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	36
number 1950.....	420	1944.....	22
1945.....	355	acres 1949.....	476
number 1945.....	247	1944.....	402
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Harvested for grain or for seed..... farms reporting 1949...	7
1945.....	15	1944.....	3
number 1950.....	202	acres 1949.....	68
1945.....	272	1944.....	25
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	12	bushels 1949.....	882
1945.....	45	1944.....	290
number 1950.....	15	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1945.....	15	1944.....	364
number 1950.....	173	acres 1949.....	3,548
1945.....	16	tons, green weight 1949...	3,548
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1945.....	20	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number 1950.....	214	1944.....	44
1945.....	1,588	acres 1949...	77
number 1945.....	2,041	tons cut 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,588	Small grains:	
1944.....	2,041	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	21
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	694
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,513	bushels 1949...	8,100
1945.....	1,494	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	433
number 1950.....	76,500	1944.....	706
1945.....	114,997	acres 1949...	13,922
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	634	1944.....	25,333
number 1949.....	42,292	bushels 1949...	194,462
dollars 1949.....	41,903	1944.....	366,540
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	768	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	152
dozens 1949.....	307,834	1944.....	297
dollars 1949.....	110,124	acres 1949...	1,447
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	60	1944.....	3,369
1945.....	333	bushels 1949...	27,418
number 1950.....	45	1944.....	69,082
1945.....	40	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	28
number 1949.....	973	1944.....	125
1944.....	564	acres 1949...	324
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	1,015
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	210
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,206	1944.....	342
dollars 1949...	2,095,350	acres 1949...	2,745
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	834	1944.....	3,809
1944.....	1,042	bushels 1949...	54,416
number 1949.....	8,222	1944.....	85,400
1944.....	12,456	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	203
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	506	1944.....	194
number 1949.....	4,820	acres 1949...	6,199
dollars 1949...	705,143	1944.....	5,755
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	596	bushels 1949...	1,526
number 1949.....	3,402	1944.....	421
dollars 1949...	247,062	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,070	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	847
1944.....	1,068	acres grown alone 1949...	45,432
number 1949.....	29,725	1944.....	25,185
1944.....	32,347	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,241
dollars 1949...	1,119,503	1944.....	3,102
1944.....	16	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	825
number 1949...	175	1944.....	658
1944.....	116	acres grown alone 1949...	45,621
dollars 1949...	3,157	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,418
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	84	bushels 1949...	816,327
number 1949...	374	1944.....	343,106
dollars 1949...	20,485	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949...	147
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,141	acres grown with other crops 1949...	26
1944.....	278	tons 1949...	200
number 1949...	317	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	20	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	38
number 1949...	46	1944.....	516
1944.....	23	acres grown alone 1949...	711
number 1949...	48	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	259	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	257	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944.....	294	1944.....	148
number 1949...	281	acres grown alone 1949...	86
1944.....	1,130	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	1,410	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	72
1944.....	3,421	1944.....	1,163
number 1949...	5,066	acres grown alone 1949...	2,227
1944.....		1944.....	49
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown with other crops 1949...	266
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	113	1944.....	19
dollars 1949...	3,665	acres reporting 1949...	91
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944.....	322
Corn:		acres grown alone 1949...	.....
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,255	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1,358
1944.....	1,378	bushels 1949...	5,874
acres 1949...	49,439	1944.....	43
1944.....	48,267	acres grown alone 1949...	575
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,238	acres grown with other crops 1949...	8
1944.....	1,375	tons 1949...	477
acres 1949...	48,234	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	47,719	1944.....	66
bushels 1949...	1,726,803	acres grown alone 1949...	6
1944.....	1,532,517	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	241	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	16
acres 1949...	1,557	1944.....	200
tons, green weight 1949...		acres grown alone 1949...	35
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	84		
1944.....	964		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	136
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	676	.....farms reporting 1944...	269
.....acres 1949...	14,246	.....acres 1949...	1,162
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	224	.....sold..dollars 1949...	56,197
.....farms reporting 1944...	234	.....farms reporting 1944...	84,873
.....acres 1949...	4,528	.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....acres 1944...	2,914	.....farms reporting 1944...	7
.....tons 1949...	8,979	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....tons 1944...	7,700	.....farms reporting 1949...	27
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	163	.....farms reporting 1944...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	279	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	2,119	.....acres 1944...	1
.....acres 1944...	3,451	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	84
.....tons 1949...	2,978	.....acres 1949...	463
.....tons 1944...	4,590	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	462	.....farms reporting 1944...	11
.....farms reporting 1944...	399	.....acres 1949...	46
.....acres 1949...	7,239	.....acres 1944...	27
.....acres 1944...	5,889	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	9,650	.....farms reporting 1944...	
.....tons 1944...	5,446	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25	.....farms reporting 1944...	
.....farms reporting 1944...	23	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	348	.....farms reporting 1944...	
.....acres 1944...	300	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....tons 1949...	365	.....farms reporting 1944...	13
.....tons 1944...	249	.....acres 1949...	(*)
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....acres 1944...	12
.....farms reporting 1944...	25	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	87
.....acres 1949...	50	.....farms reporting 1944...	653
.....acres 1944...	205	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	60	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1944...	156	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....farms reporting 1944...	3
.....farms reporting 1944...	14	.....quarts 1949...	3,410
.....acres 1949...	152	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....acres 1944...	140	.....farms reporting 1944...	2
.....tons 1949...	137	.....acres 1949...	1,316
.....tons 1944...	134	.....quarts 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....farms reporting 1944...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	381
.....tons..green weight 1949...		.....farms reporting 1945...	40
Field crops (other):		.....acres 1950 ² ...	270
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....acres 1945...	190
.....farms reporting 1944...	158	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	297
.....acres 1949...	546	.....farms reporting 1945...	123
.....acres 1944...	1,877	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,366
.....bushels 1949...	444	.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	5,062
.....bushels 1944...	2,643	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,413
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	266	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,953
.....farms reporting 1944...	405	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7,698
.....acres 1949...	5,101	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	6,543
.....acres 1944...	8,804	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	234
.....pounds 1949...	1,831,654	.....farms reporting 1945...	136
.....pounds 1944...	2,247,558	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	12,824
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	18,876
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,717
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,107
.....bushels 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	15,208
.....bushels 1944...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	10,811
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	114
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....farms reporting 1945...	40
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	419
.....acres 1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	833
.....bushels 1949...	13,990	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	106
.....bushels 1944...	6,833	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	313
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	324	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	481
.....farms reporting 1944...	34	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	697
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	7	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	107
.....acres 1944...	14	.....farms reporting 1945...	51
.....bushels 1949...	2,226	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	497
.....bushels 1944...	1,657	.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	315
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	928	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	335
.....farms reporting 1944...	835	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	122
.....acres 1949...	28,662	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,884
.....acres 1944...	17,796	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1944...	5,333
.....bales 1949...	23,371	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	116
.....bales 1944...	15,642	.....farms reporting 1945...	38
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	584
.....farms reporting 1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	195
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	275
.....acres 1944...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	309
.....pounds 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	140
.....pounds 1944...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	37
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	194
.....farms reporting 1944...	4	.....farms reporting 1945...	56
.....acres 1949...	440	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	20,121
.....acres 1949...	42	.....vines of all ages..number 1945...	4,776
.....acres 1949...	105	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	18,385
.....acres 1949...	2,021	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,736
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	18,111
.....farms reporting 1944...	22	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1944...	19,193
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,054	Pecans (Improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	86
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,737	.....farms reporting 1945...	4
		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	882
		.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	35
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	448
		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	434
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,742
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1944...	25

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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,360	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	52
.....1945...	1,436	.....1945...	62
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	639,360	.....1945...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	34.7	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	34.7	.....1945...	45
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	187,885	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	61
.....1945...	29,590	.....1945...	99
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,930	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	108
.....1945...	4,233	.....1945...	186
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	222,172	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	198
.....1945...	202,175	.....1945...	72
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	163.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	67
.....1945...	140.8	.....1945...	244
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	3,382	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	288
.....1945...	2,456	.....1945...	188
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	20.47	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	193
.....1945...	17.45	.....1945...	184
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	212
.....1945...		.....1945...	84
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	83
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,064	.....1945...	49
.....1944...	1,290	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	56
.....acres 1949...	30,778	.....1945...	154
.....1944...	40,909	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	129
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	229	.....1945...	33
.....1944...	287	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	30
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	252	.....1945...	15
.....1944...	257	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	189	.....1945...	
.....1944...	206	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	207	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	263	White operators.....number 1950...	1,360
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	160	.....1945...	1,436
.....1944...	227	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	.....1945...	
.....1944...	47	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,080
.....1944...	3	.....1945...	1,110
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	874	Part owners.....number 1950...	115
.....1944...	462	.....1945...	84
.....acres 1949...	30,611	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	9,926	.....1945...	5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	185	All tenants.....number 1950...	159
.....1944...	4,326	.....1945...	237
.....acres 1949...	4,665	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.7
.....1944...	761	.....1945...	16.5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	903	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	29
.....1944...	67,040	.....1945...	89
.....acres 1949...	49,465	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	770	.....1945...	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	689	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	31
.....1944...	66,784	.....1945...	99
.....acres 1949...	51,068	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	27
.....1944...		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	4
Other pastures (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	378	.....1945...	
.....1944...	787	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	99
.....acres 1949...	16,346	.....1945...	49
.....1944...	38,889	Other tenants.....number 1950...	36
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,296	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	63
.....1944...	1,395	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	6,287	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	122
.....1944...	7,253	.....1945...	150
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	365
.....1944...		.....1945...	83
.....acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	364
.....1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.46
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	43
		.....1945...	25
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		.....1945...	253
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	10
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....1945...	
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....1945...	12
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....1945...	
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	42
		.....1945...	42
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....1945...	13
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....1945...	1
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	618	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	449
.....1945.....	294	General farms.....number 1950...	68
.....number 1950.....	633	.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	305	.....number 1950.....	27
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	204	.....number 1950.....	32
.....1945.....	106	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	743
.....number 1950.....	215		
.....1945.....	111		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	204	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	208	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	618
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
.....number 1950.....	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	9
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	30
.....number 1950.....	2	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	97
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	458	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	170
.....1945.....	464	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	311
.....number 1950.....	472	Other farms.....number 1950.....	742
.....1945.....	476	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	319
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than .250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	423
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	280	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	149		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	734	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	162	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,255,073
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....1944.....	954,794
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	41,152
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	32,345
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	31,144
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	.....1944.....	19,654
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	413	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	575
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	472	.....1944.....	583
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	435	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8,013
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	.....1944.....	12,073
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,420
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	217	.....1944.....	35
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,176,574
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	635	.....1944.....	801,488
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	380	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	171,394
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3.5	.....1944.....	159,912
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	121,221
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	105	.....1944.....	197,558
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	248	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	883,959
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,012	.....1944.....	546,018
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	37,347
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	20,961
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,225	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,013
.....persons 1950.....	2,041	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	951
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,214	.....1945.....	1,006
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,134	.....number 1950.....	2,405
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	593	.....1945.....	2,608
.....persons 1950.....	835	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	202
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	59	.....1945.....	376
.....persons 1950.....	72	.....number 1950.....	421
		.....1945.....	877
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,195	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,127
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	399	.....1945.....	1,255
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	287	.....number 1950.....	13,715
.....dollars 1949.....	37,078	.....1945.....	15,173
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	293	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,111
.....dollars 1949.....	40,855	.....1945 ³	1,253
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,048	.....number 1950.....	7,101
.....dollars 1949.....	344,435	.....1945 ³	9,328
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	634	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,017
.....dollars 1949.....	229,690	.....number 1950.....	4,738
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	813	.....number 1950.....	647
.....dollars 1949.....	34,279	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,653
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	427	.....number 1950.....	419
.....dollars 1949.....	47,176	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,627
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1947...	107	.....number 1950.....	675
.....dollars 1949.....	5,071	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,334
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1947...	378	.....number 1950.....	222
.....dollars 1949.....	18,099	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	157
		.....1944.....	157
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	3,659,012
No sales.....number 1950.....	132	.....1944.....	3,583,904
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	291	.....dollars 1949...	127,543
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	238	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	235
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	179	.....1944.....	401
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	147	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	81,900
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	123	.....1944.....	144,590
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	113	.....dollars 1949...	43,399
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	78	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	18
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	42	.....dollars 1949.....	452
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	7		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	10	HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,052
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	969
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	17,477
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	9,551
Cotton.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,010
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	7,945
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	648
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	9,532
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	91	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	827
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	9	.....1945.....	731
		.....number 1950.....	3,137
		.....1945.....	2,197

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.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Sorghums:	
1945.....	133	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	66
number 1950...	1,100	1944....	184
1945.....	2,667	acres 1949...	271
1944....		1944....	751
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	39	1944....	3
number 1950...	693	acres 1949...	8
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	38	1944....	11
1945 ¹ ..	125	bushels 1949...	220
number 1950...	595	1944....	225
1945 ¹ ..	2,304	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	24	acres 1949...	14
number 1950...	98	tons..green weight 1949...	58
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	33	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	407	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	60
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	38	acres 1949...	249
1944....	125	tons out 1949...	414
number shorn 1949...	694		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	3,344		
1944....	13,132		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,081	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	1,205	acres 1949...	10
number 1950...	56,014	bushels 1949...	150
1945.....	79,239		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	422	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	77
number 1949...	52,474	1944....	71
dollars 1949...	44,641	acres 1949...	964
1944....		1944....	616
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	547	bushels 1949...	11,241
dozens 1949...	221,556	1944....	7,535
dollars 1949...	76,038	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	161
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	25	1944....	118
number 1950...	115	acres 1949...	2,414
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1944....	1,762
1944....	13	bushels 1949...	51,877
number 1949...	199	1944....	33,298
1944....	336		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	92
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944....	356
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,129	acres 1949...	638
dollars 1949...	878,735	1944....	2,905
1944....	902	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	981	1944....	8
1944....	5,665	acres 1949...	38
number 1949...	7,505	1944....	67
1944....	484	bushels 1949...	549
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	2,242	1944....	1,068
number 1949...	271,188		
dollars 1949...	806	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944....	3,423	1944....	19
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	209,708	acres 1949...	65
dollars 1949...	923	1944....	154
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	867	bushels 1949...	848
1944....	22,780	1944....	1,579
number 1949...	16,654		
1944....	380,310	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	36	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	78	acres grown alone 1949...	93
1944....	608	1944 ² ..	49
number 1949...	1,314	acres grown with other crops 1949...	32
1944....	11,191	1944 ² ..	14
dollars 1949...	106	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	195	1944....	2
number 1949...	6,338	acres grown alone 1949...	10
dollars 1949...		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	200
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	757	1944....	123
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	47	acres grown alone 1949...	55
1944....	9	acres grown with other crops 1949...	26
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	14	tons 1949...	95
number 1949...	10		
1944....	15	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	32	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	30	acres grown alone 1949...	28
1944....	37	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	750	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944....	986	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	1,567	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944....	2,278	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres grown alone 1949...	31
dollars 1949...	1,026	1944 ² ..	19
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown with other crops 1949...	36
Corn:		1944 ² ..	95
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	616	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944....	795	1944....	
acres 1949...	5,096	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944....	6,884	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	600	bushels 1949...	4
1944....	792	1944....	
acres 1949...	4,901	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944....	6,711	acres grown alone 1949...	15
bushels 1949...	141,549	acres grown with other crops 1949...	16
1944....	140,077	tons 1949...	28
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	15	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
tons..green weight 1949...	50	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		acres grown alone 1949...	16
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres grown with other crops 1949...	12
acres 1949...	180	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres grown alone 1949...	
		acres grown with other crops 1949...	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	923	..... 1944...	20
..... acres 1949...	21,073	..... acres 1949...	8
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	55	..... sold..dollars 1949...	575
..... 1944...	51	..... 1944...	583
..... acres 1949...	491	..... farms reporting 1949...	10
..... 1944...	332	..... 1944...	6
..... tons 1949...	872	..... acres 1949...	2
..... 1944...	619	..... 1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	175	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944...	240	..... 1944...	8
..... acres 1949...	2,954	..... acres 1949...	2
..... 1944...	3,889	..... 1944...	1
..... tons 1949...	3,089	.....	(*)
..... 1944...	3,918	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....	711	..... acres 1949...	.....
.....	747	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....	13,707	..... 1944...	.....
.....	14,533	..... acres 1949...	1
.....	13,640	..... 1944...	.....
.....	13,073	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	144	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944...	65	..... 1944...	.....
..... acres 1949...	1,025	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
..... 1944...	365	..... acres 1949...	.....
..... tons 1949...	937	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
..... 1944...	539	..... acres 1949...	.....
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	42	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
..... 1944...	37	..... 1944...	7
..... acres 1949...	451	..... acres 1949...	2
..... 1944...	471	..... 1944...	1
..... tons 1949...	350	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944...	376	..... acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	166	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
..... 1944...	366	.....	.....
..... acres 1949...	2,332	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	.....
..... 1944...	6,450	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	10
..... tons 1949...	2,262	..... acres 1949...	6
..... 1944...	5,898	..... quarts 1949...	5,727
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	15
..... acres 1949...	4	..... acres 1949...	11
..... tons..green weight 1949...	236	..... quarts 1949...	2,029
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	671
..... 1944...	.....	..... acres 1950 ¹ ...	686
..... acres 1949...	.....	..... 1945...	528
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	1,000
..... bushels 1949...	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	738
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	884
.....	6	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,272
.....	7	..... 1945...	16,512
.....	52	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,422
.....	110	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,830
.....	6,352	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,956
.....	20,575	..... 1944...	4,546
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	777
..... acres 1949...	.....	..... 1945...	923
..... bushels 1949...	.....	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	19,754
..... 1944...	2	..... 1945...	33,641
.....	12	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,651
.....	1,400	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16,103
.....	830	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,097
.....	735	..... 1944...	6,181
.....	173	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	270
.....	198	..... 1945...	336
.....	14,457	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	728
.....	12,756	..... 1945...	1,216
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	294	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	175
..... 1944...	328	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	531
.....	4	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	232
.....	68	..... 1944...	269
.....	1,761	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	275
.....	3,005	..... 1945...	397
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	911
..... 1944...	.....	..... 1945...	1,707
.....	.....	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	285
.....	.....	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	628
.....	.....	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,343
.....	.....	..... 1944...	4,336
.....	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	261
.....	.....	..... 1945...	305
.....	.....	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,379
.....	.....	..... 1945...	1,666
.....	.....	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	228
.....	.....	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,113
.....	.....	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	299
.....	.....	..... 1944...	307
.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	272
.....	.....	..... 1945...	348
.....	.....	..... vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,197
.....	.....	..... 1945...	4,387
.....	.....	..... vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,482
.....	.....	..... vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,715
.....	.....	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,664
.....	.....	..... 1944...	17,903
.....	.....	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	4
.....	.....	..... 1945...	.....
.....	.....	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	79
.....	.....	..... 1945...	.....
.....	.....	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	69
.....	.....	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	50
.....	.....	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	.....
.....	.....	..... 1944...	.....
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,130		
..... 1944...	1,297		

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

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,644	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	130
.....1945...	1,660	.....1945...	97
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	321,280	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	93.5	.....1945...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	225,816	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	106
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	104,129	.....1945...	93
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	91
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,412	.....1945...	85
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	300,533	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	82
.....1945...	303,636	.....1945...	81
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	182.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	52
.....1945...	182.9	.....1945...	60
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	10,590	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	204
.....1945...	6,436	.....1945...	226
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A...	58.54	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	206
.....1945...	35.19	.....1945...	226
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	213
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,385	.....1945...	242
.....acres 1949...	132,036	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	166
.....1944...	121,061	.....1945...	166
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	88	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	129
.....1944...	100	.....1945...	132
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	103	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	296
.....1944...	115	.....1945...	266
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	103	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	67
.....1944...	155	.....1945...	74
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	194	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	245	.....1945...	5
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	394	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	432	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	347	White operators.....number 1950...	1,638
.....1944...	293	.....1945...	1,642
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	156	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	117	.....1945...	18
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	602	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....acres 1949...	32,526	Full owners.....number 1950...	962
.....1944...	17,128	.....1945...	882
Cropland not harvested and not		Part owners.....number 1950...	358
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	265	.....1945...	330
.....acres 1949...	7,982	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	8,297	.....1945...	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	612	All tenants.....number 1950...	324
.....acres 1949...	580	.....1945...	443
.....1944...	26,193	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.7
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	316	.....1945...	26.7
.....acres 1949...	197	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	31
.....1944...	11,309	.....1945...	69
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	153
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,092	.....1945...	180
.....acres 1949...	1,533	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	87
.....1944...	74,602	.....1945...	107
.....1944...	108,992	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	54
Other land (house lots, roads,		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	33
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,535	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	53
.....acres 1949...	15,885	.....1945...	67
.....1944...	16,324	Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	45
.....acres 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	1,352
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,394
FARM OPERATORS		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,441
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,545	.....1945...	614
.....1945...	1,558	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,441
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	86	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.51
.....1945...	85	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	380
With other income of family exceeding value		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	162
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	304	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	90
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	537	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,214
.....1944...	370	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	317
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	209	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
.....1944...	157	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	356
		.....number 1950...	188
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	188
		.....number 1950...	108
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	113
		.....number 1950...	67
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		.....number 1950...	7
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		.....number 1950...	7

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a-Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	486	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	751
.....1945.....	214	General farms.....number 1950...	267
.....number 1950.....	519	.....1945.....	5
.....1945.....	234	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	67
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	917	.....number 1950.....	19
.....1945.....	617	.....number 1950.....	282
.....number 1950.....	1,133	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	679		
.....number 1950.....	902		
.....1945.....	1,086		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	40	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	40	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,362
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
.....number 1950.....	7	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	34
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	7	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	169
.....number 1950.....	1,266	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	209
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,250	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	205
.....1945.....	1,430	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	282
.....number 1950.....	1,430	Other farms.....number 1950...	127
.....1945.....	1,332	Part-time ².....number 1950...	
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	139
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	332	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	47		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	395	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	570	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,321,350
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	300	.....1944.....	4,356,705
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,724,082
		.....1944.....	960,932
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,719,373
		.....1944.....	960,166
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,238
		.....1944.....	345
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,471
		.....1944.....	419
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,700
		.....1944.....	
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,577,862
		.....1944.....	2,386,877
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	251,814
		.....1944.....	174,385
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	491,801
		.....1944.....	377,243
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,835,243
		.....1944.....	2,634,644
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	19,405
		.....1944.....	9,521
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,057
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,038
		.....number 1950.....	1,216
		.....number 1950.....	2,769
		.....number 1945.....	4,452
		.....number 1945.....	77
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	232
		.....number 1950.....	151
		.....number 1949.....	496
		.....number 1945.....	
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,437
		.....number 1950.....	1,491
		.....number 1950.....	24,689
		.....number 1945.....	24,934
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,470
		.....number 1950.....	1,468
		.....number 1950.....	11,161
		.....number 1945.....	12,831
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,373
		.....number 1950.....	4,699
		.....number 1950.....	881
		.....number 1950.....	4,216
		.....number 1950.....	789
		.....number 1950.....	4,655
		.....number 1950.....	994
		.....number 1950.....	4,457
		.....number 1950.....	230
		.....number 1949.....	179
		.....number 1944.....	4,667,766
		.....pounds 1949.....	3,749,428
		.....dollars 1949.....	173,192
		.....dollars 1949.....	575
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	617
		.....farms reporting 1944.....	195,462
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	120,712
		.....pounds 1944.....	77,261
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		.....dollars 1949.....	421
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,224
		.....number 1950.....	1,158
		.....number 1950.....	43,264
		.....number 1950.....	26,543
		.....number 1950.....	1,383
		.....number 1950.....	23,224
		.....number 1950.....	774
		.....number 1950.....	20,040
		.....number 1949.....	1,090
		.....number 1950.....	911
		.....number 1945.....	7,000
		.....number 1950.....	4,503
		.....number 1945.....	

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	274	Sorghums:	
1945...	598	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	140
number 1950...	18,946	1944...	435
1945...	18,227	acres 1949...	743
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	2,335
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	371	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1950...	10,795	1944...	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	370	acres 1949...	115
1945 ¹ ...	574	1944...	8
number 1950...	10,179	bushels 1949...	2,830
1945 ¹ ...	15,400	1944...	95
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	220	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1950...	616	acres 1949...	117
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	329	tons, green weight 1949...	976
number 1950...	8,151	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	373	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	111
1944...	572	acres 1949...	516
number shorn 1949...	11,061	tons cut 1949...	1,199
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	78,485	Small grains:	
1944...	108,344	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	100
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,439	bushels 1949...	920
1945...	1,489	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	595
number 1950...	149,757	1944...	134
1945...	178,351	acres 1949...	14,238
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	937	1944...	2,646
number 1949...	22,887	bushels 1949...	299,814
dollars 1949...	84,022	1944...	35,877
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,277	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	778
dozens 1949...	1,155,639	1944...	479
dollars 1949...	384,314	acres 1949...	19,779
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	13	1944...	11,394
number 1950...	65	bushels 1949...	466,137
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1944...	138,658
1944...	68	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	71
number 1949...	3,004	1944...	204
1944...	6,398	acres 1949...	956
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	3,079
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,474	1944...	122
dollars 1949...	3,786,680	acres 1949...	27
1949...	1,291	bushels 1949...	3,983
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1944...	1,373	1944...	19
number 1949...	11,454	acres 1949...	122
1944...	14,476	1944...	27
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	720	1944...	3,983
number 1949...	6,232	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
dollars 1949...	1,084,025	1944...	27
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	983	acres 1949...	27
number 1949...	5,232	bushels 1949...	3,983
dollars 1949...	570,265	1944...	19
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,254	1944...	27
1944...	1,342	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	51,835	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	636
1944...	50,972	acres grown alone 1949...	21,370
dollars 1949...	1,875,325	1944...	25,923
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	390	acres grown with other crops 1949...	30
1944...	598	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	611
number 1949...	11,954	1944...	760
1944...	16,330	acres grown alone 1949...	21,122
dollars 1949...	236,395	acres grown with other crops 1949...	412,321
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	163	bushels 1944...	417,316
number 1949...	411	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	43
dollars 1949...	20,057	acres grown alone 1949...	212
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949...	291
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,459	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	497	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	544	acres grown alone 1949...	30
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	52	acres grown with other crops 1949...	30
1944...	100	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	53	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	123	acres grown alone 1949...	1
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	448	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944...	502	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	491	acres grown alone 1949...	13
1944...	526	1944...	29
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,200	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
1944...	1,247	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	2,709	1944...	3
1944...	3,119	acres grown alone 1949...	24
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		bushels 1944...	24
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	380	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	6,061	acres grown alone 1949...	1
1944...	6,061	acres grown with other crops 1949...	1
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		tons 1949...	10
Corn:		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,251	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	1,335	acres grown alone 1949...	10
acres 1949...	42,042	acres grown with other crops 1949...	10
1944...	46,002	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,235
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,329	1944...	1,329
1944...	1,329	acres 1949...	40,529
acres 1949...	40,529	1944...	45,710
1944...	45,710	bushels 1949...	1,534,996
bushels 1949...	1,534,996	1944...	1,329,867
1944...	1,329,867	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	30
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	30	acres 1949...	314
acres 1949...	314	tons, green weight 1949...	2,852
tons, green weight 1949...	2,852	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	118	1949...	118
acres 1949...	1,199	1944...	1,199

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,062	1944.....	5
acres 1949...	26,081	acres 1949...	17
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944.....	3
1944.....	42	sold..dollars 1949...	1,238
acres 1949...	214	1944.....	345
1944.....	258	farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949...	418	1944.....	1
1944.....	653	acres 1949...	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	464	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	869	farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	9,719	1944.....	
1944.....	18,393	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	12,455	1944.....	
1944.....	16,869	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	782	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	196	1944.....	11
acres 1949...	15,115	farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	2,703	acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	19,414	1944.....	1
1944.....	2,419	Oucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	56	farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	529	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	729	1944.....	
tons 1949...	503	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	435	acres 1949...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	8
1944.....		acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	37	1944.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	38	1944.....	4
1944.....		acres 1949...	12
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	32	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	12		
acres 1949...	495	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	128	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	23
tons 1949...	626	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	97	quarts 1949...	4,947
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...		acres 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...		quarts 1949...	
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	138	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	699
1944.....	57	1945.....	44
acres 1949...	405	acres 1950 ² ...	25
1944.....	730	1945.....	34
bushels 1949...	2,407	farms reporting 1950...	288
1944.....	641	trees of all ages..number 1950...	411
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	359	1945.....	1,571
1944.....	195	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,471
acres 1949...	6,687	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	887
1944.....	3,016	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	684
pounds 1949...	1,316,789	1944.....	1,096
1944.....	561,892	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	145
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	216	1945.....	458
acres 1949...	5,006	trees of all ages..number 1950...	562
bushels 1949...	12,652	1945.....	4,007
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	98	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,482
acres 1949...	1,771	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,040
1944.....	103,856	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,967
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	480	1944.....	26
1944.....	232	1945.....	8
acres 1949 ¹ ...	31	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	310
1944.....	29	1945.....	433
bushels 1949...	6,110	trees of all ages..number 1950...	768
1944.....	1,946	1945.....	1,121
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	87	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	209
1944.....	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	599
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,176
1944.....	2	1944.....	141
bushels 1949...	165	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	267
1944.....	43	1945.....	428
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	947
1944.....		1945.....	1,971
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	440
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	507
bales 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,872
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	5,618
1944.....	4	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	292
acres 1949...	6	1945.....	380
1944.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,637
pounds 1949...	5,415	1945.....	2,185
1944.....	9,920	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	363
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	22	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,274
acres 1949...	16	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	178
gallons 1949...	1,621	1944.....	260
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	471
acres 1949...	11	1945.....	643
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	197	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,789
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	3,882
acres 1949...	25	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	762
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,416	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,027
1944.....	1,524	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	17,305
		1944.....	43,943
		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	10
		1945.....	
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	21
		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	51
		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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	4,061	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	182
.....1945...	4,038	.....1945...	112
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	535,680	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	13
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	84.4	.....1945...	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	273,498	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	169
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	221,032	.....1945...	109
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,406	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	614
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	60,757	.....1945...	552
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	452,179	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	636
.....1945...	425,847	.....1945...	826
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	111.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	339
.....1945...	105.5	.....1945...	321
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	10,083	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	684
.....1945...	6,608	.....1945...	786
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	90.40	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	549
.....1945...	62.65	.....1945...	524
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	423
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,647	.....1945...	339
.....1944...	3,816	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	196
.....acres 1944...	267,910	.....1945...	191
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	249,454	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	141
.....1944...	266	.....1945...	113
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	224	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	224
.....1944...	499	.....1945...	210
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	456	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	99
.....1944...	483	.....1945...	49
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	571	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	14
.....1944...	651	.....1945...	15
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	915	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	927	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	968	White operators.....number 1950...	3,870
.....1944...	595	.....1945...	3,808
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	502	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	191
.....1944...	226	.....1945...	230
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	180	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ...	2,341	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,879
.....acres 1949...	2,385	.....1945...	1,929
.....1944 ¹ ...	60,044	Part owners.....number 1950...	587
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	76,077	.....1945...	303
.....acres 1949...	835	Managers.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	12,318	.....1945...	15
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,277	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,584
.....1944...	902	.....1945...	1,791
.....acres 1949...	32,744	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.0
.....1944...	26,786	.....1945...	44.4
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	856	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	76
.....1944...	882	.....1945...	139
.....acres 1949...	34,923	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	134
.....1944...	26,103	.....1945...	76
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	31.5	Share tenants.....number 1950...	731
.....1944 ¹ ...	672	.....1945...	832
.....acres 1949...	9,479	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	692
.....1944 ¹ ...	18,790	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	511
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	3,304	Croppers.....number 1950...	641
.....1944...	3,568	.....1945...	132
.....acres 1949...	25,822	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	103
.....1944...	16,319	.....1945...	5
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3,304	Other tenants.....number 1950...	127
.....1944...	3,568	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	127
.....acres 1949...	25,822	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	16,319	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	502
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	169	.....1945...	486
.....acres 1949...	169	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,291
FARM OPERATORS		.....1945...	844
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,864	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,286
.....1945...	3,775	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.58
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	119	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	642
.....1945...	169	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	172
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	667	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	249
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,086	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,769
.....1944...	566	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	214
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	454	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	28
.....1944...	257	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	832
		.....number 1950...	960
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	217
		.....number 1950...	227
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	117
		.....number 1950...	118
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		.....number 1950...	31
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	6

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...	1,380	Livestock farms ¹ other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	634
..... 1945....	774	General farms.....number 1950...	444
..... number 1950...	1,510	..... 1945....	
..... 1945....	821	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	126
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,025	..... number 1950...	50
..... 1945....	1,220	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	268
..... number 1950...	2,774	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	809
..... 1945....	1,485	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,005		
..... number 1950...	2,667		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	41	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
..... number 1950...	46	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	3,257
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	61
..... number 1950...	56	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	224
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	61	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	553
..... 1945....	1,951	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	882
..... number 1950...	1,861	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	836
..... 1945....	2,164	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	701
..... number 1950...	1,924	Other farms.....number 1950...	804
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	347
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	973	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	457
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	125	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	946		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,225	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	792	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,657,528
		..... 1944....	8,938,094
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	10,946,008
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		..... 1944....	5,620,616
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	333	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	10,914,090
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,927	..... 1944....	5,628,072
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	6,243
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	436	..... 1944....	5,252
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	21,574
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		..... 1944....	17,097
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,909	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	4,101
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	285	..... 1944....	195
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	576	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,684,204
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	115	..... 1944....	3,582,776
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.8	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	270,553
Kind of road on which farm is located:		..... 1944....	254,512
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	479	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	327,633
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	2,766	..... 1944....	415,287
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	695	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,086,018
		..... 1944....	2,582,977
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	27,316
Week preceding enumeration:		..... 1944....	34,702
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,396		
..... persons 1950...	5,709	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,360	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,356
Operators.....persons 1950...	3,250	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,748
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,179	..... 1945....	2,128
..... persons 1950...	1,641	..... number 1950...	3,836
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	376	..... 1945....	5,517
..... persons 1950...	818	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	990
		..... 1945....	1,395
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		..... number 1950...	2,343
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	3,560	..... 1945....	4,637
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,764		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	2,114	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
..... dollars 1949...	572,528	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,962
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,144	..... 1945....	3,369
..... dollars 1949...	1,510,585	..... number 1950...	24,576
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,803	..... 1945....	31,950
..... dollars 1949...	737,210	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,863
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,215	..... 1945 ³ ...	3,274
..... dollars 1949...	941,714	..... number 1950...	11,821
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,641	..... 1945 ³ ...	16,656
..... dollars 1949...	382,389	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,604
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,100	..... number 1950...	7,793
..... dollars 1949...	778,638	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,327
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,639	..... number 1950...	4,948
..... dollars 1949...	305,134	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	849
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,998	..... number 1950...	3,579
..... dollars 1949...	232,223	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
		..... number 1950...	4,228
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	255
No sales.....number 1950...	101	..... 1944....	226
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	356	..... pounds 1949...	3,880,559
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	160	..... 1944....	2,641,851
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	237	..... dollars 1949...	138,781
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	420	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	779
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	420	..... 1944....	1,173
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	647	..... pounds of butterfat 1949...	247,108
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	592	..... 1944....	347,283
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	485	..... dollars 1949...	126,539
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	359	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	284	..... dollars 1949...	5,233
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	2,049	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	567	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,778
Cotton.....number 1950...	1,472	..... 1945....	2,607
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	10	..... number 1950...	48,342
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	..... 1945....	40,799
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	2,649
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	80	..... number 1950...	21,867
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	40	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,873
		..... number 1950...	26,475
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	2,093
		..... 1945....	1,769
		..... number 1950...	6,300
		..... 1945....	4,458

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Sorghums:	
1945.....	86	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	30
number 1950.....	1,855	1944.....	32
1945.....	1,909	acres 1949.....	311
1945.....	1,909	1944.....	349
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	41	1944.....	8
number 1950.....	968	acres 1949.....	77
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	38	1944.....	81
1945 ¹	81	bushels 1949.....	1,085
number 1950.....	885	1944.....	1,345
1945 ¹	1,520	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	31	acres 1949.....	151
number 1950.....	83	tons..green weight 1949...	1,142
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	42	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950.....	887	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	39	acres 1949.....	83
1944.....	60	tons out 1949...	18
number shorn 1949...	855		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,640	Small grains:	
1944.....	10,375	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	23
		acres 1949.....	569
		bushels 1949...	7,571
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	3,409	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	425
1945.....	3,501	acres 1949.....	764
number 1950.....	205,676	1944.....	12,133
1945.....	260,107	acres 1949.....	23,407
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,512	bushels 1949.....	169,329
number 1949...	89,666	1944.....	325,914
dollars 1949...	78,226	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	299
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,874	acres 1949.....	443
dozens 1949...	722,010	1944.....	4,108
dollars 1949...	245,889	bushels 1949...	6,073
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	69	1944.....	72,770
number 1950...	374		111,379
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	50		
1944.....	34	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	57
number 1949...	504	acres 1949.....	413
1944.....	629	1944.....	446
		acres 1949...	3,524
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	43
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,845	acres 1949.....	206
dollars 1949...	3,078,817	1944.....	562
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,998	acres 1949...	3,033
1944.....	2,351	bushels 1949...	8,598
number 1949...	12,064	1944.....	56,087
1944.....	21,400		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	990	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	63
number 1949...	6,726	acres 1949...	36
dollars 1949...	986,086	1944.....	864
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,615	acres 1949...	607
number 1949...	5,338	bushels 1949...	9,084
dollars 1949...	336,007	1944.....	8,511
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,437		
1944.....	2,286	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	53,549	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,759
1944.....	64,663	acres grown alone 1949...	77,880
dollars 1949...	1,708,549	1944 ²	41,831
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	37	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2,433
1944.....	55	1944 ²	5,016
number 1949...	1,034	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,601
1944.....	1,250	acres grown alone 1949...	1,063
dollars 1949...	17,760	acres grown with other crops 1949...	74,217
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	265	bushels 1949...	1,512
number 1949...	633	1944.....	1,355,378
dollars 1949...	30,415		575,895
		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	267
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949...	2,679
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,381	acres grown with other crops 1949...	20
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	204	tons 1949...	2,769
number 1949...	283	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	37	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	73
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	45	acres grown alone 1949...	489
number 1949...	40	acres grown with other crops 1949...	785
1944.....	47	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	170	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	43
number 1949...	77	acres grown alone 1949...	495
1944.....	243	acres grown with other crops 1949...	116
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	68
1944.....	2,362	acres grown alone 1949...	326
number 1949...	2,786	1944 ²	1,118
1944.....	5,555	acres grown with other crops 1949...	37
7,512		1944 ²	104
		Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	13
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	22
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	50
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,872	bushels 1949...	463
1944.....	3,181	1944.....	1,130
acres 1949...	84,346	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944.....	92,302	acres grown alone 1949...	245
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,843	acres grown with other crops 1949...	5
1944.....	3,160	tons 1949...	222
acres 1949...	82,340	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	90,099	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
bushels 1949...	2,442,687	acres grown alone 1949...	27
1944.....	2,125,325	acres grown with other crops 1949...	22
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	442	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons..green weight 1949...	5,212	acres grown alone 1949...	4
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	139		
acres 1949...	1,564		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,498	..... 1944.....	18
..... acres 1949...	25,163	..... acres 1949...	39
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	116	..... sold..dollars 1949...	55
..... 1944.....	163	..... 1944.....	6,243
..... acres 1949...	1,662	..... 1944.....	5,252
..... 1944.....	2,888	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	14
..... tons 1949...	3,661	..... 1944.....	1
..... 1944.....	7,151	..... acres 1949...	7
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	128	..... 1944.....	(*)
..... 1944.....	176	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
..... acres 1949...	2,068	..... 1944.....	10
..... 1944.....	5,218	..... acres 1949...	10
..... tons 1949...	2,718	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
..... 1944.....	3,430	..... acres 1949...	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,236	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	10
..... 1944.....	1,378	..... 1944.....	1
..... acres 1949...	18,636	..... acres 1949...	3
..... 1944.....	21,372	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	6
..... tons 1949...	19,918	..... acres 1949...	3
..... 1944.....	17,994	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944.....	25	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
..... acres 1949...	506	..... acres 1949...	1
..... 1944.....	198	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
..... tons 1949...	484	..... 1944.....	4
..... 1944.....	142	..... acres 1949...	2
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	25	..... 1944.....	2
..... 1944.....	67	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	12
..... acres 1949...	223	..... acres 1949...	34
..... 1944.....	763	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
..... tons 1949...	205	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
..... 1944.....	573	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	40
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	178	..... acres 1949...	16
..... 1944.....	413	..... quarts 1949...	25,892
..... acres 1949...	2,473	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	6
..... 1944.....	6,142	..... acres 1949...	1
..... tons 1949...	2,438	..... quarts 1949...	367
..... 1944.....	5,126	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,007
..... acres 1949...	55	..... 1945.....	461
..... tons..green weight 1949...	412	..... acres 1950 ²	596
Field crops (other).		..... 1945.....	489
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	..... farms reporting 1950...	796
..... 1944.....	23	..... 1945.....	908
..... acres 1949...	434	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	12,742
..... 1944.....	270	..... 1945.....	14,106
..... bushels 1949...	443	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,900
..... 1944.....	400	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,842
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	189	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	11,878
..... 1944.....	320	..... 1944.....	3,825
..... acres 1949...	2,890	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	743
..... 1944.....	6,910	..... 1945.....	1,083
..... pounds 1949...	856,552	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	24,478
..... 1944.....	1,403,353	..... 1945.....	25,749
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	13,786
..... acres 1949...		..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,692
..... bushels 1949...		..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,431
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	..... 1944.....	8,067
..... acres 1949...	284	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	306
..... pounds 1949...	14,402	..... 1945.....	243
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,768	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	975
..... 1944.....	1,277	..... 1945.....	1,403
..... acres 1949 ¹ ...	105	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	344
..... 1944.....	271	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	631
..... bushels 1949...	22,758	..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	800
..... 1944.....	23,571	..... 1944.....	558
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	687	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	319
..... 1944.....	207	..... 1945.....	510
..... acres 1949 ¹ ...	31	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,001
..... 1944.....	71	..... 1945.....	2,311
..... bushels 1949...	6,859	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	549
..... 1944.....	6,082	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	452
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,080	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,890
..... 1944.....	2,159	..... 1944.....	22,159
..... acres 1949...	62,989	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	339
..... 1944.....	39,754	..... 1945.....	264
..... bales 1949...	50,620	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,284
..... 1944.....	35,213	..... 1945.....	1,511
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,037
..... 1944.....	(*)	..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,227
..... acres 1949...		..... quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	698
..... pounds 1949...	75	..... 1944.....	841
..... 1944.....	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	391
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	..... 1945.....	312
..... acres 1949...	3	..... vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,383
..... gallons 1949...	309	..... 1945.....	2,091
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	40	..... vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	973
..... acres 1949...	66	..... vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,404
..... 100 lb. ear corn 1949...	429	..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,480
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	6	..... 1944.....	21,833
..... acres 1949...	107	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	85
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	3,276	..... 1945.....	19
..... 1944.....	3,783	..... trees of all ages..number 1950...	537
		..... 1945.....	141
		..... trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	417
		..... trees of bearing age..number 1950...	120
		..... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,158
		..... 1944.....	315

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.
 *Less than 1 acre.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,740	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....1945...	1,764	.....1945...	69
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	325,760	.....1945...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	83.5	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	232,562	.....1945...	38
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	50,006	.....1945...	65
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,200	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	127
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,787	.....1945...	111
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	271,981	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	214
.....1945...	259,201	.....1945...	235
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	156.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	122
.....1945...	146.9	.....1945...	112
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950..	5,969	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	307
.....1945...	3,524	.....1945...	324
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	37.80	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	257
.....1945...	23.98	.....1945...	270
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	214
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,319	.....1945...	224
.....1944...	1,488	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	108
.....acres 1949...	32,875	.....1945...	107
.....1944...	44,106	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	98
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	392	.....1945...	83
.....1944...	313	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	167
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	340	.....1945...	174
.....1944...	372	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	56
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	230	.....1945...	40
.....1944...	276	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	15
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	189	.....1945...	15
.....1944...	290		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	137	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	184	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	27	White operators.....number 1950...	1,739
.....1944...	49	.....1945...	1,764
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	4	.....1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,391	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ..	1,286	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,294
.....acres 1949...	79,716	.....1945...	1,269
.....1944 ¹ ..	66,447	Part owners.....number 1950...	206
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	201
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	138	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....acres 1949...	3,544	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	1,803	All tenants.....number 1950...	239
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,236	.....1945...	288
.....acres 1949...	1,147	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.7
.....1944...	89,324	.....1945...	16.3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	79,775	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	73
.....acres 1949...	375	.....1945...	152
.....1944...	494	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	5
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	4
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	603	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	92
.....1944 ¹ ..	792	.....1945...	115
.....acres 1949...	34,995	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	71
.....1944 ¹ ..	49,388	.....1945...	21
Other land (house lots, roads,		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	69
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,595	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	1,762	Other tenants.....number 1950...	36
.....acres 1949...	11,853	.....1945...	33
.....1944...	7,452	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	223
.....acres 1949...	12	.....1945...	166
.....1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,072
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	407
.....acres 1949...	12	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,047
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.44
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	401
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	136
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	836
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	141
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	27
		number 1950...	27
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	16
		number 1950...	24
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1950...	2
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,672		
.....1945...	1,704		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	57		
.....1945...	53		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	608		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	716		
.....1944...	426		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	379		
.....1944...	252		

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...	581	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	322
1945.....	336	General farms.....number 1950...	127
number 1950.....	597	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
1945.....	356	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	86
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	319	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	41
1945.....	127	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	579
number 1950.....	333		
1945.....	133		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	304		
number 1950.....	311		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
number 1950.....	10		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	12		
number 1950.....	12		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	965		
1945.....	876		
number 1950.....	1,017		
1945.....	890		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	378		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	135		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	929		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	236		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	62		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,170
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	185	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	939	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	20
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	505	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	73
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	219	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	267
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	508
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	301
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	557	Other farms.....number 1950.....	570
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	317
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	706	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	253
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	285		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.4		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	241		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	402		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,150		
FARM LABOR^a		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,054,940
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,702	1944.....	2,636,251
persons 1950.....	2,837	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	321,158
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,670	1944.....	382,931
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,570	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	105,469
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	734	1944.....	121,489
persons 1950.....	1,040	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	128,968
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	168	1944.....	223,652
persons 1950.....	227	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	86,721
		1944.....	37,490
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	300
		1944.....	2,709,068
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,230,040
		1944.....	1,035,543
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	953,249
		1944.....	280,761
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	310,938
		1944.....	1,392,764
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	965,853
		1944.....	24,714
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	23,280
		1944.....	
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,294
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,218
		1945.....	1,306
		number 1950.....	2,938
		1945.....	3,677
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	230
		1945.....	439
		number 1950.....	448
		1945.....	985
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,581
		1945.....	1,697
		number 1950.....	28,617
		1945.....	29,833
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,559
		1945 ³	1,675
		number 1950.....	14,305
		1945 ³	17,594
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,499
		number 1950.....	11,072
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,025
		number 1950.....	5,529
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	782
		number 1950.....	1,698
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,148
		number 1950.....	5,085
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,133
		1944.....	1,106
		pounds 1949.....	31,605,380
		1944.....	31,072,617
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002,069
		1944.....	121
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	267
		1944.....	57,690
		dollars 1949.....	127,975
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	60
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	920
		1945.....	882
		number 1950.....	9,947
		1945.....	8,348
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	842
		number 1950.....	4,550
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	489
		number 1950.....	5,397
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	366
		1945.....	638
		number 1950.....	1,277
		1945.....	1,255

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...	233	Sorghums:	
1945.....	484	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	375
number 1950.....	10,541	1944.....	671
1945.....	15,364	acres 1949.....	2,005
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	4,240
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	226	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
number 1950.....	6,080	1944.....	12
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	223	acres 1949.....	39
1945 ¹	463	1944.....	79
number 1950.....	5,662	bushels 1949.....	465
1945 ¹	13,301	1944.....	1,203
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	156	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
number 1950.....	418	acres 1949.....	70
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	214	tons..green weight 1949.....	705
number 1950.....	4,461	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	245	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	356
1944.....	432	acres 1949.....	1,896
number shorn 1949.....	6,505	tons cut 1949...	3,931
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	33,114		
1944.....	71,954	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,471	acres 1949.....	92
1945.....	1,551	bushels 1949.....	1,860
number 1950.....	88,905	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	46
1945.....	127,850	1944.....	88
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	610	acres 1949.....	513
number 1949...	148,399	1944.....	906
dollars 1949...	120,656	bushels 1949.....	8,917
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	893	1944.....	15,233
dozens 1949...	388,461	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	260
dollars 1949...	141,179	1944.....	181
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	22	acres 1949.....	4,440
number 1950...	102	1944.....	3,304
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	23	bushels 1949.....	120,669
1944.....	25	1944.....	76,818
number 1949...	2,059	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	102
1944.....	955	1944.....	614
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	845
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	6,714
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,488	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	78
dollars 1949...	1,370,093	1944.....	55
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,411	acres 1949...	1,164
1944.....	1,379	1944.....	575
number 1949...	11,903	bushels 1949...	24,294
1944.....	12,751	1944.....	11,791
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	852	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	5,345	1944.....	12
dollars 1949...	628,115	acres 1949...	38
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,240	1944.....	95
number 1949...	6,558	bushels 1949...	600
dollars 1949...	307,116	1944.....	937
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	755		
1944.....	950	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	11,062	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	56
1944.....	19,055	acres grown alone 1949...	114
dollars 1949...	290,269	1944 ² ...	290
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	257	acres grown with other crops 1949...	29
1944.....	386	1944 ² ...	50
number 1949...	6,531	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	9,612	1944.....	4
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	134,919	acres grown alone 1949...	24
number 1949...	120	acres grown with other crops 1949...	95
dollars 1949...	288	bushels 1949...	167
1944.....	9,674	1944.....	50
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	270
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,064	acres grown alone 1949...	29
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	137	acres grown with other crops 1949...	439
number 1949...	175	tons 1949...	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	33	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	87	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	33	acres grown alone 1949...	20
1944.....	88	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	106	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949...	32	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	142	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	34	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	1,030	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	1,259	acres grown alone 1949...	12
number 1949...	1,981	1944 ² ...	28
1944.....	2,811	acres grown with other crops 1949...	4
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ² ...	1
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dollars 1949...	820	acres grown alone 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Corn:		1944.....	3
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	704	bushels 1949...	56
1944.....	866	1944.....	7
acres 1949...	5,734	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	7,977	acres grown alone 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	686	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
1944.....	853	tons 1949...	
acres 1949...	5,526	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	7,853	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949...	176,041	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	181,105	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	11	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...	130	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	21		
acres 1949...	197		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	293
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	895	1944.....	466
acres 1949.....	15,586	acres 1949.....	1,599
1944.....		1944.....	2,241
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	275	sold..dollars 1949.....	128,968
1944.....	204	1944.....	223,652
acres 1949.....	1,749	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	1,255	1944.....	26
tons 1949.....	4,002	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	2,982	1944.....	39
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	130	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	113	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	1,285	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	1,051	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	1,752	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1,135	acres 1949.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	545	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	616	1944.....	3
acres 1949.....	7,848	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	10,168	1944.....	4
tons 1949.....	9,708	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	22
1944.....	10,872	acres 1949.....	36
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	215	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	51	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	1,832	1944.....	2
1944.....	590	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	2,110	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	669	1944.....	280
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	453
1944.....	40	acres 1949.....	1,541
acres 1949.....	249	1944.....	2,123
1944.....	788	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
tons 1949.....	330	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	970	1944.....	3
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	184	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3
1944.....	153	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	2,581	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	1,752	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	106
tons 1949.....	3,379	acres 1949...	244
1944.....	2,017	quarts 1949...	284,007
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...	1	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949.....	55	acres 1949...	2
tons..green weight 1949...	190	quarts 1949...	908
Field crops(other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	509
1944.....	5	1945.....	524
acres 1949.....	119	acres 1950 ²	268
1944.....	26	1945.....	572
bushels 1949.....	142	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	227
1944.....	15	1945.....	342
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5,646
1944.....	69	1945.....	15,049
acres 1949.....	68	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,138
1944.....	909	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,508
pounds 1949.....	11,100	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	18,272
1944.....	194,801	1944.....	11,430
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	410
acres 1949.....		1945.....	665
bushels 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	12,601
1944.....		1945.....	29,889
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,434
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	10,169
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,575
pounds 1949.....		1944.....	757
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,074	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	114
1944.....	744	1945.....	173
acres 1949 ¹	81	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,004
1944.....	140	1945.....	1,876
bushels 1949.....	15,820	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	115
1944.....	13,575	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	889
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	317	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	928
1944.....	281	1944.....	36
acres 1949 ¹	7	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	115
1944.....	30	1945.....	241
bushels 1949.....	2,550	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	430
1944.....	2,621	1945.....	1,304
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	224
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	226
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	360
bales 1949.....		1944.....	1,023
1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	94
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945.....	165
1944.....	24	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	699
acres 1949.....	18	1945.....	1,591
1944.....	58	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	132
pounds 1949.....	21,688	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	527
1944.....	44,989	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	136
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	29
acres 1949.....	439	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	99
1944.....	27	1945.....	115
gallons 1949.....	4	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,513
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	53	1945.....	2,882
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes....farms reporting 1949...	6	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	381
acres 1949.....	48	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,132
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,635
1944.....		1944.....	2,030
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,371	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	7
1944.....	1,606	1945.....	
		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	30
		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	28
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	25
		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.
^{*}Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,077	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	73
1945.....	2,340	1945.....	115
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	418,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.5	1945.....	34
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	303,879	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	59
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	113,227	1945.....	21
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,296	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	65
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	31,132	1945.....	89
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	387,270	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	119
1945.....	398,348	1945.....	171
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	186.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	85
1945.....	170.2	1945.....	166
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	9,698	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	280
1945.....	6,017	1945.....	343
average per acre, dollars 1950A...	51.82	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	336
1945.....	35.34	1945.....	374
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	274
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,846	1945.....	313
1944.....	2,052	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	189
acres 1949.....	125,105	1945.....	203
1944.....	126,654	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	174
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	129	1945.....	160
1944.....	186	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	399
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	175	1945.....	375
1944.....	213	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	66
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	193	1945.....	68
1944.....	234	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	355	1945.....	8
1944.....	425		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	595	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	608	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	325	White operators.....number 1950...	2,076
1944.....	331	1945.....	2,340
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	74	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	55	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,119	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	238	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,313
acres 1949.....	115,123	1945.....	1,540
1944.....	8,928	Part owners.....number 1950...	384
Cropland not harvested and not		1945.....	218
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	216	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1949.....	7,036	1945.....	4
acres 1944.....	4,371	All tenants.....number 1950...	377
1944.....	660	1945.....	578
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	672	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	18.2
1944.....	19,413	1945.....	24.7
acres 1949.....	18,966	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	80
1944.....	265	1945.....	170
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	141	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	116
1944.....	7,824	1945.....	173
acres 1949.....	3,762	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	133
1944.....		1945.....	144
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	66
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	996	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	67
1944.....	2,212	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	48
acres 1949.....	92,612	1945.....	91
1944.....	217,489	Other tenants.....number 1950...	9
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,006		
1944.....	2,275	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	20,157	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,318
1944.....	18,178	1945.....	1,335
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,368
1944.....		1945.....	536
acres 1949.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,343
1944.....		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.13
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	251
1949.....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	104
acres 1949.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	116
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	181
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	101
		number 1950...	121
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	146
		number 1950...	156
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		number 1950...	65
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	30
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		number 1950...	43
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,793		
1945.....	2,061		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	135		
1945.....	238		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	364		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	569		
1944.....	472		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	273		
1944.....	208		

*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...	381	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,170
.....1945.....	188	General farms.....number 1950.....	198
.....number 1950.....	396	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	6
.....1945.....	193	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	109
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	820	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	83
.....1945.....	388	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	396
.....number 1950.....	904		
.....1945.....	408		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	790		
.....number 1950.....	859		
.....1945.....	25		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25		
.....number 1950.....	20		
.....1945.....	20		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20		
.....number 1950.....	1,585		
.....1945.....	1,526		
.....number 1950.....	1,711		
.....1945.....	1,587		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,585		
.....1945.....	1,526		
.....number 1950.....	1,711		
.....1945.....	1,587		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	284		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	65		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	919		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	689		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	120		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,692
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	200	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	11
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	709	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	74
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	744	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	261
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	342	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	516
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	538
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	292
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	569	Other farms.....number 1950.....	385
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	195	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	187
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	719	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	198
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	106	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	166		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	220		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,105		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,069,637
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,870	.....1944.....	4,350,176
.....persons 1950.....	3,084	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	538,228
.....1945.....	1,860	.....1944.....	375,180
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,860	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	533,090
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,800	.....1944.....	399,077
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	834	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,872
.....persons 1950.....	1,116	.....1944.....	12,838
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	122	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,112
.....persons 1950.....	168	.....1944.....	1,972
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	150
		.....1944.....	1,693
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,522,018
		.....1944.....	3,967,789
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	482,639
		.....1944.....	356,834
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	703,935
		.....1944.....	713,858
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,335,444
		.....1944.....	2,897,097
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,195
		.....1944.....	7,207
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,603
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,564
		.....number 1945.....	1,781
		.....number 1950.....	4,854
		.....number 1945.....	6,759
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	209
		.....number 1945.....	421
		.....number 1950.....	498
		.....number 1945.....	1,121
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,921
		.....number 1945.....	2,029
		.....number 1950.....	44,044
		.....number 1945.....	43,651
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,902
		.....number 1945.....	1,998
		.....number 1950.....	22,068
		.....number 1945.....	25,159
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,784
		.....number 1950.....	9,011
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,186
		.....number 1950.....	7,154
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,061
		.....number 1950.....	6,512
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,449
		.....number 1950.....	8,309
		.....number 1949.....	244
		.....number 1944.....	177
		.....pounds 1949.....	4,824,018
		.....pounds 1944.....	4,245,582
		.....dollars 1949.....	160,712
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,088
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,317
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	569,582
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	474,491
		.....dollars 1949.....	321,756
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
		.....dollars 1949.....	171
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,429
		.....number 1945.....	1,438
		.....number 1950.....	30,539
		.....number 1945.....	18,781
		4 months' old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,388
		.....number 1950.....	15,696
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	807
		.....number 1950.....	14,843
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,240
		.....number 1945.....	1,252
		.....number 1950.....	5,191
		.....number 1945.....	3,936

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...	642	Sorghums:	
1945...	879	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	131
number 1950...	33,372	1944...	315
1945...	30,532	acres 1949...	683
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	1,759
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	636	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950...	21,131	1944...	15
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	631	acres 1949...	56
1945 ¹ ...	861	1944...	82
number 1950...	20,069	bushels 1949...	795
1945 ¹ ...	26,060	1944...	1,490
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	425	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1950...	1,062	acres 1949...	115
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	531	tons green weight 1949...	849
number 1950...	12,241	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	642	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	101
1944...	864	acres 1949...	512
number shorn 1949...	20,228	tons out 1949...	1,113
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	152,858		
1944...	194,643	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,735	acres 1949...	185
1945...	1,942	bushels 1949...	5,475
number 1950...	185,711	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	195
1945...	233,218	1944...	45
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,103	acres 1949...	4,174
number 1949...	102,262	1944...	691
dollars 1949...	108,970	bushels 1949...	76,078
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,424	1944...	9,968
dozens 1949...	1,105,682	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	581
dollars 1949...	386,121	1944...	489
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	30	acres 1949...	11,934
number 1950...	3,266	1944...	9,486
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	56	bushels 1949...	317,936
1944...	181	1944...	171,170
number 1949...	29,200		
1944...	23,541	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	81
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	234
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	817
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,886	1944...	2,444
dollars 1949...	4,258,234	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,778	1944...	10
1944...	1,848	bushels 1949...	167
number 1949...	21,465		
1944...	26,701	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,034	1944...	23
number 1949...	10,718	acres 1949...	53
dollars 1949...	1,660,890	1944...	330
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,559	bushels 1949...	519
number 1949...	10,747	1944...	3,174
dollars 1949...	870,309	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,435	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	152
1944...	1,491	acres grown alone 1949...	3,575
number 1949...	36,403	1944 ² ...	2,339
1944...	37,409	acres grown with other crops 1949...	9
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,341,335	1944 ² ...	27
1944...	655	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	111
number 1949...	852	1944...	70
1944...	19,345	acres grown alone 1949...	3,112
1944...	30,429	acres grown with other crops 1949...	61,760
dollars 1949...	359,585	bushels 1949...	20,933
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	248	1944...	53
number 1949...	635	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	430
dollars 1949...	26,115	acres grown with other crops 1949...	6
1944...		tons 1949...	589
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,525	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	463	acres grown alone 1949...	5
number 1949...	486	acres grown with other crops 1949...	3
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	65	Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944...	281	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	70	acres grown alone 1949...	28
1944...	285	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	400	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	194	acres grown alone 1949...	1
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	1944...	
1944...	1,724	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
number 1949...	2,944	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	3,765	1944...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown alone 1949...	1
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	209	1944...	
dollars 1949...	8,247	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Corn:		1944...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,521	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	1,764	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	39,300	acres grown alone 1949...	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,509	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	1,760	tons 1949...	
acres 1949...	38,309	Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	43,799	acres grown alone 1949...	
bushels 1949...	1,311,132	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944...	
1944...	1,546,494	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
acres 1949...	346	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
tons green weight 1949...	1,990	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or		acres grown alone 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944...	645		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,643	1944...	51
acres 1949...	64,699	acres 1949...	48
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	211	1944...	136
1944...	226	acres 1949...	2,872
acres 1949...	2,169	1944...	12,838
1944...	1,352	acres 1949...	8
tons 1949...	4,105	1944...	2
1944...	2,721	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,123	1944...	1
1944...	1,430	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	39,435	1944...	9
1944...	52,510	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	36,814	1944...	6
1944...	42,888	acres 1949...	2
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	706	1944...	1
1944...	232	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	17,321	1944...	9
1944...	3,752	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	17,586	1944...	1
1944...	2,924	acres 1949...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	166	1944...	(*)
1944...	64	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1,790	1944...	6
1944...	764	acres 1949...	48
tons 1949...	1,647	1944...	37
1944...	512	acres 1949...	134
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944...	3
1944...	10	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	446	1944...	1
1944...	100	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	394	1944...	1
1944...	86	acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	200	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	44
acres 1949...	3,748	acres 1949...	4
1944...	6,941	quarts 1949...	4,251
tons 1949...	2,738	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944...	4,318	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quarts 1949...	831
acres 1949...	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	668
Field crops (other):		1945...	72
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres 1950 ² ...	66
1944...	37	1945...	36
acres 1949...	328	1950...	338
1944...	425	1945...	348
bushels 1949...	234	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,382
1944...	408	1945...	2,450
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	57	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,199
1944...	71	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,183
acres 1949...	731	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,382
1944...	1,180	1944...	464
pounds 1949...	101,827	1945...	445
1944...	176,737	farms reporting 1950...	470
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	66	1945...	470
acres 1949...	1,324	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,326
bushels 1949...	3,140	1945...	5,473
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	1,357
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,969
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	241
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	928	1944...	289
1944...	882	1945...	289
acres 1949 ¹ ...	39	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,762
1944...	119	1945...	2,309
bushels 1949...	10,563	1945...	186
1944...	5,788	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,576
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	199	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,476
1944...	384	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	308
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	1944...	261
1944...	39	1945...	343
bushels 1949...	426	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,661
1944...	1,077	1945...	425
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	467
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,547
1944...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,563
bales 1949...	.....	1944...	238
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	246
acres 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,413
1944...	.....	1945...	1,628
pounds 1949...	.....	1945...	345
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	23	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,068
acres 1949...	24	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	320
gallons 1949...	1,742	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	59	1944...	2
acres 1949...	129	farms reporting 1950...	379
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	1,108	1945...	518
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	2,877
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	4,423
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,601	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	632
1944...	2,045	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,342
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	23,745
		1944...	37,544
		1945...	7
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	25
		1945...	22
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	190
		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.
³Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE			
Farms.....number 1950...	1,383	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	60
.....1945...	1,371	.....1945...	55
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	419,840	.....1945...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	66.5	.....1945...	51
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	233,071	.....1945...	55
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	46,329	.....1945...	118
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,008	.....1945...	105
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,235	.....1945...	132
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	279,173	.....1945...	152
.....1945...	252,658	.....1945...	70
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	201.9	.....1945...	59
.....1945...	184.3	.....1945...	201
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	6,134	.....1945...	197
.....1945...	2,713	.....1945...	172
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	31.07	.....1945...	182
.....1945...	14.72	.....1945...	163
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	201
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	894	.....1945...	92
1944...	1,106	.....1945...	79
acres 1949...	21,979	.....1945...	71
1944...	27,354	.....1945...	204
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	285	1945...	181
1944...	370	1945...	74
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	227	1945...	76
1944...	252	1945...	26
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	1945...	14
1944...	169		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	129	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	163	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	98	White operators.....number 1950...	1,383
1944...	120	1945...	1,371
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	30	1945...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	2	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,665
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,004	1945...	941
1944 ¹ ...	737	Part owners.....number 1950...	169
acres 1949...	43,057	1945...	170
1944 ¹ ...	22,719	Managers.....number 1950...	4
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	153	All tenants.....number 1950...	145
acres 1949...	7,186	1945...	256
1944...	3,008	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,667	1945...	18.7
1944...	976	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	43
acres 1949...	156,252	1945...	124
1944...	98,878	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	321	1945...	2
1944...	352	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	43
acres 1949...	23,547	1945...	114
1944...	25,080	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	34
Other pasture (not cropland and		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	423	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	55
1944 ¹ ...	912	1945...	16
acres 1949...	19,377	Other tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944 ¹ ...	68,040	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
Other land (house lots, roads,		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,249	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	118
1944...	1,358	1945...	131
acres 1949...	7,775	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	952
1944...	7,579	1945...	339
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	946
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.29
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	173
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	89
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	105
acres 1949...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	706
		Electric chuk brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	75
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milkling machine.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		number 1950...	21
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		number 1950...	28
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,240		
.....1945...	1,270		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	55		
.....1945...	93		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	546		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	590		
.....1944...	408		
.....1949...	347		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	249		
1944...			

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	517	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	402
.....1945.....	325	General farms.....number 1950...	76
.....number 1950.....	615	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	350	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	58
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	20
.....1945.....	127	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	639
.....number 1950.....	195		
.....1945.....	135	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	132	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	747
.....number 1950.....	154	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	10
.....number 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	31
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	96
.....number 1950.....	536	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	286
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	520	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	311
.....1945.....	579	Other farms.....number 1950.....	636
.....number 1945.....	542	Part-time.....number 1950.....	235
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	374
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	384	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	4
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	206		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	644	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,782,714
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	49	.....1944.....	1,404,111
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	86,708
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		.....1944.....	84,720
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	59,880
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	151	.....1944.....	46,700
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	785	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,077
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	308	.....1944.....	35,314
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	139	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,701
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	.....1944.....	1,865
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,090
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	363	.....1944.....	600
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	107	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,648,174
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	461	.....1944.....	1,272,511
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,582
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.7	.....1944.....	284,896
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	132,581
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	261	.....1944.....	234,039
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	305	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,139,768
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	804	.....1944.....	753,580
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	47,832
FARM LABOR^A		.....1944.....	46,885
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,216	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	958
.....persons 1950.....	1,888	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	961
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,216	.....1945.....	981
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,141	.....number 1950.....	2,461
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	499	.....1945.....	2,811
.....persons 1950.....	658	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	112
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	53	.....1945.....	243
.....persons 1950.....	89	.....number 1950.....	201
		.....1945.....	500
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,315	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,232
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	525	.....1945.....	1,280
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	348	.....number 1950.....	20,430
.....dollars 1949.....	27,597	.....1945.....	21,232
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	385	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,212
.....dollars 1949.....	59,801	.....1945.....	1,260
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,239	.....number 1950.....	10,382
.....dollars 1949.....	538,315	.....1945.....	12,301
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	638	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,109
.....dollars 1949.....	439,624	.....number 1950.....	6,141
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	763	.....number 1950.....	54
.....dollars 1949.....	35,566	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,245
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	516	.....number 1950.....	569
.....dollars 1949.....	46,395	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,359
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	.....number 1950.....	96
.....dollars 1949.....	10,925	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,444
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	294	.....number 1950.....	559
.....dollars 1949.....	12,570	.....1944.....	24
		.....pounds 1945.....	9,696,318
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	6,436,73
No sales.....number 1950.....	146	.....dollars 1945.....	346,420
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	228	.....1944.....	18
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	156	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,272
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	72	.....1944.....	214,425
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	228	.....dollars 1945.....	49,059
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	217	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	182	.....dollars 1949.....	241
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	72		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	34	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	32	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	16	.....1945.....	82
		.....number 1950.....	10,502
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	8,237
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	11	.....number 1950.....	775
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,746
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	514
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	10	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,782
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	573
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	547
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	237	.....1945.....	1,603
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	20	.....number 1950.....	1,294
		.....1945.....	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	88	Sorghums:	
1945.....	226	Sorghum: for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	169
number 1950.....	3,130	1944.....	382
1945.....	5,536	acres 1949.....	768
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	2,220
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	87	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	1,754	1944.....	1
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	84	acres 1949.....	11
1945 ¹	205	1944.....	6
number 1950.....	1,641	bushels 1949.....	125
1945 ¹	4,664	1944.....	120
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	48	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1950.....	113	acres 1949.....	57
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	83	tons..green weight 1949.....	485
number 1950.....	1,376	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	86	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	157
1944.....	190	acres 1949.....	700
number shorn 1949.....	1,989	tons cut 1949.....	2,222
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	10,714	Small grains:	
1944.....	22,801	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,184	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	1,182	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number 1950.....	60,200	1944.....	39
1945.....	87,795	acres 1949.....	315
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	361	1944.....	357
number 1949.....	60,710	bushels 1949.....	3,960
dollars 1949.....	52,451	1944.....	4,265
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	672	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	82
dozens 1949.....	203,734	1944.....	61
dollars 1949.....	74,123	acres 1949.....	1,516
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	23	1944.....	1,076
number 1950.....	117	bushels 1949.....	33,310
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944.....	19,957
1944.....	13	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	43
number 1949.....	1,042	1944.....	346
1944.....	646	acres 1949.....	446
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	2,991
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,149	1944.....	16
dollars 1949.....	1,132,238	acres 1949.....	224
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,040	1944.....	282
1944.....	947	bushels 1949.....	2,642
number 1949.....	9,112	1944.....	5,824
1944.....	8,692	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	563	1944.....	11
number 1949.....	4,402	acres 1949.....	6
dollars 1949.....	525,896	1944.....	84
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	897	bushels 1949.....	50
number 1949.....	4,710	1944.....	943
dollars 1949.....	272,935	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	755	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	34
1944.....	736	acres grown alone 1949.....	164
number 1949.....	13,169	1944.....	130
1944.....	15,927	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	15
dollars 1949.....	298,758	1944.....	12
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	164	1944.....	2
number 1949.....	1,764	acres grown alone 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	3,443	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	(*)
dollars 1949.....	27,775	bushels 1949.....	3
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	71	1944.....	23
number 1949.....	242	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	27
dollars 1949.....	6,874	acres grown alone 1949.....	159
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	5
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	830	tons 1949.....	238
1949.....	66	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	73	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	12	acres grown alone 1949.....	3
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	23	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	10
1944.....	12	Soybeans plowed under for green	
number 1949.....	25	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	56	acres grown alone 1949.....	2
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	26	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
number 1949.....	61	Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	46	acres grown alone 1949.....	44
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	816	1944.....	16
1944.....	841	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	7
number 1949.....	1,710	1944.....	4
1944.....	2,018	Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres grown alone 1949.....	3
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	23	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	7
dollars 1949.....	698	1944.....	3
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944.....	3
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	40
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	381	bushels 1949.....	30
1944.....	464	1944.....	6
acres 1949.....	3,869	Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	34
1944.....	4,592	acres grown alone 1949.....	6
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	374	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	35
1944.....	456	tons 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	3,736	Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	4,306	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
bushels 1949.....	114,314	acres grown alone 1949.....	7
1944.....	99,579	acres grown with other crops 1949.....	7
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Cowpeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949.....	10	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949.....	100	acres grown alone 1949.....	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949.....	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	14		
acres 1949.....	123		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	52
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	726	1944.....	86
acres 1949...	14,888	acres 1949...	157
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	191	1944.....	301
1944.....	196	sold..dollars 1949...	14,077
acres 1949...	1,521	1944.....	35,574
1944.....	1,485	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	13
tons 1949...	2,856	1944.....	16
1944.....	3,069	acres 1949...	9
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1944.....	15
1944.....	57	acres 1949...	10
acres 1949...	539	1944.....	2
1944.....	566	acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	694	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 2
1944.....	695	acres 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	533	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	565	1944.....	4
acres 1949...	9,659	acres 1949...	5
1944.....	9,398	1944.....	1
tons 1949...	10,811	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	9,588	acres 1949...	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	159	Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	151	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	1,548	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	1,753	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	1,593	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	1,466	1944.....	72
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	36	acres 1949...	136
1944.....	31	1944.....	269
acres 1949...	573	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	399	acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	630	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	445	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	98	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944.....	137	acres 1949...	12
acres 1949...	1,009	quarts 1949...	19,570
1944.....	1,460	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949...	1,335	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	1,954	quarts 1949...	645
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	742
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	1945.....	688
Field crops (other):		1950 ²	277
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	695
1944.....	1	acres 1949...	461
acres 1949...	4	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	547
1944.....	4	1945.....	4,048
bushels 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,946
1944.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,299
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,749
1944.....	15	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,003
acres 1949...	19	1944.....	792
1944.....	207	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	653
pounds 1949...	7,000	1945.....	863
1944.....	29,072	trees of all ages..number 1950...	13,469
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	26,174
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,209
bushels 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,260
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,416
acres 1949...	16	1944.....	1,212
pounds 1949...	237	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	292
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	563	1945.....	421
1944.....	942	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,793
acres 1949...	72	1945.....	3,067
1944.....	166	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	222
bushels 1949...	12,148	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,348
1944.....	17,630	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,214
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	139	1944.....	660
1944.....	423	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	196
acres 1949...	9	1945.....	410
1944.....	56	trees of all ages..number 1950...	654
bushels 1949...	1,534	1945.....	2,303
1944.....	4,939	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	319
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	335
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,100
acres 1949...	6	1944.....	3,512
1944.....	2	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	147
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1945.....	276
1944.....	21	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,322
acres 1949...	33	1945.....	2,396
1944.....	46	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	154
pounds 1949...	40,662	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,168
1944.....	40,775	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	115
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	180
acres 1949...	8	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	145
gallons 1949...	365	1945.....	243
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,491
acres 1949...	2	1945.....	7,257
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	33	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	492
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,599
acres 1949...	30	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,222
1944.....	1,039	1944.....	8,610
1944.....	1,206	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	10
		1945.....	27
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	84
		1945.....	63
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	77
		1949.....	217
		quantity harvested..pounds 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.
^{*}Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	3,430	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	125
.....1945...	3,342	.....1945...	115
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	757,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	71.7	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	483,976	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	119
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	60,784	.....1945...	114
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,137	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	169
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,159	.....1945...	171
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	542,738	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	381
.....1945...	489,562	.....1945...	406
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	158.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	146.5	.....1945...	156
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	4,420	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	623
.....1945...	2,494	.....1945...	658
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	28.67	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	553
.....1945...	17.02	.....1945...	537
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	460
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,673	.....1945...	460
1944...	2,865	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	274
acres 1949...	90,617	.....1945...	249
1944...	100,619	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	202
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	477	.....1945...	169
1944...	571	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	389
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	520	.....1945...	340
1944...	519	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	73
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	500	.....1945...	70
1944...	461	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	19
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	583	.....1945...	11
1944...	616		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	476	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	566	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	111	White operators.....number 1950...	3,429
1944...	119	1945...	3,342
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944...	13	1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	2,236	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	1,642	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,860
acres 1949...	88,545	1945...	2,639
1944 ¹ ...	56,970	Part owners.....number 1950...	340
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	282
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	497	Managers.....number 1950...	5
acres 1949...	13,229	1945...	2
1944...	4,129	All tenants.....number 1950...	225
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,508	1945...	419
1944...	2,255	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	6.6
acres 1949...	201,022	1945...	12.5
1944...	134,910	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	67
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,057	1945...	222
1944...	1,136	Share-cash tenants... ..number 1950...	9
acres 1949...	75,317	1945...	.....
1944...	60,383	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	53
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	163
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,119	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	38
1944 ¹ ...	2,210	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	15
acres 1949...	49,511	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	96
1944 ¹ ...	112,424	1945...	32
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	37
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	3,293	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	59
1944...	3,286		
acres 1949...	24,497	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	20,127	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	609
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	567
1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,824
acres 1949...	27	.....1945...	882
1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,804
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.28
acres 1949...	27	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	411
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	132
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	103
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,313
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	90
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	272
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	64
		number 1950...	64
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	75
		number 1950...	75
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		number 1950...	62
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,297		
.....1945...	3,219		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	111		
.....1945...	117		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,175		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,367		
1944...	907		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	846		
1944...	670		

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...	1,090	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	599
.....1945.....	648	General farms.....number 1950...	145
.....number 1950...	1,148	.....number 1950...	15
.....1945.....	673	.....number 1950...	90
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	830	.....number 1950...	40
.....1945.....	431	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,506
.....number 1950...	886		
.....1945.....	443		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	745	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	776	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,950
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	70	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
.....number 1950...	75	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	17
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	110
.....number 1950...	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	371
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,467	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	740
.....1945.....	1,610	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	711
.....number 1950...	1,605	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,480
.....1945.....	1,658	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	558
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	907
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	956	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	15
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	313		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,312	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	532	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,490,579
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	317	.....1944.....	3,689,852
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	203,551
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	88,625
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	149,856
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	286	.....1944.....	82,435
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,420	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	42,440
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	940	.....1944.....	1,305
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	668	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	11,253
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	4,360
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	42,000
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	568	.....1944.....	525
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	331	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,210,173
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,315	.....1944.....	3,510,440
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	486	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,777,301
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.5	.....1944.....	1,247,418
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	540,386
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	514	.....1944.....	904,343
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	698	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,892,486
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,032	.....1944.....	1,358,679
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	76,435
FARM LABOR⁵		.....1944.....	90,587
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,819	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,250
.....persons 1950...	4,680	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	2,184
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,801	.....1945.....	2,329
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,605	.....number 1950...	4,887
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,308	.....1945.....	5,990
.....persons 1950...	1,933	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	215
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	113	.....1945.....	475
.....persons 1950...	142	.....number 1950...	446
		.....1945.....	960
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,939	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	3,109
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,638	.....1945.....	3,044
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,242	.....number 1950...	42,893
dollars 1949...	126,932	.....1945.....	38,404
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,101	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	3,032
dollars 1949...	201,175	.....1945 ⁷	3,001
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,775	.....number 1950...	21,765
dollars 1949...	1,310,082	.....1945 ⁷	24,018
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,898	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,859
dollars 1949...	630,009	.....number 1950...	17,732
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,989	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,018
dollars 1949...	100,643	.....number 1950...	9,599
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,297	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,263
dollars 1949...	158,347	.....number 1950...	3,966
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	574	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,015
dollars 1949...	40,404	.....number 1950...	7,563
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	994	.....number 1949...	1,698
dollars 1949...	62,138	.....1944.....	1,158
		.....pounds 1949...	49,647,503
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1949...	34,766,420
No sales.....number 1950...	301	.....1944.....	1,700,534
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	616	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	481
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	304	.....1944.....	933
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	304	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	144,811
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	510	.....1944.....	386,056
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	366	.....dollars 1949...	76,622
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	525	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	310	.....dollars 1949...	143
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	90		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	80	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	24	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,808
		.....1945.....	1,866
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	17,437
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	30	.....1945.....	12,998
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	30	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,585
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	7,637
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	994
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	9,800
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,069
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	1,035	.....1945.....	1,189
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	110	.....number 1950...	2,628
		.....1945.....	2,301

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...	113	Sorghums:	
1945.....	418	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	359
number 1950.....	4,097	1944.....	702
1945.....	9,562	acres 1949.....	1,722
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	3,941
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	109	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1950.....	2,189	1944.....	12
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	108	acres 1949.....	96
1945 ¹	399	1944.....	54
number 1950.....	2,041	bushels 1949.....	2,115
1945 ¹	8,403	1944.....	1,079
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1950.....	148	acres 1949.....	185
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	104	tons..green weight 1949...	1,224
number 1950.....	1,908	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	107	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	325
1944.....	402	acres 1949.....	1,441
number shorn 1949...	2,145	tons out 1949...	2,662
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	12,803		
1944.....	51,557	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,714	acres 1949...	207
1945.....	2,990	bushels 1949...	3,100
number 1950.....	182,065	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	651
1945.....	272,167	1944.....	564
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,215	acres 1949.....	10,406
number 1949...	174,916	1944.....	7,569
dollars 1949.....	153,932	bushels 1949.....	136,027
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,644	1944.....	121,302
dollars 1949.....	1,050,407	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	719
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	93	1944.....	606
number 1950.....	495	acres 1949.....	9,821
1944.....	81	1944.....	8,839
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	23	bushels 1949.....	227,852
1944.....	1,759	1944.....	178,510
number 1949...	1,853	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	189
1944.....	1,853	1944.....	829
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	1,529
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	6,399
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,777	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	67
dollars 1949.....	1,880,132	1944.....	32
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,539	acres 1949.....	671
1944.....	2,579	1944.....	240
number 1949...	16,499	bushels 1949.....	12,809
1944.....	18,879	1944.....	5,112
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	1,460	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1949...	6,637	1944.....	82
dollars 1949.....	798,224	acres 1949.....	266
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,204	1944.....	791
number 1949...	9,862	bushels 1949.....	2,430
dollars 1949.....	457,284	1944.....	8,468
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,580	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,823	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	51
number 1949...	23,830	acres grown alone 1949...	274
1944.....	28,930	1944 ²	229
dollars 1949.....	574,161	acres grown with other crops 1949...	55
1944.....	112	1944 ²	72
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	359	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	2,283	1944.....	3
number 1949...	7,376	acres grown alone 1949...	69
1944.....	37,405	acres grown with other crops 1949...	15
dollars 1949...	216	bushels 1949...	1,073
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	388	1944.....	392
1944.....	13,058	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	35
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres grown alone 1949...	166
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,029	acres grown with other crops 1949...	38
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	383	tons 1949...	306
number 1949...	423	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	95	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	172	acres grown alone 1949...	14
number 1949...	94	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
1944.....	179	Soybeans plowed under for green	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	291	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	199	acres grown alone 1949...	23
1944.....	329	acres grown with other crops 1949...	2
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	210	Coupeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	1,926	acres grown alone 1949...	15
number 1949...	2,477	1944 ²	11
1944.....	3,589	acres grown with other crops 1949...	39
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	17
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	146	acres grown alone 1949...	4
dollars 1949...	3,877	1944.....	5
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		acres grown alone 1949...	1
Corn:		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,152	bushels 1949.....	18
1944.....	1,856	1944.....	66
acres 1949.....	10,106	Coupeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	18,362	acres grown alone 1949...	14
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,152	acres grown with other crops 1949...	39
1944.....	1,850	tons 1949...	74
acres 1949.....	9,727	Coupeas hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	18,202	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949...	276,020	acres grown alone 1949...	
1944.....	421,178	acres grown with other crops 1949...	
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Coupeas plowed under for green	
acres 1949...	199	manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...	1,751	acres grown alone 1949...	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		acres grown with other crops 1949...	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	31		
acres 1949...	180		

¹Does and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,398	1944.....	41
acres 1949...	57,727	1949.....	7
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	201	1944.....	10
1944.....	146	1949.....	440
acres 1949...	1,466	1944.....	1,305
1944.....	821	1949.....	6
tons 1949...	2,614	1944.....	4
1944.....	1,895	1949.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	470	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	789	1944.....	5
acres 1949...	8,392	1949.....	1
1944.....	13,911	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949...	9,698	1949.....	1
1944.....	13,736	acres 1949...	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2,006	1944.....	6
1944.....	1,586	1949.....	5
acres 1949...	40,609	1944.....	1
1944.....	28,157	1949.....	1
tons 1949...	45,588	acres 1949...	3
1944.....	25,678	1944.....	1
Date, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	265	1949.....	(*)
1944.....	150	1944.....	1
acres 1949...	2,130	1949.....	1
1944.....	1,076	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	2,450	1944.....	6
1944.....	1,050	1949.....	27
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	110	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	139	1944.....	5
acres 1949...	1,074	1949.....	2
1944.....	1,633	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	978	1944.....	2
1944.....	1,395	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	364	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	403	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	23
acres 1949...	4,553	1944.....	6
1944.....	6,818	acres 1949...	4,984
tons 1949...	5,093	quarts 1949...	10
1944.....	6,193	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	655
acres 1949...	32	quarts 1949...	.....
tons green weight 1949...	100	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,831
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	38	1945.....	2,343
1944.....	.....	acres 1950 ²	716
acres 1949...	484	1945.....	2,007
1944.....	.....	1949.....	1,608
bushels 1949...	447	1945.....	2,246
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	20,346
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	75	1945.....	31,654
1944.....	49	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,620
acres 1949...	846	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14,726
1944.....	494	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	14,376
pounds 1949...	151,531	1944.....	5,095
1944.....	92,615	1949.....	1,614
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	2,538
acres 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	29,657
bushels 1949...	20	1945.....	56,907
1944.....	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,254
acres 1949...	44	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23,403
1944.....	2,766	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,036
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,825	1944.....	8,464
1944.....	2,646	1949.....	739
acres 1949 ¹ ...	153	1945.....	1,150
1944.....	431	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,100
bushels 1949...	25,772	1945.....	3,681
1944.....	36,564	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	614
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	671	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,486
1944.....	1,131	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	837
acres 1949 ¹ ...	4	1944.....	554
1944.....	130	1949.....	800
bushels 1949...	3,421	1945.....	1,694
1944.....	8,532	trees of all ages..number 1950...	33,075
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	8,719
1944.....	.....	1949.....	11,121
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,954
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,026
bales 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	22,633
1944.....	.....	1944.....	563
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1949.....	964
1944.....	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,589
acres 1949...	(*)	1945.....	5,488
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	704
pounds 1949...	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,885
1944.....	620	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	178
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1944.....	237
acres 1949...	24	1949.....	837
gallons 1949...	1,315	1945.....	1,439
1944.....	42	vines of all ages..number 1950...	19,216
acres 1949...	29	1945.....	21,545
100 lb. ear corn	687	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,018
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	4	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	15,198
acres 1949...	32	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	69,477
1944.....	3,180	1944.....	90,956
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,747	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944.....	3,180	1945.....	11
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	164
		1945.....	46
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	23
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	141
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	295
		1944.....	230

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.
^{*}Less than 1 acre.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,804	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	128
1945...	2,843	1945...	155
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	536,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	88.8	1945...	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	331,929	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	119
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	189,455	1945...	147
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,129	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	218
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	49,473	1945...	246
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	476,040	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	235
1945...	476,814	1945...	223
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	169.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	174
1945...	167.7	1945...	150
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	8,307	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	410
1945...	5,355	1945...	423
average per acre, dollars 1950*	46.17	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	370
1945...	31.93	1945...	353
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	320
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,395	1945...	371
1944...	2,477	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	221
acres 1949...	219,952	1945...	220
1944...	228,785	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	205
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	222	1945...	174
1944...	232	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	395
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	234	1945...	409
1944...	179	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	109
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	222	1945...	99
1944...	205	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	19
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	399	1945...	20
1944...	380		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	529	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	661	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	533	White operators.....number 1950...	2,804
1944...	550	1945...	2,843
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	256	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	270	1945...	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	851	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	613	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,577
acres 1949...	36,561	1945...	1,287
1944 ¹ ...	23,095	Part owners.....number 1950...	625
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	622
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	908	Managers.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949...	30,361	1945...	8
1944...	22,789	All tenants.....number 1950...	598
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	889	1945...	926
1944...	811	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.3
acres 1949...	44,328	1945...	32.6
1944...	43,863	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	123
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	488	1945...	198
1944...	335	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	281
acres 1949...	22,175	1945...	411
1944...	16,187	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	105
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	271
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,912	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	95
1944 ¹ ...	2,277	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	10
acres 1949...	97,191	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	89
1944 ¹ ...	123,340	1945...	46
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	14
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,665	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	75
1944...	2,789		
acres 1949...	25,472	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	18,755	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,643
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	1,609
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,030
acres 1949...		1945...	709
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,010
land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.20
acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	585
1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	209
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	179
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,571
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	242
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	32
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	229
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	603
		number 1950...	616
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	335
		number 1950...	337
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	144
		number 1950...	144
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	107
		number 1950...	137
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	47
		number 1950...	53
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,616		
1945...	2,705		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	127		
1945...	126		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	731		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	923		
1944...	797		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	474		
1944...	383		

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...	1,029	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	745
1945.....	568	General farms.....number 1950...	534
number 1950.....	1,083	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	7
1945.....	614	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	242
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,544	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	285
1945.....	1,099	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	797
number 1950.....	1,954		
1945.....	1,214		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,479		
number 1950.....	1,843		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	100		
number 1950.....	100		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
number 1950.....	11		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,933		
1945.....	2,039		
number 1950.....	2,153		
1945.....	2,143		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	505		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	106		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	710		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,037		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	446		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,012
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	187	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	13
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	912	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	114
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	943	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	274
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	806	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	572
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	354
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	485
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,142	Other farms.....number 1950...	792
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	257	Part-time.....number 1950...	348
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	842	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	443
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	170	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	356		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,362		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,084		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,998,103
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,488	1944.....	4,465,896
persons 1950.....	4,442	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,884,865
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,476	1944.....	1,101,305
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,361	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,820,094
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,920	1944.....	1,048,789
persons 1950.....	1,793	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	32,728
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	208	1944.....	32,411
persons 1950...	288	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	31,713
		1944.....	15,575
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	330
		1944.....	4,530
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,103,832
		1944.....	3,397,688
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	817,184
		1944.....	607,709
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	842,944
		1944.....	782,137
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,443,704
		1944.....	1,967,842
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,406
		1944.....	6,903
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,840
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,781
		1945.....	2,135
		number 1950.....	4,835
		1945.....	7,062
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	212
		1945.....	577
		number 1950.....	502
		1945.....	1,376
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,485
		1945.....	2,568
		number 1950.....	41,121
		1945.....	43,740
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,451
		1945.....	2,501
		number 1950.....	19,825
		1945.....	23,326
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,245
		number 1950.....	11,754
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,672
		number 1950.....	8,730
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,316
		number 1950.....	5,767
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,697
		number 1950.....	6,799
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	835
		1944.....	579
		pounds 1949.....	19,021,489
		1944.....	13,220,144
		Cream sold.....dollars 1949...	672,362
		1944.....	716
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,295
		1944.....	273,489
		1944.....	443,663
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949...	143,175
		1949.....	5
			1,647
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,745
		1945.....	1,756
		number 1950.....	34,470
		1945.....	30,231
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,589
		number 1950.....	17,541
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,050
		number 1950.....	16,929
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,252
		1945.....	1,247
		number 1950.....	4,831
		1945.....	4,051

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 180 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
SHEEP AND WOOL	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	197
1945... number 1950... 1945...	372
	6,452
	10,786
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	188
number 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	3,846
	184
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	339
number 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	3,437
	8,116
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	129
number 1950... 1945...	409
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	179
number 1950... 1945...	2,606
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	187
number shorn 1949... 1944... 1945...	314
	3,684
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 1944... 1945...	25,852
	50,415
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	2,451
	2,553
	290,851
	302,743
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,462
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	135,891
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	124,166
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,036
dozens 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,984,055
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	705,600
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	56
	273
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945... number 1949... 1944... 1945...	56
	60
	2,299
	2,378
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,329
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	3,421,037
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,080
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,074
	17,228
	18,109
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,245
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	8,544
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,257,542
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,698
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	8,684
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	612,278
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,691
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,702
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	39,968
	39,780
	1,443,346
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	164
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	219
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	3,266
	4,845
	56,375
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	272
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	836
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	51,496
FARM SLAUGHTER	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,722
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	596
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	653
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	92
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	124
	102
	311
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	511
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	374
	551
	404
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,607
number 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,989
	2,951
	4,496
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	281
dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	10,473
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Corn:	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945... acres 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,050
	2,227
	75,689
	89,318
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945... acres 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,014
	2,221
	73,487
	88,601
bushels 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,696,892
	2,335,407
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... tons, green weight 1949...	40
	635
	3,111
Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945... acres 1949...	132
	1,567

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued.	
Sorghums:	
Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945...	805
	1,465
	8,413
	15,922
Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945...	433
	893
	4,906
	8,491
	63,382
	170,703
Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... tons, green weight 1949...	108
	1,121
	7,897
Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... tons cut 1949...	341
	2,386
	4,790
Small grains:	
Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	15
	605
	6,636
Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	914
	762
	43,594
	26,743
	575,076
	439,872
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	991
	1,186
	26,524
	37,639
	443,516
	536,600
Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	170
	269
	2,031
	4,091
Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	46
	56
	676
	899
	10,649
	13,764
Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	56
	32
	502
	291
	4,801
	3,251
Annual legumes:	
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945...	683
	16,579
	4,934
	109
	719
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	510
	195
	14,602
	50
	170,423
	36,286
Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945... tons 1949...	198
	1,674
	11
	1,752
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945...	15
	182
	48
Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945...	12
	121
Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945...	34
	277
	438
	14
	4
Cowpeas harvested for dry peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... bushels 1949...	9
	3
	141
	626
	90
Cowpeas cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945... tons 1949...	22
	72
	14
	100
Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945...	3
	15
Cowpeas plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres grown alone 1949... 1944... 1945... acres grown with other crops 1949... 1944... 1945...	4
	49

¹Open and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	37
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,616	1944...	74
acres 1949...	43,268	1949...	322
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for		1944...	167
dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	68	sold..dollars 1949...	32,728
1944...	56	1944...	32,411
acres 1949...	504	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	490	1944...	3
tons 1949...	1,255	acres 1949...	26
1944...	978	1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	120	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	140	1944...	.....
acres 1949...	1,944	acres 1949...	11
1944...	2,075	1944...	.....
tons 1949...	2,421	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944...	2,462	acres 1949...	20
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,243	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944...	1,102	1944...	11
acres 1949...	23,049	acres 1949...	33
1944...	19,561	1944...	20
tons 1949...	27,552	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	23,154	acres 1949...	8
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small		Horseradish.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	72	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	10	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	755	acres 1949...	13
1944...	150	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	14
tons 1949...	856	1944...	19
1944...	185	acres 1949...	40
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	564	1944...	17
1944...	595	acres 1949...	20
acres 1949...	15,430	1944...	68
1944...	18,491	acres 1949...	103
tons 1949...	18,629	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	22,391	acres 1949...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	124	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	72	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	45
acres 1949...	1,676	acres 1949...	10
1944...	912	quarts 1949...	19,027
tons 1949...	2,017	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944...	1,019	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quarts 1949...	680
acres 1949...	56	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	266	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Field crops (other):		vineyards, and painted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,385
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945...	911
1944...	6	acres 1950 ² ...	552
acres 1949...	121	1945...	628
1944...	41	farms reporting 1950...	991
bushels 1949...	168	1945...	1,006
1944...	59	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,793
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	389	1945...	11,362
1944...	444	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,668
acres 1949...	8,608	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,125
1944...	10,168	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9,426
pounds 1949...	1,847,569	1944...	1,399
1944...	2,169,063	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	884
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945...	959
acres 1949...	281	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,244
bushels 1949...	641	1945...	10,493
Radtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	66	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,447
acres 1949...	1,113	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,797
1944...	101,496	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	936
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or		1944...	278
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	842	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	486
1944...	510	1945...	608
acres 1949 ¹ ...	42	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,682
1944...	72	1945...	2,274
bushels 1949...	10,112	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	384
1944...	6,058	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,298
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,034
for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	110	1944...	1,048
1944...	53	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	491
acres 1949 ¹ ...	24	1945...	691
1944...	13	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,080
bushels 1949...	2,308	1945...	3,621
1944...	1,443	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	650
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,430
acres 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,768
1944...	.....	1944...	4,756
bales 1949...	.....	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	349
1944...	.....	1945...	582
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,592
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	3,871
1944...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	412
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,180
1944...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	297
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944...	109
acres 1949...	32	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	614
gallons 1949...	1,671	1945...	777
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	32	vines of all ages..number 1950...	15,392
acres 1949...	63	1945...	15,803
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	494	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,678
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	13,714
corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	36,028
acres 1949...	.....	1944...	76,659
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than		Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	208
Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,069	1945...	205
1944...	2,548	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,684
		1945...	16,247
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,384
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,300
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	96,040
		1944...	8,063

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.

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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...	1,154	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	80
	1,326	1945...	78
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	273,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	16
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	76.7	1945...	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	152,636	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	64
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	64,427	1945...	74
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,574	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	55
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	10,447	1945...	61
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	210,190	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	49
	217,883	1945...	68
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	182.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	53
	164.3	1945...	55
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	9,448	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	128
	6,020	1945...	143
average per acre, dollars 1950*...	51.74	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	186
	36.64	1945...	235
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	145
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	978	1945...	229
	1,164	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	122
acres 1949...	65,733	1945...	140
	68,033	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	104
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	109	1945...	113
	120	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	188
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	91	1945...	172
	115	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	39
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	81	1945...	29
	108	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	163	1945...	3
	217	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	320	Farms by color of operator:	
	417	White operators.....number 1950...	1,135
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	182	1945...	1,302
	172	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	19
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1945...	24
	15	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	400	Full owners.....number 1950...	724
	440	1945...	898
acres 1949...	12,712	Part owners.....number 1950...	207
	13,642	1945...	99
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	495	1945...	2
acres 1949...	16,172	All tenants.....number 1950...	221
	17,009	1945...	327
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	561	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.2
	752	1945...	24.7
acres 1949...	41,891	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	51
	45,912	1945...	61
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	567	Share-cash tenants....number 1950...	48
	514	1945...	18
acres 1949...	43,513	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	96
	37,859	1945...	172
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	77
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	642	1945...	19
	823	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	26
acres 1949...	20,418	1945...	76
	26,660	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	13
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	13
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,091	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
	1,278	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	920
acres 1949...	9,751	1945...	978
	8,748	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	637
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	308
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	616
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.51
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	230
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	65
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	60
acres 1949...		1945...	501
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	96
		1945...	5
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		1945...	231
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	232
		1945...	116
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	116
		1945...	45
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		1945...	45
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		1945...	47
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		1945...	10
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		1945...	10
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		1945...	47
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		1945...	10

*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...	472	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	337
.....1945.....	227	General farms.....number 1950...	216
.....number 1950.....	517	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	6
.....1945.....	232	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	104
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	725	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	106
.....1945.....	541	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	353
.....number 1950.....	882		
.....1945.....	581	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	710	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	799
.....number 1950.....	837	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	23
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	154
.....number 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	284
.....1945.....	879	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	183
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	151
.....number 1950.....	15	Other farms.....number 1950.....	333
.....1945.....	952	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	185
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,009	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	170
.....1945.....	991	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	263	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,967,714
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	2,155,850
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	175	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	753,114
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	457	.....1944.....	433,212
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	249	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	745,284
		.....1944.....	424,795
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,092
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	342
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,738
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	536	.....1944.....	8,068
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	353	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,000
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	156	.....1944.....	7
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,191,362
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	1,710,684
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	706	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	202,378
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	.....1944.....	178,473
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	157	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	362,603
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	.....1944.....	325,272
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.7	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,426,399
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	1,006,919
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	23,218
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	913	.....1944.....	11,974
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	142	HORSES AND MULES	
FARM LABOR*		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	731
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	604
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,009	.....1945.....	738
.....persons 1950.....	1,634	.....number 1950.....	1,391
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	998	.....1945.....	1,895
Operators.....persons 1950.....	948	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	261
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	402	.....1945.....	470
.....persons 1950.....	487	.....number 1950.....	506
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	172	.....1945.....	988
.....persons 1950.....	199	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	984
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,095	.....1945.....	1,078
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	820	.....number 1950.....	11,713
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	660	.....1945.....	12,567
.....dollars 1949.....	86,939	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	976
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	619	.....1945 ³	1,659
.....dollars 1949.....	159,545	.....number 1950.....	6,024
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,000	.....1945 ³	7,345
.....dollars 1949.....	562,386	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	888
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	889	.....number 1950.....	3,770
.....dollars 1949.....	406,496	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	574
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	803	.....number 1950.....	2,068
.....dollars 1949.....	115,978	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	488
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	745	.....number 1950.....	1,619
.....dollars 1949.....	165,456	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	617
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	547	.....number 1950.....	2,002
.....dollars 1949.....	60,707	Whole milk sold.....number 1950.....	121
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	644	.....pounds 1949.....	89
.....dollars 1949.....	54,186	.....1944.....	3,332,821
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	2,545,913
No sales.....number 1950.....	54	.....dollars 1949.....	122,688
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	116	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	413
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	39	.....1944.....	511
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	108	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	142,857
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	157	.....1944.....	189,197
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	65	.....dollars 1949.....	78,428
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	152	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	27
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	202	.....dollars 1949.....	1,262
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	159	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	77	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	790
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	25	.....1945.....	826
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	20,875
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	113	.....1945.....	16,548
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	113	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	9,707
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	545
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	11,168
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	669
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	702
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	24	.....1945.....	2,794
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	109	.....number 1950.....	2,222

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...	68	Sorghums:	
1945... 100		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1950... 1,708		1944... 30	
1945... 1,780		acres 1949... 50	
		1944... 106	
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... 68		1944... 2	
number 1950... 931		acres 1949... 2	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 68		1944... 5	
1945 ¹ ... 98		bushels 1949... 55	
number 1950... 821		1944... 75	
1945 ¹ ... 1,486		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... 42		1944... 25	
number 1950... 110		acres 1949... 25	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... 65		tons..green weight 1949... 235	
number 1950... 777		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1944... 62		out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944... 93		acres 1949... 23	
number shorn 1949... 921		tons cut 1949... 47	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 6,886			
1944... 11,957		Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration.....1950... Apr. 15-Aprn 28		Grains grown together and threshed	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,016	acres 1949... 75	
1945... 1,108		bushels 1949... 920	
number 1950... 141,017			
1945... 163,797		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	644
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... 723		1944... 700	
number 1949... 120,078		acres 1949... 22,877	
dollars 1949... 109,851		1944... 18,176	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... 876		bushels 1949... 353,371	
dozens 1949... 1,164,256		1944... 298,658	
dollars 1949... 421,127		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	350
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950... 11		1944... 273	
number 1950... 361		acres 1949... 5,383	
1944... 16		1944... 3,480	
number 1949... 23		bushels 1949... 93,177	
1944... 4,256		1944... 71,106	
number 1949... 4,553			
1944... 4,553		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	106
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944... 358	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949... 870	
alive.....farms reporting 1949... 939		1944... 3,018	
dollars 1949... 1,409,980		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	33
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 807		1944... 54	
1944... 927		acres 1949... 249	
number 1949... 4,870		1944... 295	
1944... 5,911		bushels 1949... 5,933	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949... 513		1944... 9,251	
number 1949... 2,439			
dollars 1949... 373,300		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	33
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 654		1944... 55	
number 1949... 2,431		acres 1949... 247	
dollars 1949... 179,691		1944... 358	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 762		bushels 1949... 3,763	
1944... 818		1944... 3,910	
number 1949... 22,740			
1944... 24,975		Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949... 843,583		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	116
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 52		acres grown alone 1949... 1,560	
1944... 71		1944 ² ... 2,262	
number 1949... 610		acres grown with other crops 1949... 57	
1944... 1,003		1944 ² ... 352	
dollars 1949... 9,862		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	77
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 77		1944... 57	
number 1949... 174		acres grown alone 1949... 1,253	
dollars 1949... 5,544		acres grown with other crops 1949... 51	
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949... 26,576	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 856		1944... 13,540	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 384		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	43
number 1949... 485		acres grown alone 1949... 223	
1944... 70		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949... 133		tons 1949... 335	
number 1949... 80			
1944... 139		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 322		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949... 405		acres grown alone 1949... 8	
1944... 224		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 816		Soybeans plowed under for green	
1944... 849		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949... 2,071		acres grown alone 1949... 76	
1944... 2,455		acres grown with other crops 1949... 6	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Cowpeas grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	27
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 236		1949... 170	
dollars 1949... 12,426		acres grown alone 1949... 238	
1944... ..		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED		1944 ² ... 26	
Corn:		1949... 8	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 854		1944... 15	
1944... 1,020		acres grown alone 1949... 42	
acres 1949... 22,502		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
1944... 27,333		bushels 1949... 210	
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 843		1944... 605	
1944... 1,014		Cowpeas out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	16
acres 1949... 21,497		acres grown alone 1949... 104	
1944... 26,923		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
bushels 1949... 1,046,909		tons 1949... 105	
1944... 1,046,825			
Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 64		Cowpeas hogged or grazed, or out	
acres 1949... 497		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	..
tons..green weight 1949... 3,567		acres grown alone 1949... ..	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	
Hogged or grazed, or out for green or		Cowpeas plowed under for green	
dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949... 63		manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949... 308		acres grown alone 1949... 24	
		acres grown with other crops 1949... ..	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include acres plowed under for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	797	1944.....	7
acres 1949...	12,270	1949.....	11
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	246	1944.....	8
1944.....	230	acres 1949.....	1,092
acres 1949...	1,479	1944.....	342
1944.....	1,152	acres 1949.....	6
tons 1949...	3,688	Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	2,726	1944.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	325	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	660	1944.....	1
acres 1949...	3,877	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	7,187	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	4,630	1944.....	1
1944.....	7,307	acres 1949.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	476	1944.....	1
1944.....	260	acres 1949.....	6
acres 1949...	5,782	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	2,691	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949...	7,599	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
1944.....	2,506	1944.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	6	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949...	353	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	38	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949...	341	acres 1949.....	11
1944.....	41	1944.....	4
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	16	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	12	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949...	127	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	78	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949...	163	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	75		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	83	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	37	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	18
acres 1949...	707	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	235	quarts 1949.....	4,648
tons 1949...	698	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	245	acres 1949.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quarts 1949.....	315
acres 1949...	11		
tons, green weight 1949...	43	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	831
Field crops (other):		1945.....	296
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	172	acres 1950 ²	161
1944.....	119	1945.....	163
acres 1949...	1,853	farms reporting 1950...	579
1944.....	981	1945.....	532
bushels 1949...	2,041	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,738
1944.....	833	1945.....	5,235
Lespedeza seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	109	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,972
1944.....	73	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,766
acres 1949...	1,023	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,589
1944.....	657	1944.....	2,018
pounds 1949...	197,712	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	691
1944.....	119,741	1945.....	615
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,492
acres 1949...	31	1945.....	7,373
bushels 1949...	126	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,277
Redtop seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,215
acres 1949...	52	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,300
1944.....	3,746	1944.....	3,349
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	709	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	511
1944.....	656	1945.....	499
acres 1949 ¹ ...	67	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,494
1944.....	93	1945.....	1,857
bushels 1949...	11,921	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	259
1944.....	8,558	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,235
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	226	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,441
1944.....	126	1944.....	3,187
acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	472
1944.....	13	1945.....	535
bushels 1949...	716	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,622
1944.....	813	1945.....	2,152
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	517
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,105
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,541
1944.....		1944.....	19,641
bales 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	35
1944.....		1945.....	230
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,190
1944.....		1945.....	1,680
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	297
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	913
pounds 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	214
1944.....		1944.....	283
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	517
acres 1949...	3	1945.....	445
gallons 1949...	136	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,251
1944.....	7	1945.....	3,665
acres 1949...	13	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	43
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	125	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,834
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	18,788
1944.....	11	1944.....	26,772
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	968	Pecans (improved and seedling).....farms reporting 1950...	91
1944.....	1,143	1945.....	91
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	64
		1945.....	763
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	127
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	59
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,864
		1944.....	10,158

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.
 *Less than 1 acre.