

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Corn:	
1945.....	98	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,587
number 1950...	3,284	1944.....	1,628
1945.....	3,856	acres 1949...	150,296
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	154,899
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	69	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,563
number 1950...	1,923	1944.....	1,628
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	66	acres 1949...	148,982
1945 ¹ ..	90	1944.....	154,072
number 1950...	1,783	bushels 1949...	4,845,368
1945 ¹ ..	2,344	1944.....	5,957,716
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	32	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	42
number 1950...	140	acres 1949...	591
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	63	tons..green weight 1949...	3,916
number 1950...	1,361	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	60	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	57
1944.....	75	acres 1949...	723
number shorn 1949...	2,108	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	18,569	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	23,750	1944.....	212
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949...	56
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	1,770
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,559	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	1,653	1944.....	44
number 1950...	194,538	acres 1949...	2
1945.....	269,388	1944.....	517
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,248	bushels 1949...	30
number 1949...	135,743	1944.....	6,088
dollars 1949...	121,086	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,470	acres 1949...	7
dozens 1949...	1,559,064	tons..green weight 1949...	35
dollars 1949...	514,720	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1950...	1,008	acres 1949...	47
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	8	tons cut 1949...	78
1944.....	5	Small grains:	
number 1949...	18,021	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	77	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	515
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	14,326
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	270,613
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,512	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,102
dollars 1949...	3,365,203	1944.....	999
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,323	acres 1949...	35,369
1944.....	1,431	1944.....	36,063
number 1949...	12,672	bushels 1949...	395,989
1944.....	13,857	1944.....	278,409
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	978	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	9,184	acres 1949...	602
dollars 1949...	1,564,928	1944.....	77
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	749	bushels 1949...	6,475
number 1949...	3,488	1944.....	338
dollars 1949...	297,432	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,387
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,178	acres 1949...	1,596
1944.....	1,398	1944.....	47,317
number 1949...	34,708	bushels 1949...	46,284
1944.....	42,978	1944.....	847,454
dollars 1949...	1,396,840	bushels 1949...	680,790
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	59	acres 1949...	37
number 1949...	4,906	1944.....	349
1944.....	4,673	bushels 1949...	576
dollars 1949...	96,176	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	116	1944.....	175
number 1949...	236	acres 1949...	32
dollars 1949...	9,827	1944.....	3,049
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	730
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,272	1944.....	21,401
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	629	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1949...	708	1944.....	24
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	287	acres 1949...	326
1944.....	517	bushels 1949...	920
number 1949...	318	1944.....	2,892
1944.....	543	1944.....	9,479
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	351	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	164	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	390	1944 ² ..	22
1944.....	171	acres 1949...	90
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,166	1944 ² ..	151
1944.....	1,416	1944.....	3
number 1949...	2,301	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	3,229	acres 1949...	90
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	139
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	245	bushels 1949...	1,950
dollars 1949...	4,774	1944.....	2,015
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	44	Corn:	
1945...	93	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,626
number 1950...	1,219	1944...	1,703
1945...	4,972	acres 1949...	143,376
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	151,886
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,621
1950...	741	1944...	1,702
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	41	acres 1949...	141,706
1945 ¹ ...	81	1944...	150,829
number 1950...	667	bushels 1949...	4,868,326
1945 ¹ ...	1,657	1944...	6,408,385
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	28
1950...	74	acres 1949...	334
number 1950...	478	tons..green weight 1949...	1,686
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
1950...	478	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	122
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	35	acres 1949...	1,336
1944...	77	Sorghums:	
number shorn 1949...	1,160	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	27
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	11,584	1944...	164
1944...	16,378	acres 1949...	226
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944...	1,669
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,441	1944...	81
1945...	1,639	acres 1949...	92
number 1950...	154,666	1944...	1,150
1945...	209,817	bushels 1949...	2,340
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,065	1944...	31,535
number 1949...	141,792	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
dollars 1949...	136,975	acres 1949...	84
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,250	tons..green weight 1949...	919
dozens 1949...	1,265,548	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	450,613	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949...	50
number 1950...	230	tons cut 1949...	81
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Small grains:	
1944...	11	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1949...	13,836	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	83
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	1,589
number 1949...	13,836	bushels 1949...	26,670
1944...	12,992	1944...	1,109
number 1949...	13,836	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,139
1944...	12,992	1944...	1,139
number 1949...	13,836	acres 1949...	40,597
1944...	12,992	1944...	34,889
number 1949...	13,836	bushels 1949...	586,948
1944...	12,992	1944...	403,561
number 1949...	13,836	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	374
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	5,551
1944...	12,992	bushels 1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	.....
1944...	12,992	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,139
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	1,055
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	28,895
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	20,367
1944...	12,992	bushels 1949...	464,396
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	316,469
1944...	12,992	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	41
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	59
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	512
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	895
1944...	12,992	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	9
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	162
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	127
1944...	12,992	bushels 1949...	2,170
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	776
1944...	12,992	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	51
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	82
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	399
1944...	12,992	bushels 1949...	787
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	5,054
1944...	12,992	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	13,836	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944...	12,992	1944 ² ...	62
number 1949...	13,836	acres 1949...	409
1944...	12,992	1944 ² ...	734
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	18
1944...	12,992	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	52
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	406
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	678
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	9,033
1944...	12,992	bushels 1949...	10,142
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	.....
1944...	12,992	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	12,992	tons 1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944...	12,992	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	12,992	1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	3
number 1949...	13,836	Other dry field and seed beans	
1944...	12,992	harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	1944...	.....
1944...	12,992	acres 1949...	.....
number 1949...	13,836	1944...
1944...	12,992	100-lb. bags 1949...
number 1949...	13,836	1944...
1944...	12,992	1944...

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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... 2,023 1945... 2,067	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 70 1945... 75
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 475,520 1945... 465,500	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 16 1945... 20
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 96.9 1945... 96.9	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 54 1945... 55
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 280,378 1945... 280,378	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 45 1945... 44
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 240,301 1945... 240,301	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 31 1945... 24
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 59,888 1945... 59,888	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 21 1945... 15
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 460,791 1945... 465,500	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 90 1945... 104
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 227.8 1945... 225.2	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 80 1945... 74
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 22,390 1945... 14,266	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 612 1945... 635
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950* 100.14 1945* 63.35	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 171 1945... 187
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 280 1945... 268
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,932 1944... 1,995	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 537 1945... 561
acres	1949... 325,326 1944... 322,997	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 79 1945... 75
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 42 1944... 49	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 7 1945... 5
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 25 1944... 26		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 18 1944... 21	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 40 1944... 37	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 161 1944... 215	White operators.....number	1950... 2,023 1945... 2,067
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1,068 1944... 1,086	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 578 1944... 561	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 842 1944... 1,393	Full owners.....number	1950... 769 1945... 674
acres	1949... 25,093 1944... 29,954	Part owners.....number	1950... 393 1945... 385
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 183 1944... 3,805	Managers.....number	1950... .. 1945... 2
acres	1949... 16,102 1944... 28	All tenants.....number	1950... 861 1945... 1,006
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 25 1944... 464	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 42.6 1945... 48.7
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 3 1944... 159	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 55 1945... 68
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 3,311 1944... 147	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 583 1945... 448
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 147 1944... 119	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 180 1945... 482
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 3,311 1944... 137	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 127 1945... 53
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 7,604 1944... 5,057	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 43 1945... 8
acres	1949... 194 1944... 137	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 6 1945... 37
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 137 1944... 2,942		
acres	1949... 1,899 1944... 1,243	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,243 1944... 1,150	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 1,531 1945... 1,326
acres	1949... 71,966 1944... 63,460	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,926 1945... 988
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 1,965 1944... 2,056	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,910 1945... 8,114
acres	1949... 24,055 1944... 26,031	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 734 1945... 528
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 297	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 240 1945... 1,760
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 6 1944... 85	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 491 1945... 15
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 150 1945... 288
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 282 1945... 1,058
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 1,064 1945... 70
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 70 1945... 126
		Milk machine.....farms reporting	1950... 131 1945... 101
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 106 1945... 106
		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... ..
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,934 1945... 1,981		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 77 1945... 62		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 98 1944... 378		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 189 1944... 111		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 111 1944... 51		

*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...	499	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,383
.....1945...	244	General farms.....number 1950...	267
.....number 1950...	543	.....1945...	
.....1945...	257	.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,760	.....number 1950...	62
.....1945...	1,633	.....number 1950...	200
.....number 1950...	2,491	.....number 1950...	78
.....1945...	1,831		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,755	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	2,456	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,945
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class I (Value of products sold \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	73
.....number 1950...	15	Class II (Value of products sold \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	362
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class III (Value of products sold \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	819
.....number 1950...	20	Class IV (Value of products sold \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	472
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,921	Class V (Value of products sold \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	186
.....1945...	1,887	Class VI (Value of products sold \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	33
.....number 1950...	2,614	Other farms.....number 1950...	78
.....1945...	2,269	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	37
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	41
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	149	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	14		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	177	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,399	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,900,169
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	284	.....1944...	10,365,122
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,862,733
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	1,937,844
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,861,855
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944...	1,936,150
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	766	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	883	.....1944...	431
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	310	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	873
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944...	1,259
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	485	.....1944...	4
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	195	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	13,031,149
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	863	.....1944...	8,421,723
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	361	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	646,213
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.5	.....1944...	573,607
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	721,132
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	90	.....1944...	790,643
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	572	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	11,666,604
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,397	.....1944...	7,060,473
		.....1949...	3,287
FARM LABOR*		.....1944...	2,855
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,944	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,546
.....persons 1950...	3,814	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,537
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,929	.....1945...	1,840
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,854	.....number 1950...	4,113
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,062	.....1945...	7,441
.....persons 1950...	1,679	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	29
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	208	.....1945...	125
.....persons 1950...	281	.....number 1950...	55
		.....1945...	229
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,061	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,886
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,849	.....1945...	1,915
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,743	.....number 1950...	34,619
.....dollars 1949...	332,091	.....1945...	61,258
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,354	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,843
.....dollars 1949...	517,102	.....1945...	1,891
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,951	.....number 1950...	17,453
.....dollars 1949...	1,085,927	.....1945...	23,515
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,821	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,762
.....dollars 1949...	3,253,093	.....number 1950...	10,678
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,809	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,551
.....dollars 1949...	312,414	.....number 1950...	11,312
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,939	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,575
.....dollars 1949...	892,952	.....number 1950...	19,150
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,754	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,439
.....dollars 1949...	290,355	.....number 1950...	6,674
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,639	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	51
.....dollars 1949...	409,090	.....1944...	53
		.....pounds 1949...	1,224,577
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944...	793,810
No sales.....number 1950...	5	.....dollars 1949...	50,507
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	36	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,512
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	21	.....1944...	1,708
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	12	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,009,781
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	21	.....1944...	1,070,843
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	49	.....dollars 1949...	595,591
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	153		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	263	BUTTER, BUTTERMILK, SKIM MILK, AND CHEESE SOLD	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	424	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	604	.....dollars 1949...	115
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	435		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	281	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,779
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	281	.....1945...	1,767
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	99,417
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		.....1945...	87,071
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,762
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	51,412
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	14	.....1945...	878
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	number 1950...	48,005
	1945...	1,664
	number 1950...	1,900
	1945...	23,923
	1950...	19,028

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,602	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	35,984	.....acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,415	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	1,240	.....1944...	(*)
.....acres 1949...	21,826	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	16,708	.....1944...	
.....tons 1949...	37,588	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	34,431	.....acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23	.....1944...	
.....1944...	20	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	333	.....1944...	5
.....1944...	166	.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...	406	.....1944...	1
.....1944...	206	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	33	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	24	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	455		
.....1944...	251	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1949...	531	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....1944...	192	.....acres 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	448	.....quarts 1949...	460
.....1944...	483	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949...	11,355	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	913
.....1944...	12,759	.....1945...	90
.....tons 1949...	11,819	.....acres 1950 ² ...	77
.....1944...	16,096	.....1945...	42
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	202	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	745
.....acres 1949...	2,547	.....1945...	418
.....1944...	2,741	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,835
.....tons 1949...	2,816	.....1945...	2,834
.....1944...	4,090	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,210
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,595
.....acres 1949...	88	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,495
.....tons..green weight 1949...	275	.....1944...	1,771
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	113
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	65	.....1945...	45
.....1944...	16	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	437
.....acres 1949...	769	.....1945...	353
.....1944...	229	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	343
.....bushels 1949...	1,051	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	296
.....1944...	192	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	193
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....1944...	
.....1944...	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	120
.....acres 1949...	81	.....1945...	45
.....1944...	14	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	262
.....bushels 1949...	142	.....1945...	88
.....1944...	12	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	140
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	108	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	122
.....acres 1949...	1,828	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	130
.....bushels 1949...	5,913	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	35
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	714	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	500
.....1944...	1,144	.....1945...	244
.....acres 1949...	107	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,945
.....1944...	364	.....1945...	1,045
.....bushels 1949...	11,858	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	887
.....1944...	17,907	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,078
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	31	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,149
.....acres 1949...	15	.....1944...	290
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	243	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	324
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	158
.....1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,534
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	791
.....1944...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	488
.....tons 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,030
.....1944...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	613
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1944...	6
.....acres 1949...	12	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	102
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,398	.....1945...	45
.....1944...	1,729	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	397
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	378
.....1944...	8	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	132
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	285
.....1944...	5	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	122
.....sold..dollars 1949...	5	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	1
.....1944...	431	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	162
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	87
.....1944...		.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,066
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	822
.....1944...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	366
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	762
.....1944...	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,133
.....acres 1949...		.....1944...	1,742
.....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.

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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... 599	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 19
	1945... 592		1945... 12
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 572,160	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 3
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 96.5		1945... 3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 297,662	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 16
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 248,485		1945... 9
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 44,080	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 11
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 38,364		1945... 5
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 551,863	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 3
	1945... 541,461		1945... 3
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 921.3	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 5
	1945... 914.6		1945... 4
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 35,377	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 10
	1945... 19,260		1945... 5
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 39.67	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 6
	1945... 21.06		1945... 4
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 30
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 571		1945... 29
	1944... 566	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 5
acres	1949... 139,376		1945... 11
	1944... 157,939	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 18
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 14		1945... 14
	1944... 10	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 160
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 3		1945... 169
	1944... 4	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 180
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 12		1945... 195
	1944... 5	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 152
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 25		1945... 141
	1944... 10		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 70	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
	1944... 46	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 160	White operators.....number	1950... 599
	1944... 143		1945... 592
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 287	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... ..
	1944... 348		1945... ..
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 132	Farms by tenure of operator:	
	1944 ¹ ... 180	Full owners.....number	1950... 172
acres	1949... 12,195		1945... 163
	1944 ¹ ... 2,845	Part owners.....number	1950... 216
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting	1949... 508		1945... 221
	1949... 121,392	Managers.....number	1950... 4
acres	1944... 80,755		1945... 6
	1944... 83,672	All tenants.....number	1950... 207
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 65		1945... 202
	1944... 221	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 34.6
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 149		1945... 34.1
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 349	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 14
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 37,720		1945... 12
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 14	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 52
	1944... 1		1945... 9
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 443	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 133
	1944... 30		1945... 181
acres	1949... 22	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 114
	1944... 3		1945... 19
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 527	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 8
	1944... 16	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... ..
acres	1949... 451		1945... ..
	1944 ¹ ... 519	Other tenants.....number	1950... 1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 267,690	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 7
	1944 ¹ ... 287,458		
acres	1949... 562	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
	1944... 589	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 308
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 10,240		1945... 249
	1944... 12,418	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 412
acres	1949... 29		1945... 275
	1944... 34	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 344
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 3,176	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 10.51
	1944... 807		1949... 179
acres	1949... ..	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 71
	1944... ..	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 78
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... ..	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 364
	1944... ..	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 46
acres	1949... ..	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 2
	1944... ..	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 40
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 329
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 382
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 531		1945... 194
	1945... 546	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 194
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 58		1945... 34
	1945... 43	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 35
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 67		1945... 1
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 191	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1
	1944... 137		1945... 10
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 48	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 10
	1944... 31		1945... 10

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...	471	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	222
.....farms reporting 1945...	338	.....number 1945...	85
.....number 1950...	614	General farms.....number 1950...	2
.....number 1945...	390	.....number 1945...	20
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	542	.....number 1950...	63
.....farms reporting 1945...	493	.....number 1945...	44
.....number 1950...	890	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	2
.....number 1945...	635	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	20
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	527	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	63
.....number 1950...	817	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	44
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	28	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	28	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	555
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	9
.....number 1950...	45	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	99
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	529	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	157
.....farms reporting 1945...	525	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	165
.....number 1950...	685	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	91
.....number 1945...	659	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	34
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950...	44
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Part-time ².....number 1950...	8
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	36
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	19	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	289	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	240	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,052,259
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....dollars 1944...	3,530,440
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,502,905
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	41	.....dollars 1944...	1,450,860
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	136	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,502,905
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	143	.....dollars 1944...	1,450,860
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	279	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,450,860
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	10	.....dollars 1944...	1,115
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	17
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....dollars 1944...	309
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	42	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	200
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	218	.....dollars 1944...	.....
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	209	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,548,880
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5.0	.....dollars 1944...	2,077,956
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	115,212
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	30	.....dollars 1944...	129,754
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	69	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	145,806
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	506	.....dollars 1944...	233,263
FARM LABOR^a		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,287,862
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944...	1,714,939
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	549	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
.....persons 1950...	1,106	.....dollars 1944...	200
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	537	HORSES AND MULES	
Operators.....persons 1950...	536	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	348
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	242	.....farms reporting 1950...	344
.....persons 1950...	422	.....number 1945...	462
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	91	.....number 1950...	1,204
.....persons 1950...	148	.....number 1945...	2,226
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	19
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	583	.....farms reporting 1945...	60
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	513	.....number 1950...	50
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	381	.....number 1945...	132
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	128,222	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949...	451	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	514
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	316,739	.....farms reporting 1945...	544
.....dollars 1949...	527	.....number 1950...	24,322
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	515,888	.....number 1945...	28,617
.....dollars 1949...	482	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	309
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	654,276	.....farms reporting 1945...	538
.....dollars 1949...	465	.....number 1950...	11,426
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	122,199	.....number 1945...	14,064
.....dollars 1949...	543	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	478
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	401,290	.....number 1950...	2,197
.....dollars 1949...	440	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	381
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	103,134	.....number 1950...	4,659
.....dollars 1949...	490	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	378
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	4,965
No sales.....number 1950...	26	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	372
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	10	.....number 1950...	1,272
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	.....	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds 1944...	12
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	24	.....pounds 1949...	295,408
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	45	.....dollars 1944...	366,613
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	45	.....dollars 1949...	11,166
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	64	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	332
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	92	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	429
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	112	.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	176,261
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	118	.....dollars 1949...	249,529
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	104,046
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	233	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	233	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	360
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	426
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	8,083
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	8,184
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	328
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	4,268
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	15	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	189
		.....number 1950...	3,815
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	272
	farms reporting 1945...	283
	number 1950...	1,940
	number 1945...	1,775

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	17	Corn:	
1945.....	26	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	411
number 1950.....	988	1944.....	489
1945.....	1,703	acres 1949.....	50,314
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	76,537
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	401
number 1950.....	544	1944.....	489
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	acres 1949.....	48,345
1945 ¹	21	1944.....	75,076
number 1950.....	534	bushels 1949.....	833,901
1945 ¹	1,059	1944.....	1,411,191
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	7	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1950.....	10	acres 1949.....	281
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	13	tons, green weight 1949...	1,215
number 1950.....	444	Hogged or grazed, or out for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	12	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	51
1944.....	20	acres 1949...	1,688
number shorn 1949.....	755	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	6,339	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	349
1944.....	8,948	1944.....	495
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	11,119
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	20,781
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	498	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	61
1945.....	532	1944.....	69
number 1950.....	50,743	acres 1949.....	1,292
1945.....	64,351	1944.....	774
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	274	bushels 1949.....	15,647
number 1949...	21,428	1944.....	8,328
dollars 1949...	18,844	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	402	acres 1949...	155
dozens 1949...	320,586	tons, green weight 1949...	505
dollars 1949...	113,301	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	13	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	333
number 1950...	130	acres 1949...	9,672
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	10	tons cut 1949...	14,694
1944.....	18	Small grains:	
number 1949...	2,318	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	10,150	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	289
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	3,430
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	509	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	330
dollars 1949...	2,284,120	1944.....	283
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	466	acres 1949...	51,013
1944.....	474	1944.....	36,378
number 1949...	12,995	bushels 1949...	485,371
1944.....	15,381	1944.....	520,942
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	356	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	7,624	acres 1949...	10
dollars 1949...	1,376,570	1944.....	50
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	343	bushels 1949...	50
number 1949...	5,371	1944.....	330
dollars 1949...	480,943	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	59
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	365	acres 1949...	93
1944.....	460	1944.....	1,118
number 1949...	10,975	1944.....	2,763
1944.....	18,160	bushels 1949...	23,769
dollars 1949...	404,617	1944.....	46,019
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	13	acres 1949...	55
number 1949...	860	1944.....	437
1944.....	1,123	1944.....	964
dollars 1949...	14,439	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	59
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	62	1944.....	162
number 1949...	157	acres 1949...	2,134
dollars 1949...	7,551	1944.....	5,630
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	29,219
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	362	1944.....	61,384
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	217	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	36
number 1949...	251	1944.....	99
1944.....	251	acres 1949...	1,614
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	90	1944.....	4,316
1944.....	179	bushels 1949...	6,802
number 1949...	102	1944.....	34,831
1944.....	198	Annual legumes:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	131	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	67	1944 ²	
number 1949...	149	acres 1949...	
1944.....	70	1944 ²	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	297	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	408	1944.....	
number 1949...	576	acres 1949...	
1944.....	897	1944.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	77	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	776	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	3
		acres 1949...	6
		1944.....	63
		100-lb. bags 1949...	12
		1944.....	314

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	295	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	20,703	.....acres 1949...	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	239	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944...	98	.....1944...	2
.....acres 1949...	10,418	.....acres 1949...	2
.....1944...	3,659	.....1944...	
.....tons 1949...	14,557	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	7,699	.....1944...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	4	.....1944...	
.....acres 1949...	58	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944...	100	.....1944...	9
.....tons 1949...	45	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	100	.....1944...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	9	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	424	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	275		
.....tons 1949...	425	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	236	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	98	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	53	.....quarts 1949...	42
.....acres 1949...	9,312	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944...	2,881	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	146
.....tons 1949...	7,822	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	2,990	.....acres 1950 ² ...	16
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	47	.....1945...	16
.....acres 1949...	696	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	66
.....1944...	948	.....1945...	28
.....tons 1949...	770	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	546
.....1944...	976	.....1945...	294
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	233
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	313
.....tons..green weight 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	242
Field crops (other):		.....1944...	253
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	148	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	56
.....1944...	19	.....1945...	22
.....acres 1949...	4,707	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	442
.....1944...	419	.....1945...	259
.....bushels 1949...	4,474	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	194
.....1944...	472	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	248
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	150
.....1944...		.....1944...	52
.....acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	29
.....1944...		.....1945...	10
.....bushels 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	91
.....1944...		.....1945...	29
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	52
.....acres 1949...	102	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	39
.....bushels 1949...	102	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	33
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....1944...	9
.....1944...	5	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	106
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	9	.....1945...	29
.....1944...	33	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	809
.....bushels 1949...	725	.....1945...	330
.....1944...	3,330	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	196
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	613
.....acres 1949...	10	.....quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	2,615
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	37	.....1944...	1,096
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	43
.....1944...		.....1945...	12
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	302
.....1944...		.....1945...	86
.....tons 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	65
.....1944...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	237
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	45
.....acres 1949...		.....1944...	11
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	286	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	25
.....1944...	393	.....1945...	10
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	78
.....1944...	15	.....1945...	57
.....acres 1949...	4	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	34
.....1944...	8	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	44
.....sold..dollars 1949...	257	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16
.....1944...	1,115	.....1944...	7
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	27
.....1944...	1	.....1945...	6
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	257
.....1944...	(*)	.....1945...	42
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	48
.....1944...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	209
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	619
.....1944...		.....1944...	395

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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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	866	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	1,042	1945.....	5
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	3,628,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.4	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,373,175	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	3
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	602,401	1945.....	2
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	429,337	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	7
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	67,707	1945.....	9
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	3,527,204	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	3,640,517	1945.....	6
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	4,084.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
1945.....	3,493.6	1945.....	3
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	61,443	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	7
1945.....	27,751	1945.....	8
average per acre, dollars 1950*	14.89	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	10
1945.....	7.94	1945.....	8
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	15
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	823	1945.....	39
1944.....	999	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949...	571,010	1945.....	5
1944.....	603,958	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	8
1944.....	12	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	67
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	95
1944.....	5	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	123
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	184
1944.....	4	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	607
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	674
1944.....	18		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	51	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	89	White operators.....number 1950...	866
1944.....	187	1945.....	1,041
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	668	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	772		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	101	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	48	Full owners.....number 1950...	527
acres 1949...	82,225	1945.....	353
1944 ¹	4,205	Part owners.....number 1950...	387
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	157	1945.....	385
acres 1949...	15,021	Managers.....number 1950...	20
1944.....	14,757	1945.....	27
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	30	All tenants.....number 1950...	152
acres 1949...	2,878	1945.....	277
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.6
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	25.8
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	56
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	159	1945.....	164
acres 1949...	12,142	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	33
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1945.....	52
acres 1949...	22	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	38
1944.....	44,462	1945.....	60
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	42	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	20
acres 1949...	1,309	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944.....	116	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	27
acres 1949...	2,306	1945.....	1
1944.....	2,219	Other tenants.....number 1950...	17
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	818	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
1944 ¹	1,023		
acres 1949...	2,787,545	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹	
1944 ¹	2,965,191	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	504
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	818	1945.....	494
1944.....	1,010	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	553
acres 1949...	54,637	1945.....	545
1944.....	48,688	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	45
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	11.51
acres 1949...	1,549	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	153
1944.....	5	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	46
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	77
acres 1949...	290	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	457
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	18
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	72
		number 1950...	72
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	114
		number 1950...	114
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	13
		number 1950...	16
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	3
		number 1950...	3
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...
		number 1950...

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	622	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	743
.....1945.....	565	General farms.....number 1950...	41
.....number 1950.....	823	.....number 1950.....	17
.....1945.....	654	.....number 1950.....	8
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	690	.....number 1950.....	18
.....1945.....	595	.....number 1950.....	43
.....number 1950.....	1,397	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	789	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	823
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	689	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	175
.....number 1950.....	1,545	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	203
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	158
.....number 1950.....	8	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	155
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	38	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	75
.....number 1950.....	45	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	27
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	702	Other farms.....number 1950...	43
.....1945.....	785	Part-time.....number 1950...	21
.....number 1950.....	1,054	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	21
.....1945.....	1,019	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	26	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,578,280
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....1944.....	8,078,956
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	159	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	482,759
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	666	.....1944.....	205,080
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	451,590
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	189,759
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	450
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	120	.....1944.....	2,478
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	172	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	704
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	517	.....1944.....	808
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	17	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	215
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	15
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	74	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,859,879
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	37	.....1944.....	7,875,495
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	229	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	166,016
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	471	.....1944.....	235,097
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	84,083
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	154,918
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	13,889,780
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	52	.....1944.....	7,465,480
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	680	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	642
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	580
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	816	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	803
.....persons 1950.....	1,813	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	800
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	782	.....1945.....	578
Operators.....persons 1950.....	759	.....number 1950.....	9,642
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	306	.....1945.....	18,687
.....persons 1950.....	489	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	294	.....1945.....	37
.....persons 1950.....	585	.....number 1950.....	174
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....1945.....	123
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	828	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	664	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	841
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	265	.....1945.....	992
.....dollars 1949.....	140,697	.....number 1950.....	269,456
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	628	.....1945.....	287,838
.....dollars 1949.....	1,381,926	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	850
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	759	.....1945.....	978
.....dollars 1949.....	1,612,252	.....number 1950.....	112,537
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	661	.....1945.....	110,012
.....dollars 1949.....	2,457,442	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	755
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	420	.....number 1950.....	3,843
.....dollars 1949.....	43,205	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	750
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	794	.....number 1950.....	55,996
.....dollars 1949.....	514,622	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	782
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	584	.....number 1950.....	58,854
.....dollars 1949.....	178,881	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	718
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	682	.....number 1950.....	41,289
.....dollars 1949.....	265,245	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	27
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	27
No sales.....number 1950...	5	.....pounds 1949...	580,859
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	16	.....1944.....	682,943
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	5	.....dollars 1949...	20,588
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	5	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	417
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	15	.....1944.....	682
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	28	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	244,905
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	69	.....1944.....	416,066
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	85	.....dollars 1949...	145,588
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	117	Butter, buttermilk, skin milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	142	.....dollars 1949...	60
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	376	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	401
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	12	.....1945.....	551
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	12	.....number 1950.....	7,194
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....1945.....	9,286
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	565
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	3,904
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	186
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	22	.....number 1950...	3,292
Poultry farms.....number 1950...		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	288
		.....1945.....	565
		.....number 1950...	2,021
		.....1945.....	1,997

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	28	Corn:	
1945.....	82	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	321
number 1950...	884	1944.....	511
1945.....	3,802	acres 1949.....	25,508
1944.....		1944.....	41,606
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	508
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	26	1944.....	486
number 1950...	682	acres 1949.....	23,156
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	26	1944.....	37,912
1945 ¹ ...	74	bushels 1949.....	299,367
number 1950...	613	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	512,547
1945 ¹ ...	3,485	1944.....	2
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	19	acres 1949.....	45
number 1950...	49	tons..green weight 1949...	285
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950...	222	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	86
1944.....		acres 1949...	2,302
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Sorghums:	
1944.....	74	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	37
number shorn 1949...	619	1944.....	163
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,768	acres 1949.....	1,259
1944.....	40,624	1944.....	4,376
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	7
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	714	acres 1949.....	20
1945.....	839	bushels 1949.....	109
number 1950...	40,531	1944.....	560
1945.....	64,919	1944.....	610
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	231	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	17,348	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	16,265	acres 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	392	tons..green weight 1949...	
dozens 1949...	169,594	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	54,678	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	56
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	59	acres 1949...	1,259
number 1950...	210	tons cut 1949...	1,179
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Small grains:	
1944.....	174	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1949...	2,248	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	6,678	1949.....	109
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	459
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	21
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	833	1944.....	35
dollars 1949...	13,683,000	acres 1949...	1,258
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	825	1944.....	2,023
1944.....	921	bushels 1949...	13,290
number 1949...	93,105	1944.....	18,950
1944.....	91,842	acres 1949...	42
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	759	1944.....	2,723
number 1949...	75,080	acres 1949...	2,897
dollars 1949...	11,466,086	bushels 1949...	23,832
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	484	1944.....	18,897
number 1949...	18,045	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	117
dollars 1949...	1,772,503	1944.....	197
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	580	acres 1949...	4,880
1944.....	507	1944.....	6,754
number 1949...	11,372	bushels 1949...	58,244
1944.....	16,182	1944.....	114,802
dollars 1949...	422,896	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed:.....farms reporting 1949...	81
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944.....	65
1944.....	53	acres 1949...	928
number 1949...	472	1944.....	1,541
1944.....	3,385	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	45
dollars 1949...	8,119	1944.....	88
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	114	acres 1949...	3,653
number 1949...	582	1944.....	4,375
dollars 1949...	13,596	bushels 1949...	27,586
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	55,478
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	609	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	146
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	419	1944.....	281
number 1949...	857	acres 1949...	9,976
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	347	1944.....	18,422
1944.....	511	bushels 1949...	116,675
number 1949...	556	1944.....	145,588
1944.....	727	Annual legumes:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	79	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	41	1944 ²	
1944.....	101	acres 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	469	1944 ²	
1944.....	699	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	1,146	1944.....	
1944.....	1,729	acres 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	141	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	2,469	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949...	12
		1944.....	2
		100-lb. bags 1949...	225
		1944.....	4

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Farms.....number 1950...	1,017	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	24
1945.....	1,038	1945.....	54
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	759,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
1945.....	759,040	1945.....	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	101.6	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	15
1945.....	101.6	1945.....	27
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	410,254	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	10
1945.....	417,855	1945.....	15
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,545	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	8
1945.....	4,545	1945.....	7
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	61,147	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	4
1945.....	61,147	1945.....	8
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	771,507	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	17
1945.....	781,290	1945.....	12
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	781,290	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	64
1945.....	781,290	1945.....	77
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	758.6	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	10
1945.....	734.8	1945.....	10
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	48,022	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	21,580	1945.....	16
average per acre, dollars 1950*	64.48	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	16
1945.....	29.09	1945.....	289
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	295
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	969	1945.....	524
1944.....	968	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	358
acres 1949.....	285,430	1945.....	255
1944.....	288,633	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	218
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	
1944.....	11		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4		
1944.....	10		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
1944.....	5		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16		
1944.....	23		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	109		
1944.....	83		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	274		
1944.....	223		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	553		
1944.....	613		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	165		
1944.....	290		
acres 1949.....	10,588		
1944.....	8,070		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	915		
1944.....	253,823		
acres 1949.....	198,888		
1944.....	904		
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	236,323		
1944.....	52		
acres 1949.....	366		
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	366		
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	486		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	250		
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	17,800		
1944.....	11		
acres 1949.....	1,051		
1944.....	305		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
1944.....	9		
acres 1949.....	606		
1944.....	214		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	660		
1944.....	763		
acres 1949.....	198,219		
1944.....	245,554		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	858		
1944.....	1,008		
acres 1949.....	21,710		
1944.....	23,578		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	78		
1944.....	55		
acres 1949.....	7,547		
1944.....	4,457		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	632		
1944.....	361		
acres 1949.....	180		
1944.....	155		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	88		
1944.....	284		
acres 1949.....	219		
1944.....	103		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	63		
1944.....	63		
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	632	Farms by color of operator:	
1945.....	361	White operators.....number 1950...	1,017
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	180	1945.....	1,038
1945.....	155	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	88	1945.....	
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	284	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	219	Full owners.....number 1950...	264
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	103	1945.....	257
1944.....	63	Part owners.....number 1950...	404
		1945.....	421
		Managers.....number 1950...	8
		1945.....	3
		All tenants.....number 1950...	341
		1945.....	355
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	33.5
		1945.....	34.3
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	25
		1945.....	47
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	75
		1945.....	58
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	217
		1945.....	249
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	199
		1945.....	18
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
		1945.....	1
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
		1945.....	18
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	765
		1945.....	556
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	871
		1945.....	498
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	861
		1945.....	9,200
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	456
		1945.....	241
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	145
		1945.....	754
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	73
		1945.....	
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	59
		1945.....	754
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	967
		1945.....	22
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		1945.....	40
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		1945.....	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		1945.....	89
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	100
		1945.....	
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	47	Corn:	
1945.....	81	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	142
number 1950.....	2,755	1944.....	422
1945.....	16,107	acres 1949.....	4,454
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	17,820
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	44	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	100
1950.....	1,685	1944.....	594
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	43	acres 1949.....	2,945
1945 ¹	68	1944.....	15,426
number 1950.....	1,597	bushels 1949.....	54,165
1945 ¹	8,989	1944.....	250,017
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	86
1950.....	88	acres 1949.....	1,082
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	87	tons..green weight 1949...	5,326
1950.....	1,070	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	35	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	74	acres 1949.....	427
number shorn 1949.....	2,670	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	19,882	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	224
1944.....	95,879	1944.....	454
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	4,915
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	10,528
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	717	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1945.....	890	1944.....	24
number 1950.....	69,032	acres 1949.....	542
1945.....	114,852	1944.....	9
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	545	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949.....	33,459	acres 1949.....	276
dollars 1949.....	29,856	tons..green weight 1949...	1,379
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	578	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dozens 1949.....	442,405	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	215
dollars 1949.....	149,854	acres 1949.....	4,615
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	24	tons cut 1949...	6,941
1950.....	127	Small grains:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	40	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	27
number 1949.....	8,819	acres 1949.....	877
1944.....	1,021	bushels 1949.....	22,247
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	899
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	870
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	684	acres 1949.....	227,100
dollars 1949.....	3,889,298	1944.....	159,661
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	639	bushels 1949.....	4,808,708
1944.....	762	1944.....	4,150,804
number 1949.....	15,924	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	88
1944.....	14,692	acres 1949.....	2,680
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	483	1944.....	501
number 1949.....	8,351	bushels 1949.....	32,671
dollars 1949.....	1,518,804	1944.....	2,585
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	429	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	505
number 1949.....	5,573	1944.....	394
dollars 1949.....	505,058	acres 1949.....	7,759
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	308	1944.....	11,011
1944.....	658	bushels 1949.....	288,900
number 1949.....	8,187	1944.....	284,425
1944.....	20,322	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	178
dollars 1949.....	2,084,288	acres 1949.....	280
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1944.....	2,948
1944.....	71	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	272
number 1949.....	4,545	1944.....	650
1944.....	7,657	acres 1949.....	9,709
dollars 1949.....	77,872	1944.....	28,955
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	32	bushels 1949.....	233,464
number 1949.....	55	1944.....	486,687
dollars 1949.....	2,878	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	42
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	559	acres 1949.....	181
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	410	1944.....	1,305
number 1949.....	508	bushels 1949.....	2,500
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	192	1944.....	12,375
1944.....	251	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	229	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	289	1944 ²	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	221	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	214	1944 ²	
number 1949.....	279	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	243	1944.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	358	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	692	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	645	1944.....	
1944.....	1,591	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres 1949.....	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	147	tons 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	2,809	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	40
		1944.....	45
		acres 1949.....	1,409
		1944.....	1,142
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	21,846
		1944.....	10,291

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	266	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	8,908	acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	89	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	59	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	2,151	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	1,008	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	5,512	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	2,087	1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	1	1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	3	1944.....	
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	3	1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	98	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	20	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	1,185	1944.....	
1944.....	323	Other vegetables....., acres 1949...	
tons 1949.....	1,469		
1944.....	404	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	97	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	65	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	4,764	quarts 1949.....	70
1944.....	4,585	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	4,885	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	88
1944.....	4,528	1945.....	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	60	acres 1950 ²	10
1944.....	92	1945.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	985	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	37
1944.....	1,570	1945.....	21
tons 1949.....	1,206	trees of all ages..number 1950...	192
1944.....	2,469	1945.....	87
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	85
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	109
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	112
Field crops (other):		1944.....	68
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	14
1944.....	3	1945.....	3
acres 1949.....	87	trees of all ages..number 1950...	58
1944.....	47	1945.....	6
bushels 1949.....	65	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	25
1944.....	108	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	11
acres 1949.....		1944.....	1
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	5
bushels 1949.....		1945.....	1
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	6
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	2
acres 1949.....	28	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6
bushels 1949.....	71	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	47	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....	112	1944.....	
acres 1949 ¹	446	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	65
1944.....	1,287	1945.....	29
bushels 1949.....	105,884	trees of all ages..number 1950...	370
1944.....	188,534	1945.....	148
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	154
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	216
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....		quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	1,503
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1944.....	1,890
1944.....	52	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	29
acres 1949.....	584	1945.....	14
1944.....	845	trees of all ages..number 1950...	404
tons 1949.....	7,965	1945.....	92
1944.....	11,845	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	182
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	222
acres 1949...	10	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	51
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	49	1944.....	22
1944.....	665	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	8
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	4
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	26
acres 1949.....	14	1945.....	14
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	24
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	33
1944.....	650	1944.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	8
1944.....		1945.....	2
acres 1949.....	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	48
1944.....		1945.....	7
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	28
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	76
1944.....		1944.....	10

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...	1,192	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	68
1945.....	1,233	1945.....	33
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	364,600	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	15
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.1	1945.....	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	142,439	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	53
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	216,474	1945.....	28
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,360	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	34
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33,712	1945.....	42
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	232,361	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	21
1945.....	215,082	1945.....	17
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	278.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	12
1945.....	255.5	1945.....	25
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	22,971	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	51
1945.....	14,609	1945.....	63
average per acre, dollars 1950*	83.16	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	47
1945.....	57.17	1945.....	29
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	172
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,118	1945.....	221
1944.....	1,178	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	81
acres 1949.....	252,433	1945.....	99
1944.....	217,368	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	154
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1945.....	192
1944.....	31	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	447
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1945.....	432
1944.....	14	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	92
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	79
1944.....	16	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	13
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945.....	1
1944.....	30		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	83	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	190	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	394	White operators.....number 1950...	1,192
1944.....	446	1945.....	1,233
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	551	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	5
1944.....	452	1945.....	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	435	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	433	Full owners.....number 1950...	304
acres 1949.....	9,423	1945.....	270
1944.....	5,756	Part owners.....number 1950...	407
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	588	1945.....	319
1944.....	18,617	Managers.....number 1950...	3
acres 1949.....	35,601	1945.....	6
1944.....	248	All tenants.....number 1950...	478
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	7,111	1945.....	638
acres 1949.....	215	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	40.1
1944.....	32	1945.....	51.7
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	34
1944.....	32	1945.....	24
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	308
1944.....	1	1945.....	53
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	353	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	560
1944.....	10,933	1945.....	109
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	39	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	9
acres 1949.....	19	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944.....	1,329	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,523	1945.....	1
1944.....	46	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	17
acres 1949.....	42		
1944.....	571	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	264	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	563
1944.....	772	1945.....	350
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	968	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	837
1944.....	968	1945.....	257
acres 1949.....	36,775	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	817
1944.....	37,947	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.36
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,122	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	245
1944.....	1,221	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	82
acres 1949.....	13,963	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	86
1944.....	16,620	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	644
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	98	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	60
1944.....	20	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	9,002	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	56
1944.....	1,465	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	594
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	number 1950...	614
acres 1949.....	160	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	332
		number 1950...	568
FARM OPERATORS		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,033	number 1950...	41
1945.....	1,128	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	32
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	139	number 1950...	43
1945.....	105	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	212
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	84	number 1950...	238
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	304		
1944.....	113		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	89		
1944.....	36		

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	43	Corn:	
1945.....	81	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,060
number 1950.....	4,002	1944.....	1,135
1945.....	2,382	acres 1949.....	100,700
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	98,918
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,039
number 1950.....	3,415	1944.....	1,134
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	39	acres 1949.....	98,497
1945 ¹	74	1944.....	97,498
number 1950.....	2,065	bushels 1949.....	2,758,736
1945 ¹	1,754	1944.....	3,095,126
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	150
number 1950.....	1,350	acres 1949.....	1,430
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	29	tons..green weight 1949...	7,820
number 1950.....	587	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	31	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	63
1944.....	65	acres 1949.....	773
number shorn 1949.....	822	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	7,472	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	466
1944.....	17,904	1944.....	952
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	11,398
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	14,791
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	961	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	361
1945.....	1,120	1944.....	384
number 1950.....	118,897	acres 1949.....	10,251
1945.....	165,599	1944.....	8,326
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	724	bushels 1949.....	278,000
number 1949.....	109,886	1944.....	223,001
dollars 1949.....	95,361	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	899	acres 1949.....	308
dozens 1949.....	981,561	tons..green weight 1949...	1,681
dollars 1949.....	341,471	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	6	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	124
number 1950.....	29	acres 1949.....	839
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	7	tons cut 1949...	1,194
1944.....	29	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	1,741	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	3,705	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	211
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	8,178
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	92,213
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	958	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	982
dollars 1949.....	1,982,225	1944.....	696
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	882	acres 1949...	92,834
1944.....	890	1944.....	56,399
number 1949.....	8,005	bushels 1949...	786,357
1944.....	7,997	1944.....	295,493
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	701	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949.....	6,042	acres 1949...	398
dollars 1949.....	994,916	1944.....	16
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	475	bushels 1949...	3,929
number 1949.....	1,963	1944.....	100
dollars 1949.....	164,760	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	688
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	684	1944.....	763
1944.....	861	acres 1949...	17,424
number 1949.....	19,148	1944.....	24,971
1944.....	24,837	bushels 1949...	239,365
dollars 1949.....	740,112	1944.....	300,938
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1944.....	53	1944.....	230
number 1949.....	3,828	acres 1949...	518
1944.....	1,882	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
dollars 1949.....	76,023	1944.....	282
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	73	acres 1949...	238
number 1949.....	194	1944.....	8,048
dollars 1949.....	6,414	bushels 1949...	2,995
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	51,892
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	778	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	489	1944.....	90
number 1949.....	567	acres 1949...	274
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	247	1944.....	1,308
1944.....	533	bushels 1949...	1,598
number 1949.....	282	1944.....	11,546
1944.....	509	Annual legumes:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	250	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	119	1944 ²	1
number 1949.....	285	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	121	1944 ²	7
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	664	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	923	1944.....	1
number 1949.....	1,070	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	1,755	bushels 1949...	35
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	194	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	5,322	tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	447	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	779
.....1945.....	292	.....number 1950.....	163
.....number 1950.....	468	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	306	.....number 1950.....	34
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,112	.....number 1950.....	124
.....1945.....	1,129	.....number 1950.....	54
.....number 1950.....	1,577	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	1,329		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,112		
.....number 1950.....	1,552		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15		
.....number 1950.....	15		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,237		
.....1945.....	1,268		
.....number 1950.....	1,593		
.....1945.....	1,483		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	128		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	88		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	737		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	355		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,259
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	120	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	22
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	390	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	233
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	486	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	552
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	336	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	242
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	134
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	63
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	791	Other farms.....number 1950.....	37
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	135	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	17
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	17
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,985,452
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	972	.....1944.....	6,254,017
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	240	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,361,363
		.....1944.....	1,421,452
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,360,338
		.....1944.....	1,813,368
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	387
		.....1944.....	799
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	638
		.....1944.....	185
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,000
		.....1944.....	7,100
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,622,047
		.....1944.....	4,433,565
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	311,001
		.....1944.....	281,538
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	656,723
		.....1944.....	725,206
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,654,316
		.....1944.....	3,425,821
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	42
		.....1944.....	
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	824
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,262	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	815
.....persons 1950.....	2,488	.....1945.....	1,146
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,262	.....number 1950.....	1,978
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,227	.....1945.....	1,838
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	807	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	18
.....persons 1950.....	1,117	.....1945.....	105
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	102	.....number 1950.....	29
.....persons 1950.....	144	.....1945.....	107
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,181
		.....1945.....	1,233
		.....number 1950.....	26,821
		.....1945.....	34,381
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,151
		.....1945.....	1,212
		.....number 1950.....	9,985
		.....1945.....	12,541
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,028
		.....number 1950.....	4,756
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	811
		.....number 1950.....	5,469
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	934
		.....number 1950.....	7,981
		.....number 1950.....	871
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,987
		.....number 1950.....	70
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	52
		.....1944.....	2,210,573
		.....pounds 1949.....	917,921
		.....1944.....	81,825
		.....dollars 1949.....	676
		.....1944.....	929
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	410,888
		.....1944.....	503,719
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	229,176
		.....1944.....	
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	
		HOGS	
		Hog and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,070
		.....1945.....	1,113
		.....number 1950.....	52,628
		.....1945.....	45,421
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,039
		.....number 1950.....	22,611
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	566
		.....number 1950.....	29,417
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	589
		.....1945.....	909
		.....number 1950.....	11,807
		.....1945.....	10,639

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Corn:	
1945.....	74	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,211
number 1950...	2,315	1944.....	1,259
1945.....	2,315	acres 1949...	96,182
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	106,889
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	39	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,192
1944.....	1,246	1944.....	1,258
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	38	acres 1949...	95,226
1945 ¹	64	1944.....	106,393
number 1950...	1,189	bushels 1949...	3,567,046
1945 ¹	1,769	1944.....	4,173,400
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	19	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1945.....	57	acres 1949...	258
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	35	tons..green weight 1949...	1,948
number 1950...	1,069	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	34	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	75
1944.....	58	acres 1949...	698
number shorn 1949...	987	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	8,161	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	15,225	1944.....	127
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	48
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	819
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,179	acres 1949...	1
1945.....	1,273	1944.....	28
number 1950...	191,891	bushels 1949...	1
1945.....	255,652	1944.....	242
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	990	bushels 1949...	20
number 1949...	166,171	1944.....	4,295
dollars 1949...	146,020	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,122	acres 1949...	46
dozens 1949...	1,526,193	tons..green weight 1949...	250
dollars 1949...	503,967	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...		cut for dry storage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...		acres 1949...	1
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	4	tons cut 1949...	
1944.....		Small grains:	
number 1949...	454	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	116
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	3,334
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	63,908
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,195	1944.....	691
dollars 1949...	5,646,587	acres 1949...	326
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,057	1944.....	24,232
1944.....	1,082	acres 1949...	9,814
number 1949...	16,525	bushels 1949...	381,178
1944.....	13,385	1944.....	83,326
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	869	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1949...	14,494	acres 1949...	372
dollars 1949...	2,726,724	1944.....	42
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	368	bushels 1949...	4,565
number 1949...	2,431	1944.....	500
dollars 1949...	272,283	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,094
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,076	1944.....	1,063
1944.....	1,181	acres 1949...	43,322
number 1949...	62,201	1944.....	37,134
1944.....	71,944	bushels 1949...	1,059,268
dollars 1949...	2,557,346	1944.....	562,988
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	59	acres 1949...	45
number 1949...	3,383	1944.....	103
1944.....	1,978	1944.....	639
dollars 1949...	87,647	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	67	1944.....	344
number 1949...	119	acres 1949...	383
dollars 1949...	4,577	1944.....	7,162
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	7,121
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,220	1944.....	57,705
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	550	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1949...	633	1944.....	73
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	373	acres 1949...	109
1944.....	390	1944.....	894
number 1949...	418	bushels 1949...	1,417
1944.....	419	1944.....	11,804
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	192	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	175	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949...	215	1944 ²	24
1944.....	196	acres 1949...	168
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	961	1944 ²	209
1944.....	1,132	farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949...	1,986	1944.....	23
1944.....	2,753	acres 1949...	161
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	200
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	180	bushels 1949...	1,695
dollars 1949...	2,048	1944.....	3,151

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,041	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	22,621	.....acres 1949...	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	946	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944...	936	.....1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	14,364	.....acres 1949...	(*) 2
.....1944...	12,385	.....1944...	.....
.....tons 1949...	32,716	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	29,392	.....1944...	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	62	.....acres 1949...	(*) 1
.....1944...	18	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	708	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944...	140	.....1944...	1
.....tons 1949...	879	.....acres 1949...	(*) 2
.....1944...	159	.....1944...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944...	11	.....acres 1949...	5
.....acres 1949...	167	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	117	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
.....tons 1949...	253		
.....1944...	53	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	405	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	6
.....1944...	582	.....acres 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	7,190	.....quarts 1949...	935
.....1944...	10,874	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....tons 1949...	9,557	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	583
.....1944...	12,110	.....1945...	54
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	72	.....acres 1950 ² ...	47
.....acres 1949...	646	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	781	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	511
.....tons 1949...	752	.....1945...	359
.....1944...	1,123	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,346
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	2,399
.....acres 1949...	17	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,902
.....tons..green weight 1949...	100	.....1945...	1,444
Field crops (other):		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,469
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	32	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,469
.....1944...	43	.....1944...	359
.....acres 1949...	273	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	226
.....1944...	289	.....1945...	96
.....bushels 1949...	234	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	811
.....1944...	259	.....1945...	559
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	59	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	216
.....1944...	15	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	595
.....acres 1949...	695	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	692
.....1944...	143	.....1944...	.....
.....bushels 1949...	811	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	195
.....1944...	238	.....1945...	97
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	39	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	419
.....acres 1949...	520	.....1945...	222
.....bushels 1949...	747	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	219
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	629	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	200
.....1944...	581	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	288
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	53	.....1944...	9
.....1944...	127	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	407
.....bushels 1949...	8,103	.....1945...	239
.....1944...	5,566	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,586
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....1945...	1,140
.....acres 1949...	1	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	655
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	29	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	931
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,965
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	160
.....acres 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	249
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	152
.....tons 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	942
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	612
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	348
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	594
.....1944...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	360
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	947	.....1944...	22
.....1944...	1,116	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	130
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	42
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	371
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	254
.....sold..dollars 1949...	387	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	161
.....1944...	799	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	210
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	509
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	(*) 1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	225
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	144
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,628
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	1,607
.....acres 1949...	(*) 1	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	492
.....1944...	.....	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,336
.....acres 1949...	(*) 1	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,518
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	4,032

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...	1,891	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	57
.....1945...	1,915	.....1945...	50
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	365,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....1945...	365,440	.....1945...	16
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	98.0	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	35
.....1945...	98.0	.....1945...	40
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	208,095	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	44
.....1945...	208,095	.....1945...	48
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	187,993	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...	187,993	.....1945...	31
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,297	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....1945...	1,297	.....1945...	16
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	39,149	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	150
.....1945...	39,149	.....1945...	150
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	358,236	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	181
.....1945...	362,399	.....1945...	193
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	189.4	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	644
.....1945...	189.2	.....1945...	618
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	34,887	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	217
.....1945...	21,377	.....1945...	218
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	180.81	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	230
.....1945...	112.96	.....1945...	197
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	282
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,808	.....1945...	329
.....1944...	1,842	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	37
.....acres 1949...	264,099	.....1945...	35
.....1944...	261,945	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	31	.....1945.....	
.....1944...	36		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	31	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	21	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	White operators.....number 1950...	1,890
.....1944...	13	.....1945...	1,915
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	54	.....1945.....	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	310	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	315	Full owners.....number 1950...	736
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,073	.....1945...	732
.....1944...	1,050	Part owners.....number 1950...	378
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	317	.....1945...	374
.....1944...	323	Managers.....number 1950...	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	780	.....1945...	772
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,267	All tenants.....number 1950...	802
.....acres 1949...	25,707	.....1945...	822
.....1944 ¹ ...	34,383	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	40.8
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	101	.....1945...	41.9
.....acres 1949...	2,037	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	150
.....1944...	9,647	.....1945...	218
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	414
.....acres 1949...	385	.....1945...	176
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	160
.....1944...	23	.....1945...	397
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	80	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	108
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,632	.....1945...	52
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	93	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	48
.....acres 1949...	93	.....1945...	11
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	3,489	Other tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	3,546	.....1945...	39
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	122	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
.....acres 1949...	236		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,366	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1944...	1,473	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,529
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,112	.....1945...	1,310
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,002	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,791
.....acres 1949...	41,179	.....1945...	1,264
.....1944 ¹ ...	29,973	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,771
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,857	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.68
.....1944...	1,874	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	870
.....acres 1949...	20,379	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	516
.....1944...	21,432	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	381
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,614
.....acres 1949...	1	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	575
.....1944...	397	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	110	Milk machines.....farms reporting 1950...	229
.....acres 1949.....		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	422
		.....number 1950...	427
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,171
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,709	.....number 1950...	1,177
.....1945...	1,816	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	91
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	64	.....number 1950...	91
.....1945...	93	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	33
with other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	80	.....number 1950...	44
.....1949...	318	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	85
working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	241	.....number 1950...	101
.....1949...	115		
.....1944...	90		

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

Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	586
.....1945.....	393
.....number 1950.....	747
.....1945.....	423
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,659
.....1945.....	1,657
.....number 1950.....	2,508
.....1945.....	2,066
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,654
.....number 1950.....	2,458
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	45
.....number 1950.....	45
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	5
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,760
.....1945.....	1,822
.....number 1950.....	2,394
.....1945.....	2,274
Farms by class of work power:	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	99
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	121
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,215
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	436
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD²	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	71
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	957
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	267
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,054
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	128
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	276
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	50
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.7
Kind of road on which farm is located:	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	118
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,345
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	366
FARM LABOR³	
Week preceding enumeration:	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,826
.....persons 1950.....	3,694
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,801
.....persons 1950.....	1,771
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	951
.....persons 1950.....	1,532
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	256
.....persons 1950.....	391
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁴	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,836
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,661
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,558
.....dollars 1949.....	443,818
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,206
.....dollars 1949.....	833,184
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,775
.....dollars 1949.....	4,228,832
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,700
.....dollars 1949.....	12,337,796
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,598
.....dollars 1949.....	350,235
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,760
.....dollars 1949.....	892,040
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,529
.....dollars 1949.....	335,691
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,628
.....dollars 1949.....	478,387
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD	
No sales.....number 1950.....	15
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	38
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	5
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	5
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	42
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	28
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	75
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	176
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	348
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	485
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	674
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	112
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	112
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.....	21

Item	County total
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	1,525
General farms.....number 1950.....	358
Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	5
Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	61
Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	92
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	75
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,821
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	230
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	444
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	488
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	321
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	87
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	51
Other farms.....number 1950.....	17
Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	53
Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	26,901,467
.....1944.....	15,973,665
All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,777,705
.....1944.....	1,482,062
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,772,601
.....1944.....	1,480,393
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	436
.....1944.....	425
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,368
.....1944.....	1,224
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,300
.....1944.....	20
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,123,359
.....1944.....	14,490,588
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	677,122
.....1944.....	653,930
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,084,962
.....1944.....	1,166,223
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	23,361,275
.....1944.....	12,870,435
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	403
.....1944.....	1,035
HORSES AND MULES	
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,290
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,274
.....1945.....	1,736
.....number 1950.....	3,336
.....1945.....	6,556
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	32
.....1945.....	110
.....number 1950.....	60
.....1945.....	215
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,751
.....1945.....	1,808
.....number 1950.....	68,292
.....1945.....	81,969
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,680
.....1945.....	1,762
.....number 1950.....	33,172
.....1945.....	16,721
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,598
.....number 1950.....	9,317
.....number 1950.....	1,253
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	11,108
.....number 1950.....	1,498
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	39,332
.....number 1950.....	1,203
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,660
.....number 1950.....	133
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	100
.....1944.....	3,451,535
.....pounds 1949.....	4,383,340
.....1944.....	127,585
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,265
.....1944.....	1,550
.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	923,648
.....1944.....	1,008,262
.....dollars 1949.....	519,426
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
.....dollars 1949.....	131
HOGS	
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,640
.....1945.....	1,657
.....number 1950.....	115,416
.....1945.....	91,528
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,582
.....number 1950.....	44,632
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	934
.....number 1950.....	66,784
.....number 1950.....	1,444
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,381
.....1945.....	25,691
.....number 1950.....	22,027
.....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
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,577	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949.....	33,034	.....acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,437	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944.....	1,508	.....1944.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	23,178	.....acres 1949.....	2
.....1944.....	26,135	.....1944.....	1
.....tons 1949.....	52,531	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
.....1944.....	72,221	.....1944.....	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	47	.....acres 1949.....	(*)
.....1944.....	89	.....1944.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	853	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944.....	921	.....1944.....	3
.....tons 1949.....	1,174	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944.....	1,122	.....1944.....	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	37	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944.....	15	.....acres 1949...	2
.....acres 1949.....	618	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	222	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1949.....	734	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	18
.....1944.....	126	.....acres 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	522	.....quarts 1949...	992
.....1944.....	690	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949.....	7,093	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	911
.....1944.....	10,108	.....1945.....	83
.....tons 1949.....	10,207	.....acres 1950 ² ...	206
.....1944.....	11,825	.....1945.....	74
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	111	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	794
.....acres 1949...	1,318	.....1945.....	715
.....1944.....	1,177	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,038
.....tons 1949.....	1,714	.....1945.....	5,351
.....1944.....	1,665	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,761
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,277
.....acres 1949.....	96	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,107
.....tons..green weight 1949.....	385	.....1944.....	1,461
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	399
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....1945.....	262
.....1944.....	46	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,957
.....acres 1949.....	157	.....1945.....	1,502
.....1944.....	430	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	515
.....bushels 1949.....	111	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,412
.....1944.....	380	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,527
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	45	.....1944.....	.....
.....1944.....	72	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	299
.....acres 1949.....	618	.....1945.....	196
.....1944.....	842	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	808
.....bushels 1949.....	498	.....1945.....	491
.....1944.....	1,023	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	336
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	43	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	472
.....acres 1949.....	408	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	522
.....bushels 1949.....	845	.....1944.....	62
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	589	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	590
.....1944.....	1,123	.....1945.....	487
.....acres 1949 ¹	60	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,528
.....1944.....	356	.....1945.....	3,410
.....bushels 1949.....	7,616	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,099
.....1944.....	12,989	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,429
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	6,997
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....1944.....	615
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	30	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	315
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	300
.....1944.....	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,403
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,511
.....1944.....	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	392
.....tons 1949.....	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,011
.....1944.....	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	509
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1944.....	69
.....acres 1949.....	10	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	168
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,365	.....1945.....	114
.....1944.....	1,589	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	522
.....1945.....	.....	.....1945.....	462
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	170
.....1944.....	4	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	352
.....acres 1949.....	5	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	220
.....1944.....	5	.....1944.....	.....
.....sold..dollars 1949.....	436	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	276
.....1944.....	425	.....1945.....	281
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,419
.....1944.....	(*)	.....1945.....	3,119
.....acres 1949.....	(*)	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	736
.....1944.....	(*)	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,683
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11,197
.....1944.....	.....	.....1944.....	13,661

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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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.....	2,781	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	99
.....1945.....	2,976	.....1945.....	80
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	1,639,680	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	103.6	.....1945.....	12
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	1,087,122	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	87
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	717,210	.....1945.....	68
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	35,960	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	68
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	140,914	.....1945.....	59
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	1,695,378	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	33
.....1945.....	1,665,915	.....1945.....	39
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	611.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	20
.....1945.....	559.8	.....1945.....	22
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*.....	18,352	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	39
.....1945.....	10,347	.....1945.....	40
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	30.38	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	18.48	.....1945.....	52
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	237
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,660	.....1945.....	283
1944.....	2,861	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	109
acres 1949.....	547,788	.....1945.....	120
1944.....	592,781	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	167
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	91	.....1945.....	195
1944.....	61	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	950
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	56	.....1945.....	1,091
1944.....	43	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	674
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	31	.....1945.....	686
1944.....	29	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	344
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	81	.....1945.....	309
1944.....	79		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	378	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	393	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,004	White operators.....number 1950.....	2,781
1944.....	1,113	.....1945.....	2,975
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,019	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	1
1944.....	1,143	.....1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	529	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944*.....	520	Full owners.....number 1950.....	1,095
acres 1949.....	52,807	.....1945.....	873
1944*.....	12,249	Part owners.....number 1950.....	699
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,529	.....1945.....	656
acres 1949.....	80,602	Managers.....number 1950.....	7
1944.....	42,880	.....1945.....	4
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	723	All tenants.....number 1950.....	980
acres 1949.....	31,452	.....1945.....	1,443
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	514	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	35.2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	196	.....1945.....	48.5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	76
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,145	.....1945.....	84
acres 1949.....	49,150	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	577
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	134	.....1945.....	869
1944.....	104	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	243
acres 1949.....	6,003	.....1945.....	481
1944.....	2,635	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	177
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	305	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	66
1944.....	273	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	84
acres 1949.....	8,473	.....1945.....	9
1944.....	2,968	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	13
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,397	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	71
1944*.....	2,746		
acres 1949.....	965,938	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944*.....	972,439	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,960
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,678	.....1945.....	1,801
1944.....	2,914	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,358
acres 1949.....	37,767	.....1945.....	560
1944.....	39,963	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,061
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	178	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	6.12
1944.....	58	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	368
acres 1949.....	8,975	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	200
1944.....	2,594	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	58
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	991
acres 1949.....	283	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	86
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	31
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	96
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	581
		number 1950.....	591
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	817
		number 1950.....	843
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
		number 1950.....	24
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
		number 1950.....	30
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	158
		number 1950.....	210
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	2,561		
.....1945.....	2,813		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	126		
.....1945.....	152		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	258		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	695		
.....1944.....	625		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	207		
.....1944.....	159		

*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...	1,039	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,651
.....1945.....	463	General farms.....number 1950.....	454
.....number 1950.....	1,105	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	19
.....1945.....	485	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	124
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,251	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	311
.....1945.....	1,769	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	161
.....number 1950.....	2,763		
.....1945.....	1,945		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,251		
.....number 1950.....	2,741		
.....1945.....	17		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17		
.....number 1950.....	4		
.....1945.....	5		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,431		
.....number 1950.....	2,624		
.....1945.....	3,010		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,956		
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	221		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	20		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	329		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,871		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	340		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	195		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	638		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	870		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,087		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	9		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	542		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	257		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	959		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	737		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3.6		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	144		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	749		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,845		
FARM LABOR^a			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,687		
.....persons 1950.....	4,961		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,675		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,604		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,312		
.....persons 1950.....	1,984		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	280		
.....persons 1950.....	373		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,761		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,265		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,956		
.....dollars 1949.....	374,865		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,705		
.....dollars 1949.....	714,790		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,526		
.....dollars 1949.....	1,878,222		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,351		
.....dollars 1949.....	2,998,149		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,334		
.....dollars 1949.....	367,732		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,451		
.....dollars 1949.....	1,108,599		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,030		
.....dollars 1949.....	332,869		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,340		
.....dollars 1949.....	428,483		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	59		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	50		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	50		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	50		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	149		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	126		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	356		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	503		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	621		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	538		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	329		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	448		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	448		
Cotton.....number 1950.....			
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....			
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	34		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	33		
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS			
Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,620		
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	84		
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	245		
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	796		
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	866		
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	424		
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	205		
Other farms.....number 1950.....	161		
Part-time ².....number 1950.....	102		
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	59		
Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....			
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE			
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,158,542		
.....1944.....	11,122,732		
All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,730,750		
.....1944.....	2,738,582		
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,718,582		
.....1944.....	2,722,844		
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,746		
.....1944.....	3,855		
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,122		
.....1944.....	2,733		
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,300		
.....1944.....	9,150		
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,427,702		
.....1944.....	8,383,410		
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	687,629		
.....1944.....	776,818		
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	773,739		
.....1944.....	947,191		
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,966,334		
.....1944.....	6,659,401		
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	90		
.....1944.....	740		
HORSES AND MULES			
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,260		
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,250		
.....1945.....	2,641		
.....number 1950.....	9,583		
.....1945.....	16,535		
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	66		
.....1945.....	168		
.....number 1950.....	263		
.....1945.....	491		
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS			
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,575		
.....1945.....	2,769		
.....number 1950.....	139,078		
.....1945.....	141,159		
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,543		
.....1945.....	2,715		
.....number 1950.....	65,131		
.....1945.....	67,414		
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,296		
.....number 1950.....	11,730		
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,030		
.....number 1950.....	27,595		
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,009		
.....number 1950.....	26,319		
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,024		
.....number 1950.....	20,033		
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	141		
.....1944.....	64		
.....gallons 1949.....	2,035,631		
.....1944.....	2,352,797		
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	82,420		
.....dollars 1949.....	1,805		
.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	2,308		
.....1944.....	1,033,023		
.....dollars 1944.....	1,377,745		
.....1944.....	605,184		
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1		
.....dollars 1949.....	25		
HOGS			
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,018		
.....1945.....	2,207		
.....number 1950.....	51,939		
.....1945.....	61,101		
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,942		
.....number 1950.....	28,452		
.....1945.....	935		
.....number 1950.....	23,437		
.....1945.....	1,643		
.....number 1950.....	1,600		
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	12,821		
.....1945.....	12,821		
.....number 1950.....	11,545		
.....1945.....			

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Corn:	
1945.....	137	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,438
number 1950...	4,529	1944.....	2,743
1945.....	10,177	acres 1949.....	236,900
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	280,689
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	71	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,403
number 1950...	2,566	1944.....	2,724
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	68	acres 1949.....	227,819
1945 ¹	120	1944.....	271,559
number 1950...	2,342	bushels 1949.....	5,064,948
1945 ¹	5,138	1944.....	6,415,298
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	44	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	80
number 1950...	224	acres 1949.....	1,296
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	59	tons..green weight 1949...	6,603
number 1950...	1,963	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	62	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	368
1944.....	119	acres 1949...	7,785
number shorn 1949...	3,211	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	27,945	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	940
1944.....	48,872	1944.....	1,983
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr. 14	acres 1949.....	17,556
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	39,501
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,336	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	77
1945.....	2,666	1944.....	182
number 1950...	240,250	acres 1949.....	733
1945.....	353,920	1944.....	1,785
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,459	bushels 1949.....	9,611
number 1949...	129,128	1944.....	28,927
dollars 1949...	115,673	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	29
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,001	acres 1949...	308
dozens 1949...	1,658,314	tons..green weight 1949...	1,787
dollars 1949...	564,421	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	24	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	885
number 1950...	671	acres 1949...	16,515
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	22	tons cut 1949...	24,412
1944.....	54	Small grains:	
number 1949...	16,857	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	12,782	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	105
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	3,305
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	42,946
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,600	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	907
dollars 1949...	11,943,965	1944.....	665
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,459	acres 1949...	49,650
1944.....	2,345	1944.....	29,625
number 1949...	67,170	bushels 1949...	579,579
1944.....	53,103	1944.....	365,797
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,956	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1949...	43,501	acres 1949...	421
dollars 1949...	6,837,893	1944.....	317
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,630	bushels 1949...	3,102
number 1949...	23,669	1944.....	2,248
dollars 1949...	2,144,053	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,115
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,100	1944.....	1,041
1944.....	2,426	acres 1949...	31,531
number 1949...	76,348	1944.....	26,711
1944.....	104,358	bushels 1949...	435,294
dollars 1949...	2,824,244	1944.....	391,727
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	73	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	140
1944.....	99	1944.....	209
number 1949...	3,308	acres 1949...	2,555
1944.....	6,435	1944.....	3,895
dollars 1949...	57,723	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	741
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	352	1944.....	1,539
number 1949...	1,247	acres 1949...	22,615
dollars 1949...	50,052	1944.....	66,827
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	214,096
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,942	1944.....	714,134
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	994	Rye thre.hed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	469
number 1949...	1,115	1944.....	722
1944.....	512	acres 1949...	12,990
number 1949...	780	1944.....	17,037
1944.....	588	bushels 1949...	112,547
1944.....	846	1944.....	187,389
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	493	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	149	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	527	1944 ² ...	2
1944.....	157	acres 1949...	26
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,719	1944 ² ...	5
1944.....	2,259	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	3,178	1944.....	1
1944.....	4,500	acres 1949...	8
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	2
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	351	bushels 1949...	40
dollars 1949...	8,323	1944.....	10
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres 1949...	18
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944.....	3
		acres 1949...	4
		1944.....	8
		100-lb. bags 1949...	60
		1944.....	23

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	724	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....1945...	766	.....1945...	46
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	163,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
.....1945...	163,200	.....1945...	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	93.2	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	39
.....1945...	93.2	.....1945...	45
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	81,235	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...	82,773	.....1945...	28
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	160	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	23
.....1945...	12,112	.....1945...	13
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	152,056	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	14
.....1945...	147,529	.....1945...	42
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	210.0	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	58
.....1945...	192.6	.....1945...	62
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	22,655	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	91
.....1945...	13,390	.....1945...	163
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	110.93	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	177
.....1945...	69.53	.....1945...	80
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	96
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	707	.....1945...	83
.....1944...	747	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	67
acres 1949...	106,451	.....1945...	150
1944...	101,255	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	134
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	48	.....1945...	35
1944...	49	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	30
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945...	4
1944...	17	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
1944...	8	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	30	White operators.....number 1950...	724
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	108	.....1945...	766
1944...	157	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	..
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	327	.....1945...	..
1944...	337	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	178	Full owners.....number 1950...	295
1944...	149	.....1945...	279
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	442	Part owners.....number 1950...	158
1944...	446	.....1945...	96
acres 1949...	13,934	Managers.....number 1950...	1
1944*	12,985	.....1945...	1
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	115	All tenants.....number 1950...	270
1944...	115	.....1945...	390
acres 1949...	3,792	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	37.3
1944...	5,148	.....1945...	50.9
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
1944...	622	.....1945...	37
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	125
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945...	39
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	..	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	85
1944...	102	.....1945...	312
acres 1949...	3,170	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	58
1944...	148	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	27
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	134	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
1944...	8,150	.....1945...	2
acres 1949...	9,164	Other tenants.....number 1950...	..
1944...	78	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	16		
1944...	16	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	3,021	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	335
1944...	459	.....1945...	352
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	180	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	371
1944...	286	.....1945...	554
acres 1949...	7,651	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	566
1944...	9,978	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.25
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	667	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	305
1944...	765	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	139
acres 1949...	9,057	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	95
1944...	8,540	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	520
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	..	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	162
1944...	..	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
acres 1949...	..	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	53
1944...	..	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	87
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	..	.....number 1950...	87
1944...	..	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	339
acres 1949...	..	.....number 1950...	339
1944...	..	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	16
acres 1949...	..	.....number 1950...	16
1944...	..	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	41
acres 1949...	..	.....number 1950...	41
1944...	..	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	14
acres 1949...	..	.....number 1950...	19
1944...	..		
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	655		
.....1945...	797		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	42		
.....1945...	8		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	52		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	147		
.....1944...	106		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	65		
.....1944...	63		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	225	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	402
.....1945.....	143	General farms.....number 1950...	67
.....number 1950.....	286	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	152	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	536	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	67
.....1945.....	586	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	54
.....number 1950.....	731		
.....1945.....	702	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	536	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	670
.....number 1950.....	715	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	12
.....10.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	101
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	231
.....number 1950.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	145
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	501	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	100
.....number 1950.....	601	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	61
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	686	Other farms.....number 1950.....	54
.....1945.....	678	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	36
.....number 1950.....	781	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	18
.....1945.....	781	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	67	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,618,777
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	.....1944.....	4,050,902
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	39	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,388,494
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	397	.....1944.....	1,009,626
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	204	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,379,801
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	999,655
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,446
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	.....1944.....	9,111
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	255	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	447
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	162	.....1944.....	860
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	154	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,800
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	.....1944.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,229,043
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	.....1944.....	3,040,186
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	158,738
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	227	.....1944.....	166,633
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	159,302
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.6	.....1944.....	191,780
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,911,003
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	.....1944.....	2,681,773
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	215	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,240
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	336	.....1944.....	1,090
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	423
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	515	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	412
.....persons 1950.....	1,014	.....1945.....	680
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	505	.....number 1950.....	1,048
Operators.....persons 1950.....	490	.....1945.....	2,775
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	242	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	31
.....persons 1950.....	392	.....1945.....	70
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	.....number 1950.....	81
.....persons 1950.....	132	.....1945.....	159
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	596	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	585
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	526	.....1945.....	713
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	445	.....number 1950.....	13,077
.....dollars 1949.....	106,224	.....1945.....	22,089
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	441	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
.....dollars 1949.....	253,479	.....1945 ³	681
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	481	.....number 1950.....	3,914
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	451,766	.....1945 ³	6,494
.....dollars 1949.....	1,033,752	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	520
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	411	.....number 1950.....	2,426
.....dollars 1949.....	90,374	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	411
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	526	.....number 1950.....	2,872
.....dollars 1949.....	249,331	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	418
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	441	.....number 1950.....	4,810
.....dollars 1949.....	76,988	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	362
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	491	.....number 1950.....	1,481
.....dollars 1949.....	122,734	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	73
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	71
No sales.....number 1950.....	6	.....pounds 1949.....	1,511,769
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	12	.....1944.....	1,998,451
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	11	.....dollars 1949.....	38,742
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	23	.....1949.....	338
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	17	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	169,860
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	84	.....1944.....	227,956
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	62	.....dollars 1949.....	99,927
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	100	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	134	.....dollars 1949.....	69
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	162	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	113	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	578
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	665
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	184	.....number 1950.....	30,014
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	184	.....1945.....	25,618
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	362
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	15,396
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	278
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	14,618
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	6	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	526
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	11	.....1945.....	580
		.....number 1950.....	8,580
		.....1945.....	6,467

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Corn:	
1945.....	23	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	692
number 1950...	1,009	1944.....	728
1945.....	2,363	acres 1949...	63,952
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	63,795
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	691
number 1950...	730	1944.....	728
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	23	acres 1949...	62,298
1945 ¹ ..	14	1944.....	63,563
number 1950...	503	bushels 1949...	2,596,555
1945 ¹ ..	1,036	1944.....	3,036,320
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	40
number 1950...	227	acres 1949...	914
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	16	tons .green weight 1949...	9,136
number 1950...	279	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	18	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	55
1944.....	11	acres 1949...	740
number shorn 1949...	473	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	3,768	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	8,946	1944.....	55
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	13
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	576
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	556	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	694	1944.....	11
number 1950...	58,503	acres 1949...	4
1945.....	79,457	1944.....	46
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	339	bushels 1949...	175
number 1949...	38,537	1944.....	1,595
dollars 1949...	38,148	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	433	acres 1949...	9
dozens 1949...	336,571	tons .green weight 1949...	75
dollars 1949...	120,741	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...		acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...		tons cut 1949...	
1944.....	1	Small grains:	
number 1949...		Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	68	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	21
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	522
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	12,390
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	622	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
dollars 1949...	3,889,620	1944.....	23
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	501	acres 1949...	776
1944.....	574	1944.....	564
number 1949...	11,896	bushels 1949...	9,398
1944.....	14,806	1944.....	10,799
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	402	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number 1949...	10,406	acres 1949...	568
dollars 1949...	2,072,305	1944.....	36
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	202	bushels 1949...	5,879
number 1949...	1,490	1944.....	500
dollars 1949...	171,312	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	551
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	579	acres 1949...	557
1944.....	648	1949...	27,713
number 1949...	39,541	1944.....	20,307
1944.....	36,493	bushels 1949...	770,284
dollars 1949...	1,628,895	1944.....	521,066
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	28
1944.....	16	1944.....	26
number 1949...	595	acres 1949...	357
1944.....	2,503	1944.....	481
dollars 1949...	11,223	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	63
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1944.....	142
number 1949...	140	acres 1949...	1,761
dollars 1949...	5,885	1944.....	3,433
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	41,554
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	484	1944.....	68,030
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	178	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	322	1944.....	15
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	86	acres 1949...	176
1944.....	196	1944.....	130
number 1949...	102	bushels 1949...	2,565
1944.....	217	1944.....	1,720
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	95	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	8	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949...	220	1944 ² ..	28
1944.....	8	acres 1949...	599
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	464	1944 ² ..	441
1944.....	609	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949...	1,202	1944.....	25
1944.....	1,551	acres 1949...	599
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	423
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	31	bushels 1949...	14,068
dollars 1949...	508	1944.....	10,380
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	518	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	9,739	acres 1949...	18
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	468	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944...	473	1944...	6
acres 1949...	7,609	acres 1949...	26
1944...	7,958	1944...	10
tons 1949...	14,027	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	18,564	1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10	acres 1949...	1
1944...	6	1944...	1
acres 1949...	186	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944...	51	1944...	7
tons 1949...	144	acres 1949...	13
1944...	74	1944...	12
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	7	acres 1949...	9
acres 1949...	257	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	22
1944...	111	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	272	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	122	acres 1949...	(*)
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	76	quarts 1949...	65
1944...	87	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	1,178	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	229
1944...	1,373	1945...	48
tons 1949...	1,362	acres 1950 ² ...	36
1944...	2,228	1945...	80
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	56	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	202
acres 1949...	723	1945...	259
1944...	717	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,494
tons 1949...	699	1945...	1,723
1944...	971	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	798
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	696
acres 1949...	50	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	766
tons..green weight 1949...	250	1944...	1,693
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945...	17
1944...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	64
acres 1949...	22	1945...	51
1944...	96	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	34
bushels 1949...	13	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	30
1944...	67	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	34
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	2
1944...	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	42
acres 1949...	20	1945...	18
1944...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	101
bushels 1949...	20	1945...	45
1944...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	53
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	48
acres 1949...	332	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	48
1944...	1,065	1944...	2
bushels 1949...	13	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	122
1944...	67	1945...	179
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	424
1944...	1	1945...	656
acres 1949...	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	216
1944...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	208
bushels 1949...	20	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	876
1944...	5	1944...	790
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	105
acres 1949...	332	1945...	99
1944...	1,065	trees of all ages..number 1950...	436
bushels 1949...	13	1945...	437
1944...	67	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	148
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	288
1944...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	183
acres 1949...	20	1944...	5
1944...	5	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	19
bushels 1949...	20	1945...	7
1944...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	47
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945...	19
acres 1949...	332	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	19
1944...	1,065	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	28
bushels 1949...	13	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	17
1944...	67	1944...	1
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	39
1944...	1	1945...	97
acres 1949...	20	vines of all ages..number 1950...	497
1944...	5	1945...	1,465
bushels 1949...	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	157
1944...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	240
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,536
acres 1949...	332	1944...	2,088
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
bushels 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
bushels 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
bushels 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
bushels 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
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Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
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Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
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Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
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1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
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Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
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Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
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Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
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Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
bushels 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
acres 1949...	332		
1944...	1,065		
bushels 1949...	13		
1944...	67		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944...	1		
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
bushels 1949...	20		
1944...	5		
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12		</

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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...	688	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....1945...	670	.....1945...	9
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	888,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	888,960	.....1945...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	98.7	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....1945...	98.7	.....1945...	7
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	518,813	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	518,813	.....1945...	5
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	357,858	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945...	357,858	.....1945...	8
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,941	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	7
.....1945...	29,941	.....1945...	4
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	28,898	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	28,898	.....1945...	9
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	877,744	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	877,744	.....1945...	5
Average size of farm.....acres 1950*	1,275.8	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....1945*	1,272.5	.....1945...	25
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	28,443	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945*	13,428	.....1945...	11
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	22.15	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	15
.....1945*	12.12	.....1945...	18
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	141
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	652	.....1945...	160
.....1944...	643	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	184
.....acres 1949...	168,638	.....1945...	159
.....1944...	161,094	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	234
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12	.....1945...	234
.....1944...	6		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	11	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	White operators.....number 1950...	687
.....1944...	11	.....1945...	670
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	19	.....1945...	1
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	66	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	79	Full owners.....number 1950...	267
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	203	.....1945...	224
.....1944...	203	Part owners.....number 1950...	235
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	331	.....1945...	200
.....1944...	314	Managers.....number 1950...	5
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	67	.....1945...	2
.....1944 ¹ ...	120	All tenants.....number 1950...	181
.....acres 1949...	2,759	.....1945...	244
.....1944 ¹ ...	5,511	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	26.3
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	402	.....1945...	36.4
.....acres 1949...	41,851	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	38
.....1944...	27,127	.....1945...	65
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	364	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	55
.....acres 1949...	35,968	.....1945...	53
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	135	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	73
.....1944...	184	.....1945...	125
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	46
.....1944...	101	.....1945...	27
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	5,883	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....acres 1949...	197	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	39	.....1945...	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	84,846	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	15,499		
.....1944...	31	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	493
.....acres 1949...	11,069	.....1945...	414
.....1944...	45	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	497
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	552	.....1945...	229
.....1944 ¹ ...	645	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	357
.....acres 1949...	557,458	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.35
.....1944 ¹ ...	633,477	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	180
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	672	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	86
.....1944...	654	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	44
.....acres 1949...	11,123	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	347
.....1944...	9,793	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	48
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	4
.....1944...	28	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	36
.....acres 1949...	8,293	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	281
.....1944...	4,843	.....number 1950...	316
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	59
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....number 1950...	59
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		.....number 1950...	21
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		.....number 1950...	11
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	..
		.....number 1950...	..
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	637		
.....1945...	642		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	47		
.....1945...	26		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	86		
.....1949...	205		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	119		
.....1944...	83		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	34		
.....1944...	34		

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...	461	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	320
.....1945.....	296	General farms.....number 1950...	79
.....number 1950.....	558	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	316	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	615	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	559	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	69
.....number 1950.....	931	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	50
.....1945.....	674		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	613	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	867	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	638
.....1945.....	26	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	46
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	151
.....number 1950.....	26	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	265
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	132
.....number 1950.....	38	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	54
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	605	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	12
.....1945.....	591	Other farms.....number 1950...	52
.....number 1950.....	820	Part-time ².....number 1950...	27
.....1945.....	669	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	21
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	48	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,343,457
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	37	.....1944.....	3,246,633
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	505	All crops sold.....dollar 1949...	2,776,859
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	88	.....1944.....	862,633
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,752,573
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	618,522
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,719
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	136	.....1944.....	2,035
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	187	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	257
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	338	.....1944.....	530
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	12	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	20,222
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	11,500
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	71	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,565,071
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	.....1944.....	2,383,470
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	287	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	148,483
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	217	.....1944.....	149,577
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	123,555
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	191,244
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	106	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,293,611
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	67	.....1944.....	2,042,854
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	506	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,507
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	315
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	676	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	541
.....persons 1950.....	1,195	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	52
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	658	.....1945.....	381
Operators.....persons 1950.....	632	.....number 1950.....	2,467
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	312	.....1945.....	3,582
.....persons 1950.....	397	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	11
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	127	.....1945.....	15
.....persons 1950.....	166	.....number 1950.....	15
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	683	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	421
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	583	.....1945.....	639
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	471	.....number 1950.....	44,522
.....dollars 1949.....	267,971	.....1945.....	42,824
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	503	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	618
.....dollars 1949.....	385,860	.....1945.....	634
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	578	.....number 1950.....	21,535
.....dollars 1949.....	471,415	.....1945.....	23,017
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	539	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	537
.....dollars 1949.....	838,404	.....number 1950.....	2,145
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	438	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	457
.....dollars 1949.....	60,034	.....number 1950.....	8,137
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	627	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	426
.....dollars 1949.....	372,229	.....number 1950.....	7,957
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	523	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	565
.....dollars 1949.....	108,057	.....number 1950.....	6,918
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	565	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	56
.....dollars 1949.....	121,750	.....1944.....	47
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949.....	1,708,823
No sales.....number 1950...	16	.....1944.....	1,518,516
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	5	.....dollars 1949.....	71,905
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	17	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	276
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	17	.....1944.....	435
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	13	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	133,073
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	8	.....1944.....	212,015
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	38	.....dollars 1949.....	76,580
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	96	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	96	.....dollars 1949.....	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	145	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	237	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	342
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	387
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	215	.....number 1950...	8,637
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	195	.....1945.....	7,922
Cotton.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	328
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	20	.....number 1950...	4,027
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	18
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	4,622
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	24	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	271
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	1945.....	286
	number 1950...	2,038
	1945.....	1,804

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Corn:	
1945.....	146	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	393
number 1950.....	14,332	1944.....	452
1945.....	33,385	acres 1949.....	20,637
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	28,458
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	274
number 1950.....	10,358	1944.....	280
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	acres 1949.....	10,727
1945 ¹	138	1944.....	12,436
number 1950.....	9,407	bushels 1949.....	167,762
1945 ¹	27,557	1944.....	177,668
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	59	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1950.....	951	acres 1949.....	54.2
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	79	tons..green weight 1949...	1,807
number 1950.....	3,974	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	81	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	223
1944.....	142	acres 1949...	9,368
number shorn 1949.....	12,097	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	110,512	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	107
1944.....	276,975	1944.....	163
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	2,233
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	3,800
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	582	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....	600	1944.....	4
number 1950.....	48,219	acres 1949.....	22
1945.....	55,759	1944.....	100
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	260	bushels 1949.....	490
number 1949.....	22,516	1944.....	618
dollars 1949.....	21,235	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	414	acres 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	267,758	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	93,378	tons..green weight 1949.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	31	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950.....	234	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	115
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949.....	2,211
1944.....	48	1944.....	2,469
number 1949.....	1,986	Small grains:	
1944.....	2,209	Grains grown together and threshed	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres 1949.....	982
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	610	bushels 1949.....	22,209
dollars 1949.....	3,244,915	1944.....	457
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	577	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	353
1944.....	593	1944.....	50,273
number 1949.....	19,644	acres 1949.....	35,313
1944.....	17,652	1944.....	1,158,962
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	485	bushels 1944.....	534,626
number 1949.....	12,081	1949.....	166
dollars 1949.....	1,866,577	acres 1949.....	8,128
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	398	1944.....	10,656
number 1949.....	7,563	bushels 1949.....	121,257
dollars 1949.....	658,576	1944.....	123,971
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	341	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	264
1944.....	421	1944.....	390
number 1949.....	14,167	acres 1949.....	13,379
1944.....	17,833	1944.....	14,674
dollars 1949.....	491,416	bushels 1949.....	388,298
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	96	1944.....	398,475
1944.....	118	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	62
number 1949.....	12,087	acres 1949.....	96
1944.....	33,605	1944.....	1,374
dollars 1949.....	189,400	1944.....	2,541
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	74	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	311
number 1949.....	486	1944.....	393
dollars 1949.....	38,916	acres 1949.....	13,813
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	19,693
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	416	bushels 1949.....	283,467
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	258	1944.....	428,188
number 1949.....	316	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	169	1944.....	83
1944.....	187	acres 1949.....	233
number 1949.....	195	1944.....	2,305
1944.....	209	bushels 1949.....	2,122
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	94	1944.....	24,026
1944.....	41	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	121	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	44	1944 ²	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	319	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	427	1944 ²	
number 1949.....	599	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	918	1944.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949.....	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	53	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	915	tons 1949.....	
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		tons 1949.....	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949.....	594
		1944.....	21
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	6,274
		1944.....	100

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,714	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	68
	1,817		83
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	629,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	17
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	95.3		14
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	360,425	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	51
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	292,008		69
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,960	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	44
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	58,845		54
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	599,548	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	31
	653,816		42
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	349.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	21
	359.8		21
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	29,750	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	106
	18,180		89
average per acre, dollars 1950*	86.18	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	75
	50.52		64
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	372
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,623		385
	1,695	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	100
acres 1949...	286,412		110
	310,987	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	165
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36		159
	42	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	436
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	23		496
	17	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	203
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26		222
	24	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	93
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	45		92
	52		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	250	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
	240	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	718	White operators.....number 1950...	1,712
	732		1,813
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	525	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	<
	588		4
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	299	Farms by tenure of operator:	
	243	Full owners.....number 1950...	620
acres 1949...	23,471		500
	15,918	Part owners.....number 1950...	419
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	695		381
	32,095	Managers.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949...	24,270		10
	437	All tenants.....number 1950...	671
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	340		926
	94	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3		51.0
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	31
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	393		41
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	15,997	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	191
	42		287
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	402
	1,342		586
acres 1949...	862	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	339
	63	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	63
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	27		47
	1,952	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	12
acres 1949...	426		11
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	36
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,027	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
	1,255	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,180
acres 1949...	233,227		1,118
	275,649	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,263
			974
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,634	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,238
	1,771	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.38
acres 1949...	21,049	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	819
	25,704	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	479
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	982	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	128
	821	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,145
acres 1949...	90,577	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	281
	76,260	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	126
	273	Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	251
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	267
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	732
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,556		738
	1,698	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	52
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	136		52
	115	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	21
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	163		26
	376	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	126
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	251		140
	140		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1944...	72		

*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...	767	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	580
.....1945.....	561	General farms.....number 1950...	456
.....number 1950.....	881	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	609	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	108
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,332	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	75
.....1945.....	1,405	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	213
.....number 1950.....	2,169	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	104
.....1945.....	1,763		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,332	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,133	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,621
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	73
.....number 1950.....	20	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	348
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	286
.....number 1950.....	16	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	139
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,368	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	210
.....1945.....	1,656	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	65
.....number 1950.....	2,773	Other farms.....number 1950...	93
.....1945.....	2,010	Part-time ².....number 1950...	53
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	40
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	124	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	20,733,834
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	840	.....1944.....	15,992,221
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	570	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	6,542,029
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	6,169,077
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,510,029
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	86	.....1944.....	6,137,854
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	411	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,565
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	810	.....1944.....	8,780
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	651
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	2,676
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	28,870
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	771	.....1944.....	19,767
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	116	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,191,835
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	329	.....1944.....	9,422,854
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	141	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	306,978
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.4	.....1944.....	353,211
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	585,066
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	111	.....1944.....	861,877
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	992	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	13,299,741
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	418	.....1944.....	8,207,746
FARM LABOR^a		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	300
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,469	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	2,684	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	994
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,467	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	979
.....persons 1950.....	1,420	.....1945.....	1,454
Operators.....persons 1950.....	587	.....1950.....	1,172
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	880	.....1945.....	6,866
.....persons 1950.....	227	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	48
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	378	.....1945.....	114
.....persons 1950.....		.....1950.....	107
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....1945.....	305
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,529	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,209	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,437
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,001	.....1945.....	1,627
.....dollars 1949.....	303,641	.....number 1950.....	69,801
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,014	.....1945.....	76,460
.....dollars 1949.....	743,430	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,391
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,378	.....1945 ³	1,578
.....dollars 1949.....	2,395,988	.....number 1950.....	21,823
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,266	.....1945 ³	28,363
.....dollars 1949.....	5,656,703	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,270
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,305	.....number 1950.....	5,125
.....dollars 1949.....	296,889	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,034
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,412	.....number 1950.....	16,365
.....dollars 1949.....	827,327	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,037
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,196	.....number 1950.....	23,656
.....dollars 1949.....	236,236	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	943
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,274	.....number 1950.....	7,997
.....dollars 1949.....	293,844	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	102
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	67
No sales.....number 1950...	4	pounds 1949...	2,403,813
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	36	.....1944.....	2,051,418
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	16	.....dollars 1949...	89,488
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	26	.....1944.....	819
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	63	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,201
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	48	.....1944.....	381,777
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	175	pounds of butterfat 1949...	578,658
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	224	.....dollars 1949.....	217,510
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	321	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	380	.....dollars 1949.....	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	421	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	519	.....1945.....	1,182
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	501	.....number 1950.....	37,113
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	31,847
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	18	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,034
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	19,812
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	509
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	27	.....number 1950.....	17,301
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	28	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	892
	1945.....	792
	number 1950.....	8,682
	1945.....	6,248

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	101	Corn:	
1945.....	129	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,490
number 1950...	28,065	1944.....	1,614
1945.....	142,924	acres 1949...	141,524
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	163,707
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,480
number 1950...	21,127	1944.....	1,608
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	94	acres 1949...	138,165
1945 ¹ ..	107	1944.....	160,852
number 1950...	15,239	bushels 1949...	5,812,797
1945 ¹ ..	4,060	1944.....	6,294,804
Rams and Wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	46
number 1950...	5,888	acres 1949...	830
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	87	tons..green weight 1949...	7,640
number 1950...	6,938	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	87	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	150
1944.....	105	acres 1949...	2,529
number shorn 1949...	16,307	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	156,674	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	311
1944.....	43,634	1944.....	762
Average date of enumeration.....1950..	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	6,017
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	15,651
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,264	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	56
1945.....	1,623	1944.....	129
number 1950...	140,630	acres 1949...	833
1945.....	224,771	1944.....	1,736
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	753	bushels 1949...	11,688
number 1949...	76,551	1944.....	40,813
dollars 1949...	70,097	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,097	acres 1949...	167
dozens 1949...	975,900	tons..green weight 1949...	730
dollars 1949...	327,759	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	263
number 1950...	21	acres 1949...	5,017
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	tons cut 1949...	7,446
1944.....	39	Small grains:	
number 1949...	34,269	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	55,626	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	22
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	532
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	6,746
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,454	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	467
dollars 1949...	13,215,377	1944.....	563
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,294	acres 1949...	30,175
number 1949...	1,242	1944.....	31,995
1944.....	51,560	bushels 1949...	431,209
1944.....	38,047	1944.....	552,510
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	983	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	41,522	acres 1949...	133
dollars 1949...	8,378,637	1944.....	244
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	730	bushels 1949...	1,160
number 1949...	10,038	1944.....	3,212
dollars 1949...	958,921	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	354
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,129	acres 1949...	337
1944.....	1,296	1944.....	7,769
number 1949...	51,941	bushels 1949...	7,726
1944.....	62,484	1944.....	142,442
dollars 1949...	2,002,468	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	127,542
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	95	acres 1949...	40
1944.....	148	1944.....	38
number 1949...	90,726	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	241
1944.....	33,605	1944.....	405
dollars 1949...	1,858,310	acres 1949...	6,168
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	107	1944.....	11,260
number 1949...	269	bushels 1949...	81,970
dollars 1949...	17,041	1944.....	141,781
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	62
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	999	1944.....	209
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	602	acres 1949...	1,333
number 1949...	678	1944.....	4,297
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	306	bushels 1949...	13,510
1944.....	507	1944.....	51,266
number 1949...	349	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	639	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	306	1944 ² ..	5
number 1949...	92	acres 1949...	87
1944.....	329	1944 ² ..	42
1944.....	96	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	826	1944.....	2
1944.....	1,130	acres 1949...	72
number 1949...	1,418	1944.....	16
1944.....	2,303	bushels 1949...	550
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	168
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	186	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	7,725	acres 1949...	.....
		tons 1949...	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	15
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949...	273
		1944.....	4
		100-lb. bags 1949...	2,132
		1944.....	20

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

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	427	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	20
1945.....	432	1945.....	18
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	278,400	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	97.0	1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	156,747	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	15
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	134,392	1945.....	17
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,810	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	5
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,983	1945.....	16
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	269,966	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	9
1945.....	281,178	1945.....	7
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	632.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	650.9	1945.....	1
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	50,221	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	8
1945.....	28,550	1945.....	6
average per acre, dollars 1950*	72.33	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	2
1945.....	43.86	1945.....	2
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	51
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	383	1945.....	38
1944.....	388	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	5
acres 1949.....	99,141	1945.....	4
1944.....	122,760	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	10
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	9
1944.....	1	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	126
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	136
1944.....	1	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	115
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	115
1944.....	1	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	75
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945.....	81
1944.....	10		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	62	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	37	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	89	White operators.....number 1950...	427
1944.....	86	1945.....	432
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	200	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	252	1945.....	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	85	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	95	Full owners.....number 1950...	144
acres 1949.....	4,820	1945.....	132
1944.....	2,473	Part owners.....number 1950...	151
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	358	1945.....	147
acres 1949.....	92,122	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1944.....	68,735	1945.....	3
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	337	All tenants.....number 1950...	126
acres 1949.....	75,151	1945.....	150
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	29.5
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	157	1945.....	34.7
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	146	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	139	1945.....	16
acres 1949.....	16,971	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	24
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	5
1944.....	2	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	92
acres 1949.....	168	1945.....	129
1944.....	140	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	85
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	7
1944.....	2	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
acres 1949.....	97	1945.....	.....
1944.....	910	Other tenants.....number 1950...	5
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	257	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	334		
acres 1949.....	65,854	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	77,982	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	279
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	413	1945.....	267
1944.....	418	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	275
acres 1949.....	7,764	1945.....	242
1944.....	8,178	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	130
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	55	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.37
1944.....	45	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	175
acres 1949.....	5,492	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	46
1944.....	4,709	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	39
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	233
acres 1949.....	20	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	335	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	229
1945.....	371	number 1950...	278
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	88	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	31
1945.....	60	number 1950...	32
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	49	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	149	number 1950...	.....
1944.....	75	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	61	number 1950...	15
1944.....	38	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	8

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,375	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	90,713	acres 1949...	4
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,258	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	1,042	1944...	6
acres 1949...	75,720	acres 1949...	2
1944...	56,749	1944...	10
tons 1949...	230,196	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	169,733	1944...	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	8	1944...	(*)
acres 1949...	401	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944...	161	1944...	18
tons 1949...	481	acres 1949...	2
1944...	105	1944...	49
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	22	acres 1949...	10
acres 1949...	544	1944...	
1944...	399	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	12
tons 1949...	411		
1944...	264	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	283	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	252	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	13,692	quarts 1949...	641
1944...	12,197	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	13,616	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	336
1944...	12,788	1945...	8
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	63	acres 1950 ² ...	48
acres 1949...	1,124	1945...	28
1944...	653	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	261
tons 1949...	1,396	1945...	80
1944...	793	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,911
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	1,544
acres 1949...	78	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	893
tons..green weight 1949...	505	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,018
Field crops(other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,549
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	182	1944...	3,747
1944...	97	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	103
acres 1949...	2,826	1945...	20
1944...	1,850	trees of all ages..number 1950...	366
bushels 1949...	2,640	1945...	87
1944...	1,626	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	189
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	197
1944...	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	228
acres 1949...	18	1944...	7
1944...	166	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	68
bushels 1949...	19	1945...	15
1944...	275	trees of all ages..number 1950...	152
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945...	33
acres 1949...	314	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	94
bushels 1949...	1,233	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	58
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	118	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	40
1944...	164	1944...	17
acres 1949 ¹ ...	799	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	211
1944...	1,081	1945...	60
bushels 1949...	208,775	trees of all ages..number 1950...	975
1944...	190,076	1945...	385
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	446
acres 1949...	19	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	529
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	202	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,442
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1944...	2,221
1944...	63	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	102
acres 1949...	1,068	1945...	31
1944...	1,467	trees of all ages..number 1950...	377
tons 1949...	14,125	1945...	183
1944...	14,660	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	166
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	211
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	97
1944...		1944...	44
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	916	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	50
1944...	1,327	1945...	9
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	160
1944...	27	1945...	74
acres 1949...	32	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	49
1944...	104	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	111
sold..dollars 1949...	2,505	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	19
1944...	8,780	1944...	6
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	72
1944...	2	1945...	22
acres 1949...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	565
1944...	3	1945...	226
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	266
1944...	4	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	300
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,021
1944...	2	1944...	135

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1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	126
1944.....	1	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	136
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	115
1944.....	1	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	115
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	75
1944.....	1		81
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14		
1944.....	10		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	62		
1944.....	37		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	89		
1944.....	86		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	200		
1944.....	252		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	85		
1944.....	95		
acres 1949.....	4,820		
1944.....	2,473		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	358		
acres 1949.....	92,122		
1944.....	68,735		
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	337		
acres 1949.....	75,151		
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	34		
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	157		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	146		
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	139		
acres 1949.....	16,971		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
1944.....	2		
acres 1949.....	168		
1944.....	140		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
1944.....	2		
acres 1949.....	97		
1944.....	910		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	257		
1944.....	334		
acres 1949.....	65,854		
1944.....	77,982		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	413		
1944.....	418		
acres 1949.....	7,764		
1944.....	8,178		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	55		
1944.....	45		
acres 1949.....	5,492		
1944.....	4,709		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	7		
acres 1949.....	20		
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	335	Farms by color of operator:	
1945.....	371	White operators.....number 1950...	427
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With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	49	1945.....
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	149	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	75	Full owners.....number 1950...	144
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	61	1945.....	132
1944.....	38	Part owners.....number 1950...	154
		1945.....	147
		Managers.....number 1950...	3
		1945.....	3
		All tenants.....number 1950...	126
		1945.....	150
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	29.5
		1945.....	34.7
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
		1945.....	16
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	24
		1945.....	5
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	92
		1945.....	129
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	85
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	7
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
		1945.....
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	5
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	279
		1945.....	267
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	275
		1945.....	242
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	130
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.37
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	175
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	233
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	229
		number 1950...	278
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		number 1950...	32
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...
		number 1950...
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	15
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	8

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	301	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	105
.....1945.....	316	General farms.....number 1950...	30
.....number 1950.....	420	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	7
.....1945.....	382	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	6
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	312	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	17
.....1945.....	261	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	33
.....number 1950.....	462		
.....1945.....	517	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	312	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	374
.....number 1950.....	447	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	12
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	118
.....number 1950.....	9	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	119
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	25
.....number 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	36
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	314	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	24
.....1945.....	375	Other farms.....number 1950...	33
.....number 1950.....	391	Part-time ².....number 1950...	13
.....1945.....	427	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	19
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	60	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,223,084
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	74	.....1944.....	4,225,008
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	266	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,459,026
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	.....1944.....	2,729,793
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,451,448
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	2,727,391
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,848
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	77	.....1944.....	.....
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	137	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	15
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	107	.....1944.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	4,715
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	2,600
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	210	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,764,058
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	17	.....1944.....	1,435,297
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	56	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	53,563
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	48	.....1944.....	102,888
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.6	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	141,591
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	141,622
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,568,904
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	263	.....1944.....	1,250,587
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	58	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
FARM LABOR^A		.....1944.....	.....
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	297	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	110
.....persons 1950.....	480	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	110
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	293	.....number 1950.....	219
Operators.....persons 1950.....	278	.....1945.....	267
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	116	.....1945.....	684
.....persons 1950.....	153	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	49	.....number 1950.....	12
.....persons 1950.....	49	.....1945.....	9
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		.....1945.....	24
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	359	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	297	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	309
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	228	.....1945.....	372
.....dollars 1949.....	128,753	.....number 1950.....	12,443
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	259	.....1945.....	14,009
.....dollars 1949.....	170,335	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	293
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	286	.....number 1950.....	358
.....dollars 1949.....	314,031	.....1945.....	4,166
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	235	.....1945.....	4,328
.....dollars 1949.....	796,697	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	262
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	268	.....number 1950.....	943
.....dollars 1949.....	51,968	.....1945.....	216
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	339	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,357
.....dollars 1949.....	247,195	.....number 1950.....	213
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	251	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,492
.....dollars 1949.....	65,747	.....number 1950.....	191
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	293	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,426
.....dollars 1949.....	88,889	.....number 1950.....	11
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	19
No sales.....number 1950...	14	.....1944.....	19
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	6	.....pounds 1949...	213,631
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	6	.....1944.....	417,444
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	24	.....dollars 1949...	10,237
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	7	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	168
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	7	.....1944.....	295
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	29	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	75,305
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	60	.....1944.....	169,501
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	49	.....dollars 1949...	43,314
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	95	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	130	.....dollars 1949...	12
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	235	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	132
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	229	.....1945.....	191
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	2,951
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	6	.....1945.....	3,948
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	118
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	1,511
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	6	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	66
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	18	.....number 1950...	1,440
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	82
		.....1945.....	100
		.....number 1950...	602
		.....1945.....	612

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Corn:	
1945.....	31	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	95
number 1950.....	1,422	1944.....	212
1945.....	5,859	acres 1949.....	3,723
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	12,088
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	17	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	68
number 1950.....	792	1944.....	206
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	acres 1949.....	3,409
1945 ¹	22	1944.....	11,473
number 1950.....	726	bushels 1949.....	127,371
1945 ¹	2,001	1944.....	290,872
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	64	acres 1949.....	108
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	14	tons..green weight 1949...	520
number 1950.....	630	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	15	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	21	acres 1949...	206
number shorn 1949.....	952	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	7,480	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	131
1944.....	15,413	1944.....	214
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	2,831
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	5,379
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	278	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1945.....	366	1944.....	3
number 1950.....	30,939	acres 1949.....	163
1945.....	62,657	1944.....	67
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	156	bushels 1949.....	3,550
number 1949.....	26,854	1944.....	1,590
dollars 1949.....	21,581	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	241	acres 1949.....	307
dozens 1949.....	280,148	tons..green weight 1949...	2,573
dollars 1949.....	104,443	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	3	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	120
number 1950...	16	acres 1949.....	2,361
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	6	tons cut 1949...	6,097
1944.....	8	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	2,367	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	368	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	18
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	807
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949.....	14,856
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	289	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	330
dollars 1949.....	1,565,385	1944.....	346
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	273	acres 1949.....	76,766
1944.....	305	1944.....	82,041
number 1949.....	10,447	bushels 1949.....	1,200,500
1944.....	10,177	1944.....	1,651,218
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	215	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1949.....	8,101	acres 1949.....	324
dollars 1949.....	1,150,825	1944.....	289
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	159	bushels 1949.....	3,670
number 1949.....	2,346	1944.....	2,615
dollars 1949.....	226,521	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	111
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	148	acres 1949.....	155
1944.....	243	1944.....	2,731
number 1949.....	4,149	bushels 1949.....	5,401
1944.....	8,922	1944.....	95,367
dollars 1949.....	160,371	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	125,644
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	14	acres 1949.....	56
1944.....	22	1944.....	967
number 1949.....	1,383	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	103
1944.....	7,766	1944.....	184
dollars 1949.....	26,231	acres 1949.....	3,760
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1944.....	8,125
number 1949.....	19	bushels 1949.....	84,772
dollars 1949.....	1,237	1944.....	143,637
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	178	acres 1949.....	46
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	113	1944.....	99
number 1949...	133	acres 1949.....	1,733
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	72	bushels 1949.....	879
1944.....	81	1944.....	21,270
number 1949...	77	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	287	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	43	1944 ²	
1944.....	79	acres 1949.....	5
number 1949.....	56	1944 ²	
1944.....	86	acres 1949.....	5
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	135	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	238	1944.....	
number 1949.....	211	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	405	1944 ²	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949...	710	tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949.....	98
		1944.....	58
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	2,454
		1944.....	354

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	70	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	3,993	.....acres 1949...	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	52	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	44	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	1,500	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	1,532	.....1944...	.....
.....tons 1949...	3,651	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944...	3,996	.....1944...	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	2	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	26	.....1944...	.....
.....tons 1949...	.....	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	70	.....1944...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944...	1	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	207	.....1944...	.....
.....1944...	110	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	6
.....tons 1949...	223	.....1944...	.....
.....1944...	150	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....1944...	8	.....acres 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	2,126	.....quarts 1949...	.....
.....1944...	1,615	TREE FRUITS, NUTS, AND GRAPES:	
.....tons 1949...	2,119	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	58
.....1944...	2,007	.....1945...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....acres 1950 ¹ ...	2
.....acres 1949...	137	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	102	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	31
.....tons 1949...	198	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	134	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	162
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	90
.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
Field crops (other):		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	72
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....1949...	41
.....1944...	7	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	478	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	14
.....1944...	690	.....1945...	.....
.....bushels 1949...	113	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	66
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	32
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	34
.....bushels 1949...	.....	.....1949...	16
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	.....
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....bushels 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	14
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	11	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	13
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	178	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	344	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
.....bushels 1949...	43,970	.....1949...	.....
.....1944...	58,429	.....1944...	.....
Popscorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	45
.....acres 1949...	1	.....1945...	.....
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	5	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	268
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	30	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	116
.....acres 1949...	274	.....1950...	152
.....1944...	799	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	1,208
.....tons 1949...	4,834	.....1944...	.....
.....1944...	9,083	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	18
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945...	.....
.....acres 1949...	21	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	131
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	151	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	339	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	36
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	95
.....acres 1949...	10	.....1949...	19
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	.....
.....sold..dollars 1949...	2,848	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	6
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	.....
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	33
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1950...	28
.....1944...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	4	.....1944...	.....
.....1944...	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	8
		.....1945...	.....
		.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	37
		.....1945...	.....
		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	18
		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	19
		.....1949...	220
		.....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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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...	1,448	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	45
1945.....	1,444	1945.....	62
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	307,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	18
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	97.1	1945.....	25
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	165,309	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	27
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	154,255	1945.....	37
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,420	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	38
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	24,658	1945.....	33
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	298,326	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	32
1945.....	293,031	1945.....	24
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	206.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	21
1945.....	202.9	1945.....	8
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	22,382	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	99
1945.....	13,721	1945.....	100
average per acre, dollars 1950*	101.88	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	94
1945.....	67.61	1945.....	118
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	423
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,380	1945.....	414
1944.....	1,366	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	161
acres 1949.....	204,279	1945.....	160
1944.....	201,651	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	177
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1945.....	184
1944.....	28	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	320
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1945.....	295
1944.....	12	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	35
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1945.....	44
1944.....	15	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1945.....	2
1944.....	42		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	218	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	233	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	735	White operators.....number 1950...	1,448
1944.....	748	1945.....	1,444
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	312	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	288	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	671	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	811	Full owners.....number 1950...	612
acres 1949.....	21,262	1945.....	449
1944.....	17,858	1950.....	265
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	203	Part owners.....number 1945.....	238
acres 1949.....	6,730	1950.....	3
1944.....	8,182	Managers.....number 1950...	1
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1945.....	568
acres 1949.....	1,001	1950.....	756
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	34	All tenants.....number 1950...	39.2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	52.4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	140	1945.....	47
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	5,729	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	79
acres 1949.....	161	1945.....	356
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	347
1944.....	83	1945.....	137
acres 1949.....	8,929	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	329
1944.....	4,015	1945.....	81
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	113	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	56
1944.....	37	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	28
acres 1949.....	3,169	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	2,195	1945.....	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	730	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944.....	787		
acres 1949.....	37,035	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	35,515	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	991
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,385	1945.....	1,024
1944.....	1,438	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,176
acres 1949.....	16,922	1945.....	672
1944.....	23,615	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,161
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	535
1944.....		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	265
acres 1949.....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	101
1944.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	285
acres 1949.....		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	115
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	220
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,341	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	220
1945.....	1,376	number 1950...	785
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	87	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	820
1945.....	33	number 1950...	55
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	67	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	55
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	240	number 1950...	5
1944.....	172	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	70	number 1950...	25
1944.....	47	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		number 1950...	25

*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...	366	Livestock: farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,057
.....1945.....	212	General farms.....number 1950.....	117
number 1950.....	381	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	221	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	20
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,176	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	92
.....1945.....	1,122	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	61
number 1950.....	1,562		
.....1945.....	1,241	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,171	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,390
number 1950.....	1,517	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	78
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	215
number 1950.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	415
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	379
number 1950.....	15	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	190
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,216	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	113
.....1945.....	1,295	Other farms.....number 1950.....	58
number 1950.....	1,552	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	1,507	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	17
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	112		
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.....	123	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,073,156
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	757	.....1944.....	7,341,542
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	446	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,627,552
		.....1944.....	1,369,067
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,626,835
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,367,532
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	95
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	520	.....1944.....	717
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	560	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,440
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	205	.....1944.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	215	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,442,311
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	106	.....1944.....	5,970,680
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	620	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	378,553
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	340	.....1944.....	379,166
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	3.1	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	483,957
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	575,234
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,582,801
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	285	.....1944.....	5,016,280
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,006	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,263
		.....1944.....	1,795
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	932
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,326	.....1945.....	912
persons 1950.....	2,359	.....1945.....	1,238
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,326	number 1950.....	2,357
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,306	.....1945.....	4,633
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	546	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	37
persons 1950.....	863	.....1945.....	71
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	number 1950.....	69
persons 1950.....	190	.....1945.....	176
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,321	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,298
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,126	.....1945.....	1,132
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,025	number 1950.....	31,153
dollars 1949.....	171,605	.....1945.....	40,206
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	806	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,267
dollars 1949.....	324,382	.....1945 ³	1,235
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,226	number 1950.....	8,931
dollars 1949.....	1,532,324	.....1945 ³	11,845
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,161	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,216
dollars 1949.....	2,795,247	.....1945.....	6,441
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,116	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,038
dollars 1949.....	213,458	number 1950.....	6,389
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,146	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,031
dollars 1949.....	521,006	number 1950.....	12,219
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,086	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	958
dollars 1949.....	188,165	number 1950.....	3,642
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,101	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	52
dollars 1949.....	202,335	.....1944.....	32
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		pounds 1949.....	1,193,193
No sales.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	1,148,530
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	17	dollars 1949.....	45,193
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	16	.....1944.....	975
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	57	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,127
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	47	.....1944.....	567,728
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	42	dollars 1949.....	681,164
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	182	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	231	.....1945.....	122
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	282	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	281	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,240
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	293	.....1945.....	1,201
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950.....	60,676
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	169	.....1945.....	54,547
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	169	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,236
Cotton.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	32,171
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	552
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	24,505
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,129
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	21	.....1945.....	991
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	21	number 1950.....	12,001
		.....1945.....	12,215

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	39	Corn:	
1945.....	68	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,310
number 1950...	4,139	1944.....	1,348
1945.....	8,047	acres 1949...	117,055
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	125,617
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	36	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,307
number 1950...	3,334	1944.....	1,348
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	36	acres 1949...	115,205
1945 ¹	46	1944.....	124,203
number 1950...	1,994	bushels 1949...	3,898,242
1945 ¹	2,058	1944.....	4,963,584
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	17	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	39
number 1950...	1,340	acres 1949...	459
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	26	tons green weight 1949...	2,810
number 1950...	805	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	33	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	113
1944.....	41	acres 1949...	1,391
number shorn 1949...	3,124	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	18,899	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	21,542	1944.....	179
Average date of enumeration.....1950... Apr.1-Apr.14		acres 1949...	17
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	1,448
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,215	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....	1,312	acres 1949...	26
number 1950...	157,929	1944.....	8
1945.....	198,668	bushels 1949...	359
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	971	1944.....	180
number 1949...	126,687	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6,749
dollars 1949...	118,582	acres 1949...	5
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,110	tons green weight 1949...	40
dozens 1949...	1,043,498	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	361,311	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1949...	4
number 1950...	7	1944.....	15
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Small grains:	
1944.....	1	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1949...	18	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	45	acres 1949...	1,333
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		bushels 1949...	33,830
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944.....	19
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	7,565,453	1944.....	278
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,136	acres 1949...	159
1944.....	1,070	1944.....	6,780
number 1949...	20,425	bushels 1949...	2,075
1944.....	20,559	1944.....	11
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	982	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	333
number 1949...	18,207	acres 1949...	99
dollars 1949...	3,574,384	1944.....	8,880
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	342	bushels 1949...	1,150
number 1949...	2,218	1944.....	1,207
dollars 1949...	213,417	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,107
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,278	acres 1949...	62,049
1944.....	1,228	1944.....	50,268
number 1949...	88,383	bushels 1949...	1,574,033
1944.....	81,018	1944.....	963,019
dollars 1949...	3,606,688	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	51
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	46	acres 1949...	82
1944.....	56	1944.....	867
number 1949...	7,779	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	39
1944.....	16,997	1944.....	73
dollars 1949...	163,966	acres 1949...	888
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1944.....	1,431
number 1949...	176	bushels 1949...	23,110
dollars 1949...	6,998	1944.....	12,489
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,116	1944.....	19
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	490	acres 1949...	225
number 1949...	575	1944.....	192
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	314	bushels 1949...	2,500
1944.....	556	1944.....	1,915
number 1949...	365	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	611	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	180	1944 ² ...	31
1944.....	74	acres 1949...	227
number 1949...	210	1944 ² ...	329
1944.....	82	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,047	1944.....	23
1944.....	1,161	acres 1949...	208
number 1949...	2,405	1944.....	294
1944.....	2,804	bushels 1949...	4,400
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	4,682
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	128	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	8,814	acres 1949...	.....
		tons 1949...	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres 1949...	19
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,082	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	20,109	acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	953	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	877	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	13,689	acres 1944...	
1944...	13,062	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	24,737	acres 1944...	
1944...	28,285	acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	13	acres 1944...	
1944...	6	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	200	acres 1944...	1
1944...	57	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	206	acres 1944...	(*)
1944...	69	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	36	acres 1949...	
1944...	21	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	412	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	222	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	8
tons 1949...	369	acres 1949...	1
1944...	158	quarts 1949...	750
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	303	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	354	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	615
acres 1949...	5,050	1945...	75
1944...	6,725	acres 1950 ² ...	73
tons 1949...	5,441	1945...	32
1944...	8,018	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	534
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	94	acres 1945...	678
acres 1949...	1,104	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,254
1944...	1,066	1945...	3,950
tons 1949...	1,309	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,822
1944...	1,944	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,432
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,969
acres 1949...	70	1944...	1,568
tons..green weight 1949...	235	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	96
Field crops (other):		acres 1945...	66
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	309
1944...	15	acres 1945...	201
acres 1949...	48	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	209
1944...	157	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	100
bushels 1949...	29	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	154
1944...	139	1944...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	127
1944...	3	acres 1945...	126
acres 1949...	12	trees of all ages..number 1950...	270
1944...	85	acres 1945...	262
bushels 1949...	11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	165
1944...	161	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	105
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	115
acres 1949...	180	1944...	68
1944...	555	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	340
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	438	acres 1945...	445
1944...	672	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,631
acres 1949 ¹ ...	69	acres 1945...	1,943
1944...	198	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	899
bushels 1949...	7,764	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	732
1944...	11,915	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,643
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1944...	166
acres 1949...	13	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	249
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	109	acres 1945...	314
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,680
acres 1949...		acres 1945...	1,643
1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	483
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	507
1944...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	397
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	12
acres 1949...	4	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	40
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	887	acres 1945...	26
1944...	1,256	trees of all ages..number 1950...	82
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	66
acres 1944...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	59
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21
1944...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	62
1944...	95	1944...	1
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	129
acres 1944...		acres 1945...	203
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	94
1944...		acres 1945...	2,159
1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	437
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	507
acres 1944...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,888
1944...	(*)	1944...	3,437

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

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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...	1,722	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	105
	1,843	1945.....	148
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	338,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	13
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	95.1	1945.....	30
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	145,103	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	92
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	207,496	1945.....	118
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,592	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	73
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	32,112	1945.....	86
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	322,079	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	38
1945.....	329,767	1945.....	43
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	187.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	26
1945.....	178.9	1945.....	26
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	40,167	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	98
1945.....	21,662	1945.....	116
average per acre, dollars 1950*	199.52	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	187
1945.....	121.06	1945.....	204
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	382
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,633	1945.....	417
1944.....	1,721	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	233
acres 1949...	251,466	1945.....	238
1944.....	229,267	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	240
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	77	1945.....	224
1944.....	102	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	306
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1945.....	305
1944.....	49	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	30
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	27	1945.....	34
1944.....	32	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	4
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1945.....	2
1944.....	77		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	242	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	346	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	825	White operators.....number 1950...	1,721
1944.....	804	1945.....	1,843
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	402	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	311	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	699	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	1,074	Full owners.....number 1950...	575
acres 1949...	15,108	1945.....	609
1944.....	21,703	Part owners.....number 1950...	371
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	197	1945.....	301
acres 1949...	4,518	Managers.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	33,663	1945.....	23
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	38	All tenants.....number 1950...	770
acres 1949...	698	1945.....	910
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	44.7
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	49.4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	62
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	169	1945.....	75
acres 1949...	3,820	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	475
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	143	1945.....	325
1944.....	109	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	208
acres 1949...	4,911	1945.....	507
1944.....	4,204	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	163
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	95	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	45
1944.....	68	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
acres 1949...	1,409	1945.....	3
1944.....	1,799	Other tenants.....number 1950...	5
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	967	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	20
1944.....	718		
acres 1949...	27,383	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	18,187	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,280
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,652	1945.....	1,240
1944.....	1,823	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,640
acres 1949...	17,284	1945.....	1,134
1944.....	20,944	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,635
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.38
1944.....	7	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	994
acres 1949...	1,068	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	682
1944.....	414	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	342
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,504
acres 1949...	4	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	627
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	39
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	380
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,611	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	660
1945.....	1,753	number 1950...	661
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	79	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,063
1945.....	80	number 1950...	1,090
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	119	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	72
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	329	number 1950...	72
1944.....	282	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	104
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	127	number 1950...	91
1944.....	109	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		number 1950...	65

*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...	668	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	620
1945.....	512	General farms.....number 1950...	278
number 1950.....	724	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	10
1945.....	555	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	73
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,486	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	195
1945.....	1,520	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	123
number 1950.....	2,239		
1945.....	1,839		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,466		
number 1950.....	2,154		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	40		
number 1950.....	60		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25		
number 1950.....	25		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,652		
1945.....	1,718		
number 1950.....	2,094		
1945.....	2,093		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	212		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	14		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	103		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	620		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	773		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,610
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	176	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	65
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	673	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	404
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	675	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	590
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	236	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	365
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	132
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	54
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,285	Other farms.....number 1950.....	112
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	43
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	115	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	62
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	7
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	198		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,395		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	60		
FARM LABOR^A		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,300,675
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,640	1944.....	9,770,651
persons 1950.....	3,076	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,846,112
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,623	1944.....	2,432,604
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,558	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,588,583
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	790	1944.....	2,287,591
persons 1950.....	1,370	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5,686
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	259	1944.....	10,977
persons 1950.....	348	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,041
		1944.....	516
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	249,802
		1944.....	133,526
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,454,161
		1944.....	7,335,542
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	817,938
		1944.....	636,443
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	614,593
		1944.....	937,146
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	8,021,610
		1944.....	5,761,933
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	402
		1944.....	2,503
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	754
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	723
		1945.....	1,377
		number 1950.....	1,593
		1945.....	4,421
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	43
		1945.....	180
		number 1950.....	75
		1945.....	438
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,476
		1945.....	1,599
		number 1950.....	33,355
		1945.....	45,071
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,420
		1945 ³	1,564
		number 1950.....	10,030
		1945 ³	14,828
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,331
		number 1950.....	7,356
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,038
		number 1950.....	5,828
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,096
		number 1950.....	13,983
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	978
		number 1950.....	3,514
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	384
		1944.....	365
		pounds 1949.....	14,196,587
		1944.....	11,974,468
		dollars 1949.....	530,913
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	736
		1944.....	1,020
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	522,344
		1944.....	645,779
		dollars 1949.....	286,920
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		dollars 1949.....	125
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,191
		1945.....	1,299
		number 1950.....	55,804
		1945.....	46,272
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,150
		number 1950.....	21,756
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	620
		number 1950.....	34,048
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,036
		1945.....	1,052
		number 1950.....	13,314
		1945.....	12,349

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	46	Corn:	
number 1945...	75	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,584
number 1950...	3,952	acres 1944...	1,679
number 1945...	2,403	acres 1949...	149,184
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	44	acres 1944...	149,459
number 1950...	2,752	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,580
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	40	acres 1944...	1,679
number 1945 ¹ ...	64	acres 1949...	147,221
number 1950...	1,615	bushels 1949...	146,194
number 1945 ¹ ...	1,441	bushels 1944...	6,049,193
number 1950...	26	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5,716,018
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,137	acres 1949...	89
number 1950...	1,200	acres 1949...	1,178
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	41	tons .green weight 1949...	8,642
number 1950...	1,200	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	99
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	34	acres 1949...	785
number 1944...	50	Sorghums:	
number shorn 1949...	2,030	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	31
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	16,923	acres 1944...	128
number 1944...	10,813	acres 1949...	320
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1944...	1,367
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,181	acres 1944...	36
number 1945...	1,660	acres 1949...	138
number 1950...	165,879	acres 1944...	504
number 1945...	279,231	bushels 1949...	3,925
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	927	bushels 1944...	7,773
number 1949...	135,592	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
dollars 1949...	120,855	acres 1949...	70
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,093	tons .green weight 1949...	747
dozens 1949...	1,385,815	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	18
dollars 1949...	486,768	acres 1949...	112
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	.....	tons out 1949...	283
number 1950...	.....	Small grains:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	256
number 1944...	6	acres 1949...	7,276
number 1949...	485	bushels 1949...	145,578
number 1944...	535	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	586
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1944...	466
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,473	acres 1949...	13,624
dollars 1949...	8,010,171	acres 1944...	13,390
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,315	bushels 1949...	188,398
number 1944...	1,354	bushels 1944...	132,251
number 1949...	26,171	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
number 1944...	30,376	acres 1949...	1,096
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,068	acres 1944...	260
number 1949...	22,720	bushels 1949...	11,093
dollars 1949...	4,614,912	bushels 1944...	3,280
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	560	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,361
number 1949...	3,451	acres 1944...	1,147
dollars 1949...	358,153	acres 1949...	53,972
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,197	acres 1944...	33,558
number 1944...	1,375	bushels 1949...	1,467,570
number 1949...	68,293	bushels 1944...	612,794
number 1944...	76,523	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	38
dollars 1949...	2,844,424	acres 1944...	40
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	40	acres 1949...	552
number 1944...	56	acres 1944...	552
number 1949...	8,868	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	43
number 1944...	5,043	acres 1944...	105
dollars 1949...	184,794	acres 1949...	842
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	70	acres 1944...	2,012
number 1949...	201	bushels 1949...	14,540
dollars 1949...	7,888	bushels 1944...	13,734
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,216	acres 1944...	27
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	747	acres 1949...	138
number 1949...	885	acres 1944...	228
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	411	bushels 1949...	2,712
number 1944...	570	bushels 1944...	2,507
number 1949...	467	Annual legumes:	
number 1944...	609	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	249
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	353	acres 1944 ² ...	191
number 1944...	271	acres 1949...	6,169
number 1949...	418	acres 1944 ² ...	4,273
number 1944...	579	acres 1949...	247
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,047	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	187
number 1944...	1,346	acres 1949...	6,142
number 1949...	2,129	acres 1944...	4,260
number 1944...	2,930	bushels 1949...	145,194
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	106	bushels 1944...	77,105
dollars 1949...	3,084	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	3
		tons 1949...	15
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	7
		acres 1949...	3
		acres 1949...	17
		Other dry field and seed beans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1944...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		acres 1944...	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		acres 1944...	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,140	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	18,616	acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	929	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	1,171	1944...	15
acres 1949...	11,580	acres 1949...	5
1944...	16,333	1944...	28
tons 1949...	23,601	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	41,853	1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	132	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	61	1944...	(*)
acres 1949...	1,992	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	762	1944...	11
tons 1949...	2,172	acres 1949...	4
1944...	1,044	1944...	8
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	30	acres 1949...	10
acres 1949...	515	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
1944...	357	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	587	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944...	277	acres 1949...	2
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	102	quarts 1949...	2,606
1944...	334	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	2,743	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	715
1944...	4,889	1945...	167
tons 1949...	3,335	acres 1950 ¹ ...	70
1944...	6,469	1945...	70
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	157	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	600
acres 1949...	1,942	1945...	694
1944...	918	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,564
tons 1949...	2,350	1945...	4,689
1944...	1,461	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,844
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,820
acres 1949...	108	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,229
tons..green weight 1949...	468	1944...	903
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	309
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945...	241
1944...	47	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,477
acres 1949...	66	1945...	1,456
1944...	461	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	454
bushels 1949...	70	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	993
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	319	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	738
1944...	27	1944...	4
acres 1949...	37	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	234
1944...	267	1945...	238
bushels 1949...	372	trees of all ages..number 1950...	744
1944...	188	1945...	723
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	249
acres 1949...	199	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	495
bushels 1949...	265	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	306
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	480	1944...	47
1944...	588	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	477
acres 1949...	69	1945...	528
1944...	203	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,735
bushels 1949...	8,117	1945...	2,613
1944...	7,243	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	698
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,037
acres 1949...	580	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,199
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	10,148	1944...	97
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	272
1944...		1945...	350
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	943
1944...		1945...	1,433
tons 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	324
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	617
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	277
acres 1949...	72	1944...	35
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,186	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	99
1944...	1,477	1945...	88
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees of all ages..number 1950...	299
1944...	30	1945...	311
acres 1949...	22	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	120
1944...	84	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	179
sold..dollars 1949...	5,686	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	123
1944...	10,977	1944...	2
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	182
1944...	2	1945...	245
acres 1949...	(*)	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,345
1944...	1	1945...	2,379
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	139
1944...	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,006
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,223
1944...	1	1944...	3,182

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...	1,538	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	302
1945.....	1,919	1945.....	392
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	214,400	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	93
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	79.0	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	89,211	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	209
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	97,373	1945.....	389
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,080	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	241
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	21,317	1945.....	381
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	169,347	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	106
1945.....	168,923	1945.....	192
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	110.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	51
1945.....	88.0	1945.....	71
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	27,301	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	154
1945.....	12,918	1945.....	232
average per acre, dollars 1950*	226.67	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	147
1945.....	146.75	1945.....	130
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	233
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343	1945.....	271
1944.....	1,832	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	90
acres 1949.....	123,564	1945.....	80
1944.....	123,905	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	79
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	287	1945.....	76
1944.....	480	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	116
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	105	1945.....	81
1944.....	197	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	16
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	60	1945.....	9
1944.....	109	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	95	1945.....	4
1944.....	180		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	237	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	354	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	418	White operators.....number 1950...	1,535
1944.....	423	1945.....	1,919
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	141	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	3
1944.....	89	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	677	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	507	Full owners.....number 1950...	787
acres 1949.....	12,337	1945.....	1,028
1944.....	10,806	Part owners.....number 1950...	284
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	250	1945.....	118
1944.....	4,944	Managers.....number 1950...	10
acres 1949.....	7,672	1945.....	13
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	56	All tenants.....number 1950...	457
1944.....	836	1945.....	760
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	29.7
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	39.6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	100
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	199	1945.....	334
acres 1949.....	4,108	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	203
1944.....	167	1945.....	95
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	78	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	122
1944.....	78	1945.....	313
acres 1949.....	4,347	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	78
1944.....	1,921	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	44
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	110	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	32
1944.....	106	1945.....	18
acres 1949.....	1,449	Other tenants.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	1,574	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	399		
1944.....	557	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	8,117	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,180
1944.....	10,851	1945.....	1,042
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,421	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,451
1944.....	1,742	1945.....	1,413
acres 1949.....	14,589	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,446
1944.....	12,194	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.21
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	943
1944.....		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	666
acres 1949.....	105	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	278
1944.....		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,284
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	570
acres 1949.....	47	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	3.7
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....number 1950...	213
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,413	number 1950...	223
1945.....	1,703	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	456
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	86	number 1950...	471
1945.....	207	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	86
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	412	number 1950...	88
1945.....	586	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	315
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	148	number 1950...	139
1944.....	426	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	57
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	426	number 1950...	57
1944.....	103		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	600	Livestock: farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	219
.....1945.....	392	General farms.....number 1950.....	160
.....number 1950.....	672	.....number 1950.....	19
.....1945.....	429	.....number 1950.....	29
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,102	.....number 1950.....	112
.....1945.....	1,041	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	471
.....number 1950.....	1,437		
.....1945.....	1,202		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,022		
.....number 1950.....	1,339		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	100	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,096
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	136
.....number 1950.....	18	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	156
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,266	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	333
.....1945.....	1,583	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	272
.....number 1950.....	1,653	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	175
.....1945.....	1,782	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	102
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950.....	442
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	269	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	165
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	272
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	154	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	5
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	452		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	647	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,875,841
		.....1944.....	7,297,314
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,944,725
		.....1944.....	2,843,140
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,455,550
		.....1944.....	2,321,745
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	158,899
		.....1944.....	268,245
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	26,675
		.....1944.....	41,780
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	303,611
		.....1944.....	211,370
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,930,858
		.....1944.....	4,453,681
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,325,284
		.....1944.....	1,184,534
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	568,157
		.....1944.....	485,326
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,037,417
		.....1944.....	2,783,621
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	258
		.....1944.....	1,093
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	618
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	590
		.....1945.....	991
		.....number 1950.....	1,513
		.....1945.....	2,966
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	50
		.....1945.....	162
		.....number 1950.....	109
		.....1945.....	354
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,043
		.....1945.....	1,239
		.....number 1950.....	24,351
		.....1945.....	20,370
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	973
		.....1945.....	1,194
		.....number 1950.....	7,383
		.....1945.....	10,101
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	942
		.....number 1950.....	6,693
		.....number 1950.....	681
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,467
		.....number 1950.....	361
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10,916
		.....number 1950.....	584
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,825
		.....number 1950.....	511
		.....number 1950.....	815
		.....pounds 1949.....	29,733,601
		.....dollars 1949.....	40,812,682
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,226,888
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	214
		.....1944.....	156
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	164,170
		.....1944.....	188,489
		.....dollars 1949.....	98,119
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
		.....dollars 1949.....	177
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	645
		.....1945.....	754
		.....number 1950.....	17,440
		.....number 1950.....	19,395
		.....number 1950.....	611
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	9,163
		.....number 1950.....	284
		.....number 1950.....	8,131
		.....number 1950.....	597
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	555
	1945.....	4,005
	number 1950.....	3,312
	1945.....	

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	30	Corn:	
1945.....	30	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,139
number 1950.....	925	1944.....	1,585
1945.....	1,303	acres 1949.....	76,855
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	89,032
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,132
number 1950.....	534	1944.....	1,582
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	25	acres 1949.....	75,469
1945 ¹	27	1944.....	88,675
number 1950.....	1,505	bushels 1949.....	3,011,720
1945 ¹	1,057	1944.....	3,672,088
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	9	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	55
number 1950.....	29	acres 1949.....	890
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	22	tons green weight 1949.....	6,069
number 1950.....	391	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	19	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	28	acres 1949.....	496
number shorn 1949...	1,531	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	10,507	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	37
1944.....	10,033	1944.....	65
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949.....	389
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	550
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,178	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1945.....	1,548	1944.....	8
number 1950.....	124,235	acres 1949.....	162
1945.....	177,697	1944.....	120
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	689	bushels 1949...	9,475
number 1949...	219,296	1944.....	4,035
dollars 1949...	202,568	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	907	acres 1949...	130
dozens 1949...	924,469	tons green weight 1949...	1,465
dollars 1949...	340,329	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	5	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950...	26	acres 1949...	97
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	11	tons cut 1949...	281
1944.....	6	Small grains:	
number 1949...	2,948	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	3,687	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	18
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	326
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	6,196
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	992	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	236
dollars 1949...	10,010,623	1944.....	113
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	846	acres 1949...	4,789
1944.....	937	1944.....	1,877
number 1949...	45,186	bushels 1949...	69,293
1944.....	27,423	1944.....	24,870
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	637	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	41,484	acres 1949...	87
dollars 1949...	8,761,045	1944.....	48
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	563	bushels 1949...	906
number 1949...	3,702	1944.....	301
dollars 1949...	163,319	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	719
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	622	acres 1949...	664
1944.....	724	bushels 1949...	23,060
number 1949...	24,210	1944.....	14,759
1944.....	30,627	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	66
dollars 1949...	990,410	acres 1949...	469
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	664
1944.....	27	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	4,845	1944.....	8
1944.....	2,550	acres 1949...	161
dollars 1949...	91,795	1944.....	78
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	59	bushels 1949...	2,971
number 1949...	102	1944.....	888
dollars 1949...	4,054	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	16
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	577	acres 1949...	170
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	254	1944.....	140
number 1949...	292	bushels 1949...	1,568
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	155	1944.....	1,375
1944.....	191	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	171	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	27
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	243	1944 ² ...	22
1944.....	106	acres 1949...	450
number 1949...	65	1944 ² ...	255
1944.....	121	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	26
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	483	1944.....	19
1944.....	744	acres 1949...	445
number 1949...	846	1944.....	239
1944.....	1,561	bushels 1949...	10,360
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	3,651
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	37	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	1,292	acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	5
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	900 15,656	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	27 90
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	820 860 11,679 11,919 26,296 30,840	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	48 139 177 255
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	34 26 398 358 505 578	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	10 31 18 29
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	41 6 526 34 534 46	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	83 156 147 258
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	101 97 1,991 1,669 2,716 2,087	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	10 6
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	94 1,147 644 1,445 1,041	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	303
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons..green weight 1949...	6 82 297	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Field crops(Other):		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... quarts 1949...	42 10 9,660
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	4 6 23 48 28 63	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	9 6 119 73 71 179	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... acres 1950... 1945...	669 353 440 574
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949...	6 97 136	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	373 357 14,800 6,343 7,136 7,664 7,070 4,234
Lish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	356 93 96 139 9,640 4,188	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	361 211 2,123 2,067 853 1,270 1,538
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 100 lb. ear corn 1949...	20 117 1,216	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	324 219 1,671 1,860 581 1,070 1,187
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	1 1	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	397 269 1,911 4,415 1,145 766 4,236 113,400
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1 1	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	272 219 1,279 2,128 748 831 267 116
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 1944...	953 1,300	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	200 144 805 946 372 433 220 4
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... sold..dollars 1949... 1944...	99 225 784 1,081 158,889 268,245	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945... vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1949... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	299 218 46,839 105,905 5,980 40,829 220,177 440,855
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	29 54 30 50		
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	34 59 44 60		

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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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...	558	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	8
1945.....	584	1945.....	10
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	589,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
1945.....	97,6	1945.....	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	367,989	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	246,720	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,365	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	8
1945.....	53,349	1945.....	4
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	575,525	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	11
1945.....	561,227	1945.....	6
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,031.4	50 to 59 acres.....number 1950...	3
1945.....	961.0	1945.....	7
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	31,524	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	4
1945.....	16,683	1945.....	8
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	31.04	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	17.36	1945.....	8
average per acre, dollars 1950*		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	20
1945.....		1945.....	29
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	6
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	536	1945.....	7
1944 ¹	563	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	11
acres 1949.....	142,212	1945.....	18
1944.....	159,634	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	138
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	141
1944.....	8	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	375
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	197
1944.....	1	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	169
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945.....	149
1944.....	13		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	18	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	White operators.....number 1950...	558
1944.....	56	1945.....	584
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	132	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	128	1945.....	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	310	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	343	Full owners.....number 1950...	189
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	91	1945.....	172
1944 ¹	82	Part owners.....number 1950...	174
acres 1949.....	12,084	1945.....	167
1944 ¹	1,545	Managers.....number 1950...	3
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	435	1945.....	9
acres 1949.....	64,762	All tenants.....number 1950...	192
1944.....	38,265	1945.....	236
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	329	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	34.4
acres 1949.....	42,441	1945.....	40.4
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	16
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	170	1945.....	69
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	71	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	35
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	247	1945.....	100
acres 1949.....	22,321	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	185
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	83
1944.....	4	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	17
acres 1949.....	152	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	15
1944.....	25	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1945.....	13
1944.....	3		
acres 1949.....	627	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	125	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	302
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	491	1945.....	297
1944 ¹	526	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	252
acres 1949.....	345,490	1945.....	116
1944 ¹	348,868	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	139
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	533	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.81
1944.....	559	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	72
acres 1949.....	10,198	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	11
1944.....	12,765	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	24
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	43	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	175
1944.....	30	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	11
acres 1949.....	4,100	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	2,535	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grain combines.....number 1950...	294
acres 1949.....	20	number 1945.....	344
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	177
		number 1945.....	182
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		number 1945.....	21
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1945.....	2
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		number 1945.....	40

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...	386	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	264
.....farms reporting 1945...	243	General farms.....number 1950...	53
.....number 1950...	474	.....number 1950...	9
.....farms reporting 1950...	274	.....number 1950...	5
.....farms reporting 1945...	501	.....number 1950...	39
.....farms reporting 1945...	460	.....number 1950...	33
.....number 1950...	811		
.....farms reporting 1945...	562	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	491	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	525
.....number 1950...	749	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	36
.....farms reporting 1950...	22	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	104
.....number 1950...	22	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	131
.....farms reporting 1950...	39	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	168
.....number 1950...	40	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	62
.....farms reporting 1950...	511	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	24
.....number 1950...	534	Other farms.....number 1950...	33
.....farms reporting 1945...	702	Part-time ².....number 1950...	26
.....number 1950...	639	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	7
		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	47	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,672,649
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	14	.....dollars 1944...	3,523,327
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	29	All crops sold.....dollar 1949...	1,620,441
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	350	.....dollar 1944...	1,570,036
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	118	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,619,888
		.....dollars 1944...	1,568,963
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	300
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944...	615
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	253
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	82	.....dollars 1944...	383
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	150	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	324	.....dollars 1944...	75
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	11	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,052,208
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944...	1,953,291
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	67	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	104,239
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	.....dollars 1944...	131,202
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	126	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	148,715
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	333	.....dollars 1944...	127,599
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6.5	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,799,254
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944...	1,694,490
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	70	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....dollars 1944...	.....
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	456		
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	406
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	567	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	401
.....persons 1950...	1,115	.....farms reporting 1945...	520
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	555	.....number 1950...	1,715
Operators.....persons 1950...	555	.....number 1945...	3,020
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	273	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	23
.....persons 1950...	366	.....farms reporting 1945...	60
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	135	.....number 1950...	95
.....persons 1950...	194	.....number 1945...	165
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	587	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	488
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	495	.....farms reporting 1945...	546
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	322	.....number 1950...	28,133
.....dollars 1949...	104,685	.....number 1945...	32,172
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	445	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	477
.....dollars 1949...	347,697	.....farms reporting 1945 ³ ...	536
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	473	.....number 1950...	13,103
.....dollars 1949...	4,64,541	.....number 1945 ³ ...	16,252
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	432	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	433
.....dollars 1949...	625,753	.....number 1950...	1,945
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	502	.....number 1950...	355
.....dollars 1949...	114,751	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,827
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	516	.....number 1950...	3,700
.....dollars 1949...	363,462	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	6,142
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	453	.....number 1950...	353
.....dollars 1949...	90,200	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,061
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	476	.....number 1950...	17
.....dollars 1949...	98,566	.....farms reporting 1949...	58
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	411,777
No sales.....number 1950...	4	.....pounds 1944...	758,322
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	3	.....dollars 1949...	18,297
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	17	.....farms reporting 1949...	308
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1944...	403
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	17	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	137,298
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	39	.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	228,780
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	39	.....dollars 1949...	85,832
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	91	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	106	.....dollars 1949...	60
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	102		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	140	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	360
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	198	.....farms reporting 1945...	394
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	198	.....number 1950...	8,858
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	9,973
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	328
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1950...	4,912
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	185
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	3,945
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	298
	farms reporting 1945...	277
	number 1950...	2,071
	number 1945...	2,088

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Corn:	
1945.....	14	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	441
number 1950.....	1,125	1944.....	527
1945.....	1,429	acres 1949.....	66,690
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	99,582
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	9	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	439
number 1950.....	700	1944.....	526
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	9	acres 1949.....	65,958
1945 ¹	14	1944.....	99,010
number 1950.....	667	bushels 1949.....	1,226,243
1945 ¹	903	1944.....	1,758,875
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	7	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950.....	33	acres 1949.....	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	10	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
number 1950.....	425	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	9	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	33
1944.....	13	acres 1949.....	732
number shorn 1949.....	638	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	5,752	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	378
1944.....	8,635	1944.....	490
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	14,234
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	23,714
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	444	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	55
1945.....	494	1944.....	95
number 1950.....	38,917	acres 1949.....	2,026
1945.....	58,336	1944.....	3,649
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	221	bushels 1949.....	37,275
number 1949.....	24,677	1944.....	54,971
dollars 1949.....	24,307	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	365	acres 1949.....	100
dozens 1949.....	236,198	tons..green weight 1949.....	400
dollars 1949.....	77,401	Sorghums or cans hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	3	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	362
number 1950.....	9	acres 1949.....	12,108
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	7	tons cut 1949.....	19,768
1944.....	21	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	7,422	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	886	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	2
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	22
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949.....	350
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	486	1944.....	287
dollars 1949...	2,795,503	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	167
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	453	acres 1949.....	37,556
1944.....	470	1944.....	17,373
number 1949.....	17,185	bushels 1949.....	324,138
1944.....	14,647	1944.....	294,196
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	364	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949.....	12,661	acres 1949.....	70
dollars 1949...	1,949,617	1944.....	150
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	277	bushels 1949.....	25
number 1949.....	4,524	1944.....	12
dollars 1949...	394,914	acres 1949.....	365
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	350	1944.....	207
1944.....	441	bushels 1949.....	7,577
number 1949.....	11,346	1944.....	4,095
1944.....	19,700	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	434,835	acres 1949.....	13
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	100
1944.....	10	acres 1944.....	199
number 1949.....	478	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	44
1944.....	893	acres 1944.....	78
dollars 1949...	8,434	acres 1949.....	1,524
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	88	1944.....	2,615
number 1949...	234	bushels 1949.....	26,989
dollars 1949...	7,703	1944.....	26,686
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	508	acres 1944.....	41
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	200	1949.....	1,524
number 1949.....	235	bushels 1944.....	2,011
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	120	1944.....	9,565
1944.....	192	1944.....	16,465
number 1949.....	141	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	216	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	83	1944 ².....	.....
1944.....	38	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1949.....	94	1944 ².....	.....
1944.....	41	acres 1944.....	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	320	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	451	acres 1949.....	.....
number 1949.....	610	1944.....	.....
1944.....	954	bushels 1949.....	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	.....
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	1,277	acres 1949.....	.....
		tons 1949.....	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949.....	.....
		1944.....	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949.....	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres 1944.....	31
		1949.....	102
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	.....
		1944.....	.....

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

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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...	1,460	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	56
.....1945...	1,576	.....1945...	56
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	369,280	.....1945...	20
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	96.7	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	4
.....1945...	96.7	.....1945...	36
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	154,789	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	52
.....1945...	242,866	.....1945...	37
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	91	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	53
.....1945...	40,499	.....1945...	27
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	357,247	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	28
.....1945...	354,222	.....1945...	16
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	244.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945...	224.8	.....1945...	71
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	23,527	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	91
.....1945...	14,331	.....1945...	41
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	95.77	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	48
.....1945...	63.76	.....1945...	324
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	388
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,379	.....1945...	126
.....1944...	1,485	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	132
.....acres 1949...	273,669	.....1945...	215
.....1944...	269,328	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	254
.....1944...	16	.....1945...	472
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	30	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	456
.....1944...	18	.....1945...	68
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	51
.....1944...	16	.....1945...	1
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	24	.....1945...	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	28		
.....1944...	130		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	154		
.....1944...	617		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	693		
.....1944...	558		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	550		
.....1944...	499		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	754		
.....1944...	12,998		
.....acres 1949...	11,589		
.....1944...	525		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	15,461		
.....1944...	15,094		
.....acres 1949...	152		
.....1944...	3,360		
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	143		
.....1944...	7		
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	420		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	12,101		
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	71		
.....1944...	77		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,385		
.....1944...	1,969		
.....acres 1949...	66		
.....1944...	52		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010		
.....1944...	516		
.....acres 1949...	977		
.....1944...	1,119		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	37,252		
.....1944...	37,843		
.....acres 1949...	1,406		
.....1944...	1,550		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	14,472		
.....1944...	17,883		
.....acres 1949...	49		
.....1944...	18		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3,018		
.....1944...	1,645		
.....acres 1949...			
.....1944...			
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...			
.....acres 1949...			
.....1944...			
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,317	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1945...	1,462	White operators.....number 1950...	1,460
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	99	.....1945...	1,576
.....1945...	110	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
		.....1945...	
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	57	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	252	Full owners.....number 1950...	382
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	203	.....1945...	405
.....1944...	72	Part owners.....number 1950...	411
.....1944...	56	.....1945...	334
		Managers.....number 1950...	2
		.....1945...	2
		All tenants.....number 1950...	665
		.....1945...	835
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	45.5
		.....1945...	53.0
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	25
		.....1945...	22
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	477
		.....1945...	426
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	124
		.....1945...	387
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	116
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	8
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
		.....1945...	
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	2
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	37
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	809
		.....1945...	639
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	754
		.....1945...	326
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	599
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.05
		.....1945...	246
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	121
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	70
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	558
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	81
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	819
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	730
		.....number 1950...	731
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		.....number 1950...	60
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	151
		.....number 1950...	171
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	273
		.....number 1950...	300
		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 EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	610	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	310
.....1945.....	410	General farms.....number 1950...	328
.....number 1950.....	667	.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	425	.....number 1950.....	47
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,245	.....number 1950.....	272
.....1945.....	1,220	.....number 1950.....	56
.....number 1950.....	1,676	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	1,383	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,404
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,235	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	39
.....number 1950.....	1,656	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	120
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	384
.....number 1950.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	487
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	234
.....number 1950.....	10	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	140
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,375	Other farms.....number 1950...	56
.....1945.....	1,458	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	41
.....number 1950.....	1,793	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	15
.....1945.....	1,681	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	162	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,963,450
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....1944.....	5,979,373
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	105	All crops sold.....dollar 1949...	3,787,251
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	560	.....1944.....	2,717,271
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	628	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,773,745
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	2,709,438
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	555
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	90	.....1944.....	5,118
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	626	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,451
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	614	.....1944.....	115
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	155	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	11,500
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	2,600
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,176,174
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	598	.....1944.....	3,260,752
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	190	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	285,286
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	480	.....1944.....	355,747
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	21	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	762,865
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	.....1944.....	734,582
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,128,023
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	130	.....1944.....	2,170,423
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	675	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	25
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	640	.....1944.....	1,390
FARM LABOR⁵		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	698
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,315	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	675
.....persons 1950...	2,394	.....1945.....	1,226
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,310	.....number 1950.....	1,547
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,265	.....1945.....	3,888
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	699	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	39
.....persons 1950...	1,047	.....number 1950.....	190
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	72	.....1945.....	63
.....persons 1950...	82	.....1945.....	279
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,450	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,286
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,250	.....1945.....	1,418
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,165	.....number 1950.....	21,570
dollars 1949...	255,681	.....1945.....	27,699
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	900	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,232
dollars 1949...	229,862	.....1945 ⁷	1,368
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,335	.....number 1950.....	7,882
dollars 1949...	1,150,096	.....1945 ⁷	10,263
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,239	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,090
dollars 1949...	1,485,014	.....number 1950.....	5,147
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,115	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	927
dollars 1949...	188,808	.....number 1950.....	4,950
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,340	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	911
dollars 1949...	633,850	.....number 1950.....	5,682
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,210	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	838
dollars 1949...	200,317	.....number 1950.....	3,056
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,305	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	72
dollars 1949...	251,057	.....1944.....	41
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	1,425,094
No sales.....number 1950...	10	.....1944.....	1,137,814
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	5	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	53,243
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	23	.....1944.....	784
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	32	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,170
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	75	.....1944.....	390,419
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	75	.....1944.....	636,239
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	210	.....dollars 1949...	232,043
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	300	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	324	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	930
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	247	.....1945.....	1,120
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	159	.....number 1950...	20,102
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	21,491
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	705	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	869
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	705	.....number 1950...	10,771
Cotton.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	420
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	9,331
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	797
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		.....1945.....	768
Dairy farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	4,793
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	61	.....1945.....	3,747

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	51	Corn:	
1945.....	112	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,337
number 1950...	1,987	1944.....	1,445
1945.....	5,859	acres 1949...	122,568
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	127,181
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	49	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,333
number 1950...	1,196	1944.....	1,445
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	48	acres 1949...	119,905
1945.....	99	1944.....	125,555
number 1950...	1,150	bushels 1949...	3,731,076
1945.....	2,621	1944.....	3,901,963
Hens and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	157
number 1950...	46	acres 1949...	1,435
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	40	tons, green weight 1949...	9,001
number 1950...	791	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	44	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	71
1944.....	100	acres 1949...	1,228
number shorn 1949...	959	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	8,929	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	375
1944.....	25,398	1944.....	813
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	8,960
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	12,295
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,276	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	248
1945.....	1,393	1944.....	298
number 1950...	180,282	acres 1949...	7,762
1945.....	229,193	1944.....	6,778
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	970	bushels 1949...	204,143
number 1949...	131,585	1944.....	162,800
dollars 1949...	122,109	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	74
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,224	acres 1949...	475
dozens 1949...	1,613,165	tons, green weight 1949...	2,980
dollars 1949...	566,850	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	8	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	140
number 1950...	475	acres 1949...	723
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	12	tons 1949...	1,724
1944.....	31	Small grains:	
number 1949...	10,973	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	22,490	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	671
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	30,976
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	406,597
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,224	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,124
dollars 1949...	3,117,517	1944.....	1,068
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,087	acres 1949...	73,752
1944.....	1,206	1944.....	62,446
number 1949...	13,153	bushels 1949...	530,562
1944.....	13,051	1944.....	477,469
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	821	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949...	9,840	acres 1949...	664
dollars 1949...	1,839,756	1944.....	81
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	611	bushels 1949...	6,740
number 1949...	3,313	1944.....	480
dollars 1949...	250,909	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	813
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	900	1944.....	1,162
1944.....	1,151	acres 1949...	20,371
number 1949...	25,448	1944.....	44,873
1944.....	35,078	bushels 1949...	286,720
dollars 1949...	985,405	1944.....	621,586
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	44	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944.....	92	1944.....	305
number 1949...	1,833	acres 1949...	538
1944.....	3,666	1944.....	5,711
dollars 1949...	36,397	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	84	1944.....	163
number 1949...	149	acres 1949...	98
dollars 1949...	5,050	1944.....	4,052
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	1,680
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	939	1944.....	23,368
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	491	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	538	1944.....	51
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	215	acres 1949...	22
1944.....	436	1944.....	507
number 1949...	232	bushels 1949...	102
1944.....	566	1944.....	4,954
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	282	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	181	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	306	1944 ²	3
1944.....	205	acres 1949...	58
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	823	1944 ²	58
1944.....	1,134	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	1,427	1944.....	58
1944.....	2,292	bushels 1949...	555
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	171	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	5,445	acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,035	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	17,458	acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	823	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	481	1944...	3
acres 1949...	9,067	acres 1949...	4
1944...	4,151	1944...	6
tons 1949...	16,095	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	8,543	1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	acres 1949...	2
1944...	6	1944...	(*)
acres 1949...	142	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	99	1944...	6
tons 1949...	231	acres 1949...	2
1944...	162	1944...	5
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	36	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	10	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	438	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
1944...	68		
tons 1949...	434	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	71	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	461	acres 1949...	1
1944...	476	quarts 1949...	1,370
acres 1949...	5,829	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	6,981	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	332
tons 1949...	6,744	1945...	32
1944...	7,225	acres 1950 ² ...	50
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	169	1945...	39
acres 1949...	2,097	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	169
1944...	1,214	1945...	54
tons 1949...	2,692	trees of all ages..number 1950...	970
1944...	1,709	1945...	2,287
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	609
acres 1949...	14	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	361
tons..green weight 1949...	57	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	363
Field crops (other):		1944...	89
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	194
1944...	41	1945...	35
acres 1949...	30	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,717
1944...	290	1945...	339
bushels 1949...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	476
1944...	332	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,241
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,098
1944...	5	1944...	
acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	84
1944...	39	1945...	19
bushels 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	235
1944...	65	1945...	79
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	143
acres 1949...	213	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	92
bushels 1949...	314	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	112
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	179	1944...	5
1944...	58	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	179
acres 1949 ¹ ...	10	1945...	47
1944...	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,082
bushels 1949...	1,798	1945...	440
1944...	394	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	468
Popecorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	16	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	624
acres 1949...	17	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,287
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	254	1944...	238
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	63
1944...		1945...	18
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	418
1944...		1945...	71
tons 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	181
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	237
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	89
acres 1949...	20	1944...	5
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	634	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	119
1944...	1,293	1945...	25
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	709
1944...	8	1945...	256
acres 1949...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	190
1944...	31	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	519
sold..dollars 1949...	555	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	204
1944...	5,118	1944...	3
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	68
1944...	2	1945...	17
acres 1949...	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	620
1944...	1	1945...	470
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	381
1944...	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	239
acres 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,387
1944...	2	1944...	227

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...	1,037	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	55
1945.....	1,108	1945.....	61
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	369,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	16
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	95.6	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	210,622	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	39
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	189,945	1945.....	58
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	46,842	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	39
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	353,725	1945.....	28
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	361,785	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	23
1945.....	341.1	1945.....	31
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	326.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	15
1945.....	17,682	1945.....	12
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	10,689	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	41
1945.....	48.31	1945.....	41
average per acre, dollars 1950*	32.74	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	26
1945.....		1945.....	34
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	120
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	951	1945.....	128
1944.....	1,046	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	37
acres 1949.....	156,709	1945.....	67
1944.....	157,162	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	102
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	43	1945.....	132
1944.....	58	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	390
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	25	1945.....	385
1944.....	23	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	155
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	1945.....	163
1944.....	19	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	34
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	33	1945.....	26
1944.....	37		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	142	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	192	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	385	White operators.....number 1950...	1,037
1944.....	470	1945.....	1,108
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	307	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	
1944.....	247	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	205	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	327	Full owners.....number 1950...	310
acres 1949.....	5,509	1945.....	312
1944.....	3,302	Part owners.....number 1950...	320
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	556	1945.....	315
1944.....	34,288	Managers.....number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	45,197	1945.....	
1944.....	527	All tenants.....number 1950...	377
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	370	1945.....	480
1944.....	152	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	36.4
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	1945.....	43.3
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	311	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	18
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	11,520	1945.....	25
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	34	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	21.5
acres 1949.....	92	1945.....	11.6
1944.....	1,347	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	129
acres 1949.....	2,537	1945.....	339
1944.....	85	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	108
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	56	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
1944.....	92	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	15
acres 1949.....	2,007	1945.....	
1944.....	1,521	Other tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	878	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	12
1944.....	951		
acres 1949.....	139,979	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	136,576	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	787
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	989	1945.....	867
1944.....	1,082	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	917
acres 1949.....	13,886	1945.....	247
1944.....	15,490	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	892
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	41	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.60
1944.....	9	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	220
acres 1949.....	2,259	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	105
1944.....	364	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	110
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	741
acres 1949.....	67	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	70
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	35
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	911	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	452
1945.....	1,025	number 1950.....	462
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	100	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	228
1945.....	83	number 1950.....	229
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	99	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	16
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	406	number 1950.....	16
1944.....	245	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	31
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	92	number 1950...	31
1944.....	86	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	161
		number 1950...	203

*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...	413	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	345
.....1945.....	222	General farms.....number 1950...	246
.....number 1950.....	429	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	241	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	63
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	883	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	178
.....1945.....	754	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	89
.....number 1950.....	1,155		
.....1945.....	848		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	878		
.....number 1950.....	1,140		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
.....number 1950.....	5		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	923		
.....1945.....	1,015		
.....number 1950.....	1,094		
.....1945.....	1,177		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	121		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	32		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	65		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	578		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	241		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	85		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	451		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	316		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	180		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	230		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	145		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	381		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	161		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	40		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	310		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	652		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	992		
.....persons 1950.....	1,683		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	987		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	957		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	470		
.....persons 1950.....	665		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	52		
.....persons 1950.....	61		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,043		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	863		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	722		
.....dollars 1949.....	143,502		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	628		
.....dollars 1949.....	148,811		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	988		
.....dollars 1949.....	547,350		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	883		
.....dollars 1949.....	456,973		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	863		
.....dollars 1949.....	96,191		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	968		
.....dollars 1949.....	352,218		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	778		
.....dollars 1949.....	88,579		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	873		
.....dollars 1949.....	122,030		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	4		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	23		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	15		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	15		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	31		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	87		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	184		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	226		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	208		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	173		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	47		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	289		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	289		
Cotton.....number 1950.....			
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....			
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	34		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	34		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	948
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	15
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	24.6
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	361
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	227
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	67
		Other farms.....number 1950...	89
		Part-time ².....number 1950...	62
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	27
		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,640,948
		.....1944.....	4,126,307
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,838,863
		.....1944.....	2,083,659
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,834,632
		.....1944.....	2,079,449
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,167
		.....1944.....	2,834
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,354
		.....1944.....	801
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	710
		.....1944.....	575
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,802,085
		.....1944.....	2,042,528
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	240,523
		.....1944.....	238,854
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	355,868
		.....1944.....	347,327
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,205,294
		.....1944.....	1,456,347
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	120
		.....1944.....	
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	657
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	616
		.....1945.....	878
		.....number 1950.....	1,720
		.....1945.....	3,375
		.....number 1950.....	26
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	126
		.....1945.....	69
		.....number 1950.....	299
		.....1945.....	
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	902
		.....1945.....	1,000
		.....number 1950.....	26,598
		.....1945.....	31,023
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	888
		.....1945 ³	987
		.....number 1950.....	11,314
		.....1945 ³	13,212
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	810
		.....number 1950.....	4,462
		.....number 1950.....	733
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,411
		.....number 1950.....	695
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,218
		.....number 1950.....	683
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,255
		.....number 1950.....	36
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	49
		.....pounds 1949.....	590,297
		.....1944.....	450,743
		.....dollars 1949.....	22,687
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	675
		.....1944.....	850
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	369,274
		.....1944.....	452,116
		.....dollars 1949.....	218,236
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	666
		.....1945.....	727
		.....number 1950.....	16,224
		.....1945.....	14,929
		.....number 1950.....	63
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	7,296
		.....number 1950.....	372
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	8,928
		.....number 1950.....	349
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	495
		.....1945.....	3,553
		.....number 1950.....	2,690
		.....1945.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Corn:	
1945...	8	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	839
number 1950...	220	1944...	999
1945...	54	acres 1949...	58,995
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	108,351
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	832
number 1950...	125	1944...	998
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	3	acres 1949...	57,404
1945...	5	1944...	106,410
number 1950...	113	bushels 1949...	1,389,787
1945...	38	1944...	3,007,669
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	57
number 1950...	12	acres 1949...	816
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	tons..green weight 1949...	4,711
number 1950...	95	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	52
1944...	3	acres 1949...	775
number shorn 1949...	98	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	880	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	601
1944...	318	1944...	847
Age date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	12,878
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	17,431
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	856	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	259
1945...	1,000	1944...	182
number 1950...	101,526	acres 1949...	7,771
1945...	137,237	1944...	4,221
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	581	bushels 1949...	149,443
number 1949...	50,064	1944...	7,796
dollars 1949...	42,715	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	41
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	795	acres 1949...	496
dozens 1949...	843,682	tons..green weight 1949...	2,174
dollars 1949...	288,810	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	435
number 1950...	3	acres 1949...	4,611
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	3	tons cut 1949...	7,366
1944...	7	Small grains:	
number 1949...	4,670	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944...	3,246	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	9
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	193
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	2,093
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	898	1944...	675
dollars 1949...	2,200,918	acres 1949...	69
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	829	1944...	58,406
1944...	792	acres 1944...	2,813
number 1949...	10,994	bushels 1949...	568,061
1944...	9,998	1944...	18,463
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	654	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	7,293	acres 1949...	308
dollars 1949...	1,091,313	1944...	.....
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	530	bushels 1949...	1,500
number 1949...	3,701	1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	342,002	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	427
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	682	1944...	357
1944...	814	acres 1949...	8,852
number 1949...	20,609	1944...	9,724
1944...	26,244	bushels 1949...	168,294
dollars 1949...	760,422	1944...	133,415
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	70
1944...	15	1944...	151
number 1949...	76	acres 1949...	864
1944...	182	1944...	2,976
dollars 1949...	1,706	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	55
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	79	1944...	245
number 1949...	183	acres 1949...	1,007
dollars 1949...	5,475	1944...	7,017
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	9,675
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	700	1944...	47,618
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	426	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1949...	492	1944...	20
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	212	acres 1949...	222
1944...	367	1944...	252
number 1949...	228	bushels 1949...	1,345
1944...	429	1944...	2,162
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	225	Annual legumes:	
1944...	62	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	264	1944 ².....	.....
1944...	66	acres 1949...	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	611	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	809	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	1,028	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	1,540	1944 ².....	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	223	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	4,103	acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		bushels 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 916 1945... 1,028	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 14 1945... 39
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 618,240 1945... 98.4	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... 5
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 98.4	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 14 1945... 34
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 355,615 1945... 294,752	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 23
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 540 1945... 42,611	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 8 1945... 5
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 608,296 1945... 604,802	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 3 1945... 3
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 42,611 1945... 608,296	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 9 1945... 9
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 604,802 1945... 664.1	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 12 1945... 13
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 664.1 1945... 588.3	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 42 1945... 53
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 19,204 1945... 11,689	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 17 1945... 21
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 29.94 1945... 19.87	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 36 1945... 29
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 280 1945... 347
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 893 1944... 970	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 314 1945... 349
acres	1949... 189,635 1944... 214,275	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 167 1945... 137
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 17 1944... 20		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 10	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 14 1944... 14	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 16	White operators.....number	1950... 915 1945... 1,028
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 112 1944... 88	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 296 1944... 333	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 422 1944... 489	Full owners.....number	1950... 267 1945... 253
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 109 1944*... 246	Part owners.....number	1950... 322 1945... 310
acres	1949... 5,078 1944... 2,649	Managers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 758 1944... 37,462	All tenants.....number	1950... 326 1945... 463
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 708 1944... 58,576	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 35.6 1945... 45.0
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 245 1944... 426	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 19 1945... 37
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 37 1944... 240	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 183 1945... 222
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 240 1944... 8,936	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 110 1945... 204
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 8,936 1944... 19	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 87 1945... 23
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 19 1944... 21	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 83 1945... 14
acres	1949... 2,934 1944... 580	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 36 1944... 29	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 13 1945... ..
acres	1949... 1,981 1944... 1,339		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 858 1944... 961	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres	1949... 324,131 1944... 328,282	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 651 1945... 764
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 881 1944... 1,020	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 691 1945... 189
acres	1949... 17,025 1944... 20,215	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 681 1945... 189
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 5.64 1945... 174
acres	1949... 500 1944... ..	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 75 1945... 36
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 75 1945... 36
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 500 1945... 31
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 31 1945... 5
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 57
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 476 1945... 499
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 255 1945... 256
		Grain combines.....number	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 10
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 144 1945... 159
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 839 1945... 986		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 74 1945... 40		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 69 1944... 249		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 199 1944... 65		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 65 1944... 60		

*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...	546	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	331
.....number 1945...	333	General farms.....number 1950...	112
.....number 1950...	605	.....number 1945...	344
.....number 1945...	783	.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	766	.....number 1950...	46
.....number 1950...	1,063	.....number 1950...	61
.....number 1945...	861	.....number 1950...	42
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	783	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	1,048	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	874
.....number 1950...	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	104
.....number 1950...	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	357
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	265
.....number 1950...	758	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	107
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	911	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	36
.....number 1945...	970	Other farms.....number 1950...	42
.....number 1945...	990	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	32
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	10
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	37	Abnormal ².....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...	52	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,026,136
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	697	.....dollars 1944...	4,527,887
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	120	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,715,465
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		.....dollars 1944...	2,125,799
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,715,308
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	25	.....dollars 1944...	2,125,682
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	186	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	86
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	180	.....dollars 1944...	25
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	485	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	71
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	11	.....dollars 1944...	92
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....dollars 1944...	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	65	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,310,671
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	201	.....dollars 1944...	2,402,088
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	485	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	181,596
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8.0	.....dollars 1944...	201,023
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	219,768
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....dollars 1944...	281,869
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	125	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,909,347
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	741	.....dollars 1944...	1,919,196
FARM LABOR^A		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944...	.....
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	846	HORSES AND MILES	
.....persons 1950...	1,533	Horses and/or miles.....farms reporting 1950...	746
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	841	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	744
Operators.....persons 1950...	816	.....number 1945...	839
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	465	.....number 1950...	2,311
.....persons 1950...	674	.....number 1945...	4,257
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	43	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....persons 1950...	43	.....number 1945...	73
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		.....number 1950...	32
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	853	.....number 1945...	156
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	728	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	578	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	848
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	149,329	.....farms reporting 1945...	955
.....dollars 1949...	582	.....number 1950...	40,734
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	190,506	.....number 1945...	43,233
.....dollars 1949...	772	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	837
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	541,747	.....number 1950...	938
.....dollars 1949...	668	.....number 1945...	18,552
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	512,368	.....number 1950...	21,005
.....dollars 1949...	783	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	740
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	119,563	.....number 1950...	3,118
.....dollars 1949...	813	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	674
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	451,538	.....number 1950...	7,715
.....dollars 1949...	708	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	708
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	144,750	.....number 1950...	7,922
.....dollars 1949...	763	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	6,545
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	6,545
No sales.....number 1950...	10	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	12
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds 1944...	15
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	.....	.....dollars 1949...	218,921
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	23	.....dollars 1944...	264,278
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	28	.....dollars 1949...	6,680
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	34	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	568
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	90	.....farms reporting 1944...	770
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	159	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	311,327
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	216	.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	391,069
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	247	.....dollars 1949...	174,876
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	109	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....dollars 1949...	.....
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	416	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	416	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	594
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	740
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	10,862
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	17,424
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	565
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1950...	5,965
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	269
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	4,897
.....number 1950...	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	482
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	511
.....number 1950...	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	2,748
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	511
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	2,748
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	3,079

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
SHREEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Corn:	
1945.....	36	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	810
number 1950.....	280	1944.....	939
1945.....	1,468	acres 1949.....	75,192
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	114,776
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	805
number 1950.....	163	1944.....	939
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	acres 1949.....	73,825
1945 ¹	32	1944.....	113,239
number 1950.....	148	bushels 1949.....	1,610,409
1945 ¹	930	2,800,233	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1950.....	15	acres 1949.....	390
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	7	tons..green weight 1949...	2,086
number 1950.....	117	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	10	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	54
1944.....	31	acres 1949...	977
number shorn 1949.....	216	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	2,156	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	680
1944.....	9,760	1944.....	861
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	17,324
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	25,308
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	751	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	86
1945.....	947	1944.....	62
number 1950.....	78,555	acres 1949.....	1,639
1945.....	118,981	1944.....	839
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	409	bushels 1949.....	26,427
number 1949.....	32,718	1944.....	16,151
dollars 1949.....	29,077	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	29
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	646	acres 1949.....	320
dozens 1949.....	571,706	tons..green weight 1949...	1,797
dollars 1949.....	190,396	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	659
number 1950...	9	acres 1949.....	15,365
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	1	tons cut 1949...	33,520
1944.....	30	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	18	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	3,147	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	98
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	1,480
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	829	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	734
dollars 1949...	2,905,041	1944.....	631
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	782	acres 1949.....	75,295
1944.....	793	1944.....	47,801
number 1949.....	17,842	bushels 1949.....	946,476
1944.....	14,412	1944.....	716,345
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	606	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	10,190	acres 1949...	158
dollars 1949...	1,555,287	1944.....	96
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	513	bushels 1949...	1,780
number 1949...	7,652	1944.....	393
dollars 1949...	727,059	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	282
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	585	acres 1949...	294
1944.....	811	1944.....	6,726
number 1949...	15,582	bushels 1949...	7,700
1944.....	30,650	1944.....	138,922
dollars 1949...	612,527	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	33
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1944.....	40
1944.....	20	1944.....	463
number 1949...	182	1944.....	757
1944.....	1,149	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	116
dollars 1949...	3,269	1944.....	295
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	87	acres 1949...	2,626
number 1949...	195	1944.....	9,939
dollars 1949...	6,899	bushels 1949...	29,027
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	91,825
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	851	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	399	1944.....	116
number 1949...	455	acres 1949...	276
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	260	1944.....	1,932
1944.....	325	bushels 1949...	2,085
number 1949...	291	1944.....	21,842
1944.....	379	Annual legumes:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	148	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	93	1944 ²	
1944.....	164	acres 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	511	1944 ²	
1944.....	778	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	881	1944.....	
1944.....	1,486	acres 1949.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949.....	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	198	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	3,465	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949...	2
		1944.....	2
		100-lb. bags 1949...	3
		1944.....	12

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued ¹	
Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	475	Wantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	12,000	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	146	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	62	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	2,154	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	1,146	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	5,068	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	3,011	1944.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	17	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	206	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	185	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	201	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	156	1944.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	213	1944.....	1
1944.....	153	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	200		
1944.....	158	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	330	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	154	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	7,841	quarts 1949.....	30
1944.....	2,967	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	9,102	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	120
1944.....	2,964	1945.....	11
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	150	acres 1950 ²	10
acres 1949.....	1,783	1945.....	10
1944.....	867	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	74
tons 1949.....	2,431	1945.....	16
1944.....	1,211	trees of all ages..number 1950...	351
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	67
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	194
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	157
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	181
Field crops (other):		1944.....	66
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	73
1944.....	3	1945.....	15
acres 1949.....	435	1945.....	334
1944.....	54	trees of all ages..number 1950...	60
bushels 1949.....	650	1945.....	208
1944.....	23	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	126
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	188
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	21
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	5
acres 1949.....	34	1945.....	15
bushels 1949.....	112	trees of all ages..number 1950...	21
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	103	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14
1944.....	26	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	29
acres 1949 ¹	10	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5
1944.....	8	1944.....	
bushels 1949.....	1,372	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	92
1944.....	692	1945.....	21
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945.....	113
acres 1949.....	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	210
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	40	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	370
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,002
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	863
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	38
tons 1949.....		1945.....	12
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	197
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	94
acres 1949.....	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	65
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	412	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	92
1944.....	809	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	47
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	59
1944.....	1	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	25
acres 1949.....	2	1945.....	5
1944.....	2	1945.....	228
acres 1949.....	2	1945.....	18
1944.....	25	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	201
acres 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	27
1944.....	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16
acres 1949.....	2	1944.....	
1944.....	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	22
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	4
1944.....		1945.....	141
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	78
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	102
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	38
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	347
acres 1949.....		1944.....	439

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.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	164	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	249
.....1945...	105	General farms.....number 1950...	65
.....number 1950...	185	.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	110	.....number 1950...	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	276	.....number 1950...	82
.....1945...	188	.....number 1950...	25
.....number 1950...	371		
.....1945...	202		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	275		
.....number 1950...	380		
.....number 1950...			
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...			
.....number 1950...			
.....number 1950...			
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	11		
.....number 1950...	11		
.....number 1950...			
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	510		
.....1945...	357		
.....number 1950...	411		
.....1945...	397		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
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...	85		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	240		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	50		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	555
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	71	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	29
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	180	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	101
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	174	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	124
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	11	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	75
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	21
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	59	Other farms.....number 1950...	25
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	25
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	108	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5.6		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	6		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	117		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	250		
FARM LABOR^a		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,235,151
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	349	.....1944.....	1,586,043
.....persons 1950...	658	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	258,252
.....persons 1950...	548	.....1944.....	171,561
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	348	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	257,836
.....persons 1950...	548	.....1944.....	188,225
Operators.....persons 1950...	548	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	513
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	191	.....1944.....	2,156
.....persons 1950...	288	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	105
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....1944.....	990
.....persons 1950...	40	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	10
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,996,774
		.....1944.....	1,194,682
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	182,465
		.....1944.....	188,816
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	89,472
		.....1944.....	120,147
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,744,857
		.....1944.....	935,719
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	125
		.....1944.....	
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	329
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	328
		.....1945...	376
		.....number 1950...	1,953
		.....1945...	2,987
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945...	41
		.....number 1950...	34
		.....1945...	107
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	556
		.....1945...	594
		.....number 1950...	27,844
		.....1945...	28,684
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	551
		.....1945 ³ ...	591
		.....number 1950...	15,522
		.....1945 ³ ...	15,841
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	530
		.....number 1950...	2,400
		.....farms reporting 1950...	506
		.....number 1950...	5,312
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	260
		.....number 1950...	4,447
		.....number 1950...	517
		.....number 1950...	4,755
		.....number 1949...	7
		.....1944.....	14
		.....pounds 1949...	309,252
		.....1944.....	251,595
		.....dollars 1949...	12,010
		.....farms reporting 1949...	302
		.....1944.....	338
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	270,425
		.....1944.....	257,974
		.....dollars 1949...	160,455
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	237
		.....1945...	244
		.....number 1950...	5,547
		.....1945...	4,045
		.....farms reporting 1950...	221
		.....number 1950...	2,760
		.....farms reporting 1950...	121
	number 1950...	2,787
	farms reporting 1950...	180
	1945...	152
	number 1950...	1,151
	1945...	844

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³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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...	261
.....1945.....	327	General farms.....number 1950...	197
.....number 1950.....	540	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	343	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	48
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	831	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	144
.....1945.....	852	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	119
.....number 1950.....	1,396		
.....1945.....	972	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	831	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	984
.....number 1950.....	1,373	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	79
.....number 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	237
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	374
.....number 1950.....	18	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	201
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	925	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	86
.....1945.....	1,010	Other farms.....number 1950...	119
.....number 1950.....	1,092	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	68
.....1945.....	1,068	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	51
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ⁴.....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	154	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	11	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,699,584
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	58	.....1944.....	5,292,656
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	559	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,453,014
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	321	.....1944.....	2,934,434
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,452,110
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	2,933,376
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	93	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	343
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	428	.....1944.....	342
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	393	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	261
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	117	.....1944.....	506
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	300
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	210
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	152	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,246,267
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	131	.....1944.....	2,357,712
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	439	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	245,790
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	238	.....1944.....	299,840
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.0	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	419,568
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	364,729
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	86	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,580,909
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	159	.....1944.....	1,693,143
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	770	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	303
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	510
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	960	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	646
.....persons 1950.....	1,697	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	620
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	954	.....1945.....	909
Operators.....persons 1950.....	913	.....number 1950.....	1,685
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	429	.....1945.....	3,363
.....persons 1950.....	699	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	37
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	64	.....1945.....	167
.....persons 1950.....	85	.....number 1950.....	78
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	368
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,011	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	841	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	927
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	694	.....1945.....	1,038
dollars 1940.....	165,341	.....number 1950...	26,360
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	731	.....1945.....	31,982
dollars 1949.....	255,485	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	912
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	905	.....1945 ⁵	1,020
dollars 1949.....	520,890	.....number 1950...	10,527
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	772	.....1945 ⁵	12,912
dollars 1949.....	518,231	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	638
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	820	.....number 1950...	4,290
dollars 1949.....	99,705	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	741
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	921	.....number 1950...	5,665
dollars 1949.....	425,064	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	710
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	756	.....number 1950...	6,802
dollars 1949.....	115,737	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	687
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	835	.....number 1950...	3,966
dollars 1949.....	130,555	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	54
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	49
No sales.....number 1950...	9	.....pounds 1949.....	1,424,818
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	42	.....1944.....	1,516,017
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	10	.....dollars 1949.....	51,276
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	78	.....1944.....	632
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	52	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	879
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	67	.....1944.....	323,715
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	150	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	516,750
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	234	.....1944.....	194,214
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	229	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	148	.....dollars 1949.....	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	84	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	648
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	483	.....1945.....	742
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	483	.....number 1950...	14,173
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	13,999
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	604
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	7,143
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	333
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	27	.....number 1950...	7,000
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	16	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	518
	1945.....	516
	number 1950...	3,092
	1945.....	2,621

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Corn:	
1945.....	23	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	848
number 1950.....	268	1944.....	1,077
1945.....	2,982	acres 1949.....	59,680
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	109,531
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	840
1945.....	139	1944.....	1,077
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	11	acres 1949.....	57,188
1945 ¹	18	1944.....	108,159
number 1950.....	126	bushels 1949...	1,466,516
1945 ¹	647	1944.....	3,164,196
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	74
number 1950.....	13	acres 1949...	884
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	tons..green weight 1949...	4,514
number 1950.....	129	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	6	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	62
1944.....	17	acres 1949...	1,608
number shorn 1949...	277	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	2,462	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	532
1944.....	4,835	1944.....	841
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	12,496
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	18,391
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	905	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	258
1945.....	1,050	1944.....	137
number 1950.....	92,385	acres 1949...	6,480
1945.....	129,046	1944.....	2,398
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	534	bushels 1949...	132,155
number 1949.....	40,858	1944.....	47,878
dollars 1949.....	35,766	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	44
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	815	acres 1949...	599
dozens 1949.....	693,756	tons..green weight 1949...	4,442
dollars 1949.....	224,777	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	5	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	362
number 1950.....	21	acres 1949...	5,457
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	13	tons cut 1949...	10,720
1944.....	19	Small grains:	
number 1949...	24,678	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	6,392	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	130
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	1,605
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	930	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	808
dollars 1949...	2,573,996	1944.....	599
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	847	acres 1949...	83,862
1944.....	766	1944.....	56,856
number 1949...	13,252	bushels 1949...	829,649
1944.....	12,033	1944.....	704,119
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	652	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	9,247	acres 1949...	320
dollars 1949...	1,512,337	1944.....	2,595
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	524	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	88
number 1949...	4,005	1944.....	68
dollars 1949...	355,225	acres 1949...	1,214
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	662	1944.....	1,179
1944.....	716	bushels 1949...	28,534
number 1949...	18,277	1944.....	19,469
1944.....	24,491	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
dollars 1949...	688,807	acres 1949...	20
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	88
1944.....	14	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	123
number 1949...	379	1944.....	137
1944.....	2,126	acres 1949...	1,983
dollars 1949...	6,585	1944.....	3,661
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	99	bushels 1949...	29,388
number 1949...	308	1944.....	32,712
dollars 1949...	11,042	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	39
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	740	acres 1949...	243
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	457	1944.....	763
number 1949...	537	bushels 1949...	2,837
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	206	1944.....	9,894
1944.....	356	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	258	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	374	1944 ²	1
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	261	acres 1949...	8
1944.....	72	1944 ²	3
number 1949...	279	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	80	1944.....	1
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	624	acres 1949...	8
1944.....	741	1944.....	3
number 1949...	1,048	bushels 1949...	60
1944.....	1,363	1944.....	60
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	177	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	5,631	tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949...	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	555	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	10,811	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	412	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	332	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	8,493	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	7,340	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	20,759	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	17,785	acres 1949.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	1
1944.....	9	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	61	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	170	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	106	1944.....	8
tons 1949.....	200	acres 1949.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	1
1944.....	21	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	116	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	274	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
tons 1949.....	83		
1944.....	298	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	43	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	16	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	556	quarts 1949...	280
1944.....	283	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	579	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	290
1944.....	259	1945.....	6
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	139	acres 1950...	43
acres 1949.....	1,700	1945.....	15
1944.....	385	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	174
tons 1949.....	2,687	1945.....	28
1944.....	415	trees of all ages..number 1950...	967
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	185
acres 1949.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	630
tons..green weight 1949...	40	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	337
Field crops (other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	344
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	63	1944.....	616
1944.....	39	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	169
acres 1949.....	1,057	1945.....	18
1944.....	678	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,001
bushels 1949.....	1,094	1945.....	295
1944.....	333	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	448
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	553
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	612
acres 1949.....		1944.....	11
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	60
bushels 1949.....		1945.....	7
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	132
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	16
acres 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	80
bushels 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	72
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	110	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	42
1944.....	28	1944.....	17
acres 1949...	11	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	152
1944.....	11	1945.....	20
bushels 1949.....	1,252	trees of all ages..number 1950...	611
1944.....	749	1945.....	100
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	343
acres 1949.....	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	268
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	190	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,575
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	141
1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	81
acres 1949.....		1945.....	8
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	341
tons 1949.....		1945.....	93
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	151
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	190
acres 1949...	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	165
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	459	1944.....	22
1944.....	888	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	75
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	14
1944.....	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	311
acres 1949.....	2	1945.....	112
1944.....	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	146
sold..dollars 1949.....	343	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	155
1944.....	342	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	107
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	5
1944.....	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	58
acres 1949.....		1945.....	7
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	368
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	62
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	115
acres 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	233
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,707
		1944.....	647

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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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...	2,524	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	145
1945.....	2,576	1945.....	101
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	549,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	57
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	97.3	1945.....	24
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	291,772	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	88
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	329,698	1945.....	77
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,816	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	95
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	88,827	1945.....	95
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	534,459	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	61
1945.....	536,277	1945.....	51
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	211.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	38
1945.....	208.2	1945.....	26
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	24,877	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	129
1945.....	16,209	1945.....	131
average per acre, dollars 1950*	108.15	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	107
1945.....	77.86	1945.....	137
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	582
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,322	1945.....	701
1944.....	2,439	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	239
acres 1949.....	348,463	1945.....	290
1944.....	368,043	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	402
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	83	1945.....	351
1944.....	85	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	659
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	44	1945.....	635
1944.....	34	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	60
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1945.....	58
1944.....	33	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	76	1945.....	.....
1944.....	72		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	358	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	343	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,193	White operators.....number 1950...	2,524
1944.....	1,294	1945.....	2,576
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	529	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	578	1945.....	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	893	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	1,233	Full owners.....number 1950...	861
acres 1949.....	28,379	1945.....	695
1944 ¹	27,696	Part owners.....number 1950...	583
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025	1945.....	514
acres 1949.....	26,409	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1944.....	20,607	1945.....	4
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	194	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,077
acres 1949.....	4,128	1945.....	1,363
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18C	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	42.7
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945.....	52.9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	121
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	915	1945.....	164
acres 1949.....	22,381	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	730
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	427	1945.....	709
1944.....	419	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	177
acres 1949.....	15,406	1945.....	468
1944.....	16,338	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	136
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	226	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	41
1944.....	140	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
acres 1949.....	4,024	1945.....	22
1944.....	2,196	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,780	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	42
1944 ¹	1,835		
acres 1949.....	62,047	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944 ¹	70,324	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	1,844
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,453	1945.....	1,806
1944.....	2,557	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,124
acres 1949.....	29,731	1945.....	1,468
1944.....	31,073	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,124
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.49
1944.....	1	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	754
acres 1949.....	251	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	443
1944.....	28	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	172
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,864
acres 1949...	20	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	478
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	267
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,584	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1,024
1945.....	2,463	number 1950...	1,036
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	114	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	903
1945.....	107	number 1950...	919
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	272	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	97
1949.....	698	number 1950...	107
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944.....	472	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	123
1944.....	472	number 1950...	130
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	213	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	56
1944.....	100	number 1950...	56

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...	839	Livestock: farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	654
1945.....	612	General farms.....number 1950.....	859
number 1950.....	973	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	56
1945.....	641	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	302
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,869	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	501
1945.....	1,778	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	213
number 1950.....	2,375		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,974		
number 1950.....	1,854		
1945.....	2,313		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	40		
number 1950.....	40		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16		
number 1950.....	22		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,164		
1945.....	2,399		
number 1950.....	2,700		
1945.....	2,780		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	272		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	288		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,122		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	832		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	140		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,040		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	841		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	312		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,153		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	320		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	560		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	55		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.8		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	165		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,322		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	796		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,174		
persons 1950.....	4,357		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,153		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,113		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,312		
persons 1950.....	2,053		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	169		
persons 1950.....	191		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,294		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,059		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,904		
dollars 1949.....	369,000		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,449		
dollars 1949.....	416,916		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,149		
dollars 1949.....	2,031,284		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,019		
dollars 1949.....	1,963,312		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,814		
dollars 1949.....	250,849		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,104		
dollars 1949.....	910,710		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,774		
dollars 1949.....	266,107		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,944		
dollars 1949.....	311,477		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	16		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	76		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	16		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	32		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	74		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	159		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	260		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	478		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	551		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	592		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	270		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	690		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	690		
Cotton.....number 1950.....			
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....			
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	72		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	36		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,326
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	19
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	231
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	869
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	752
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	358
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	77
		Other farms.....number 1950.....	198
		Part-time.....number 1950.....	99
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	92
		Abnormal.....number 1950.....	7
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,260,240
		1944.....	9,842,326
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,012,941
		1944.....	3,349,594
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,948,343
		1944.....	3,344,544
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	690
		1944.....	2,830
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,233
		1944.....	1,142
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	57,675
		1944.....	1,078
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,244,146
		1944.....	6,491,902
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,219,657
		1944.....	1,032,610
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,502,533
		1944.....	1,383,281
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,521,958
		1944.....	4,076,011
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,151
		1944.....	830
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,436
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,387
		1945.....	2,117
		number 1950.....	3,412
		1945.....	7,729
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	126
		1945.....	513
		number 1950.....	244
		1945.....	1,240
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,319
		1945.....	2,396
		number 1950.....	48,554
		1945.....	57,373
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,269
		1945.....	2,338
		number 1950.....	17,851
		1945.....	24,080
		number 1950.....	2,182
		1945.....	14,176
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,880
		number 1950.....	11,761
		1945.....	1,764
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	11,958
		number 1950.....	1,688
		1945.....	6,984
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	369
		number 1950.....	342
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	14,450,663
		1944.....	11,871,062
		pounds 1949.....	458,367
		1944.....	1,641
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,944
		1944.....	1,317,257
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,454,638
		1944.....	760,996
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
		dollars 1949.....	294
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,846
		1945.....	1,985
		number 1950.....	55,884
		1945.....	46,525
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,750
		number 1950.....	23,050
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,073
		number 1950.....	32,834
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,596
		1945.....	1,485
		number 1950.....	11,803
		1945.....	9,817

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

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	58	Corn:	
1945...	130	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,192
number 1950...	3,471	1944...	2,328
1945...	6,774	acres 1949...	147,971
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	175,717
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	53	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,178
number 1950...	1,732	1944...	2,312
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	51	acres 1949...	146,045
1945 ¹ ...	114	1944...	167,146
number 1950...	1,586	bushels 1949...	4,961,119
1945 ¹ ...	3,213	1944...	5,372,306
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	37
number 1950...	146	acres 1949...	405
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	50	tons..green weight 1949...	3,163
number 1950...	1,739	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	49	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	127
1944...	116	acres 1949...	1,521
number shorn 1949...	2,447	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	20,535	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	312
1944...	33,125	1944...	1,111
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	2,805
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	8,153
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,244	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	113
1945...	2,394	1944...	236
number 1950...	329,034	acres 1949...	1,388
1945...	450,314	1944...	2,085
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,781	bushels 1949...	40,813
number 1949...	279,052	1944...	41,120
dollars 1949...	253,719	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	79
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,116	acres 1949...	720
dozens 1949...	3,014,639	tons..green weight 1949...	8,267
dollars 1949...	1,117,572	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	139
number 1950...	19	acres 1949...	697
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	16	tons out 1949...	1,491
1944...	15	Small grains:	
number 1949...	21,951	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944...	12,207	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	127
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	2,261
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	37,377
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,257	1944...	2,043
dollars 1949...	6,501,718	acres 1949...	1,980
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,098	1944...	112,219
1944...	2,108	bushels 1949...	85,574
number 1949...	24,633	1944...	1,236,717
1944...	24,260	acres 1949...	687,402
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,662	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
number 1949...	18,989	acres 1949...	523
dollars 1949...	3,196,094	1944...	6,172
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,110	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,488
number 1949...	5,644	1944...	1,920
dollars 1949...	475,881	acres 1949...	34,756
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,897	1944...	50,543
1944...	2,054	bushels 1949...	424,463
number 1949...	68,703	1944...	732,152
1944...	74,635	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	33
dollars 1949...	2,750,563	acres 1949...	72
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	62	1944...	475
1944...	102	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
number 1949...	3,358	1944...	59
1944...	5,982	acres 1949...	174
dollars 1949...	64,205	1944...	1,024
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	203	bushels 1949...	1,860
number 1949...	473	1944...	7,288
dollars 1949...	14,975	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	49
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,888	acres 1949...	74
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,214	1944...	362
number 1949...	1,348	bushels 1949...	890
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	565	1944...	3,749
1944...	738	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	612	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	787	1944 ² ...	11
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	673	acres 1949...	10
1944...	476	1944 ² ...	70
number 1949...	736	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	572	1944...	9
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,652	acres 1949...	10
1944...	1,980	1944...	61
number 1949...	2,993	bushels 1949...	200
1944...	4,176	1944...	927
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	540	acres 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	8,750	tons 1949...	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,125	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	47,613	acres 1949.....	(*)
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2,022	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	1,994	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	34,195	acres 1949.....	11
1944.....	28,578	1944.....	5
tons 1949.....	60,879	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	61,442	1944.....	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	30	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	801	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	258	1944.....	7
tons 1949.....	861	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	285	1944.....	5
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	216	1944.....	
1944.....	110	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	228		
1944.....	134	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	915	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944.....	1,068	acres 1949.....	8
acres 1949.....	9,885	quarts 1949...	13,299
1944.....	11,963		
tons 1949.....	11,952	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	16,048	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,111
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	234	1945.....	732
acres 1949.....	2,757	acres 1950 ²	100
1944.....	757	1945.....	280
tons 1949.....	3,133	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	600
1944.....	911	1945.....	469
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,166
acres 1949.....	60	1945.....	2,763
tons..green weight 1949...	281	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,365
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,801
Field crops (other):		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,999
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1944.....	769
1944.....	345	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	830
acres 1949.....	104	1945.....	605
1944.....	3,159	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,052
bushels 1949.....	56	1945.....	10,733
1944.....	2,796	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,938
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,114
1944.....	11	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,774
acres 1949.....	317	1944.....	5
1944.....	75	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	417
bushels 1949.....	159	1945.....	320
1944.....	113	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,091
Sweetlover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1945.....	893
acres 1949.....	361	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	423
1944.....	1,381	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	668
bushels 1949...	1,381	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,090
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	955	1944.....	27
1944.....	1,100	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	682
acres 1949 ¹	92	1945.....	540
1944.....	274	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,829
bushels 1949...	11,923	1945.....	2,765
1944.....	9,304	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	971
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,858
acres 1949.....	29	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	21,466
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	334	1944.....	9,940
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	237
1944.....		1945.....	206
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	801
1944.....		1945.....	857
tons 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	317
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	484
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	237
acres 1949.....		1944.....	158
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,772	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	372
1944.....	2,149	1945.....	241
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,844
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945.....	1,982
1944.....	24	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	462
acres 1949.....	17	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,382
1944.....	18	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	635
1944.....	690	1944.....	1
2,830		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	331
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	316
1944.....	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,018
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	20,606
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	659
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,359
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,595
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	21,995
1944.....	1	1944.....	4,747

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	566	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	573	.....1945...	2
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,078,400	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	99.3	.....1945...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	99.3	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	631,485	.....1945...	2
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	309,396	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	12
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	153,449	.....1945...	11
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,352	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	6
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,070,978	.....1945...	5
.....1945...	1,021,083	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	4
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,892.2	.....1945...	4
.....1945...	1,782.0	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	12
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	49,871	.....1945...	16
.....1945...	23,713	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	28.98	.....1945...	10
.....1945...	23.31	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	52
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	44
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	534	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	558	.....1945...	14
acres 1949...	175,020	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	16
1944...	176,280	.....1945...	14
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	120
1944...	5	.....1945...	131
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	142
1944...	10	.....1945...	155
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	164
1944...	4	.....1945...	167
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11		
1944...	13	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	68	White operators.....number 1950...	566
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	156	1945...	573
1944...	163	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	260	1945...	.....
1944...	295	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Full owners.....number 1950...	237
1944*	155	1945...	195
acres 1949...	2,266	Part owners.....number 1950...	173
1944*	3,315	1945...	165
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	339	Managers.....number 1950...	6
1944...	62,998	1945...	7
acres 1949...	41,704	All tenants.....number 1950...	150
1944...	278	1945...	206
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	50	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	26.5
1944...	138	1945...	36.0
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	90	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	38
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8,231	1945...	35
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	144	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	32
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	32
1944...	76	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	68
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	198	1945...	138
1944...	4	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	51
acres 1949...	76	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	17
1944...	27	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	12
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945...	1
1944...	275	Other tenants.....number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	472	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	12
1944*	519		
acres 1949...	819,013	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944*	782,998	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	186
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	532	.....1945...	131
1944...	561	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	369
acres 1949...	11,459	.....1945...	227
1944...	16,435	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	44
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	107	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.27
1944...	101	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	205
acres 1949...	10,397	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	63
1944...	9,176	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	50
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	302
1944...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	34
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	487	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	216
.....1945...	531	number 1950...	255
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	76	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	37
.....1945...	41	number 1950...	37
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	45	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	17
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	172	number 1950...	17
.....1944...	81	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1945...	60	number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	22	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Corn:	
1945.....	39	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	233
number 1950...	1,446	1944.....	375
1945.....	2,558	acres 1949.....	12,674
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	29,647
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	225
number 1950...	1,060	1944.....	370
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	24	acres 1949.....	12,163
1945 ¹	36	1944.....	28,578
number 1950...	1,004	bushels 1949.....	290,687
1945 ¹	1,473	1944.....	566,159
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	56	acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	19	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950...	386	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	22	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	41	acres 1949.....	511
number shorn 1949...	1,154	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	8,151	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	158
1944.....	23,214	1944.....	278
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	4,271
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	7,416
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	418	acres 1949.....	17
1945.....	522	1944.....	346
number 1950...	33,814	bushels 1949.....	4,945
1945.....	53,306	1944.....	2,295
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	187	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	24,675	acres 1949.....	90
dollars 1949...	22,028	tons..green weight 1949.....	290
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	309	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dozens 1949...	181,734	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	150
dollars 1949...	59,667	acres 1949.....	3,835
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	309	tons cut 1949.....	5,701
dozens 1949...	181,734	Small grains:	
dollars 1949...	59,667	Grains grown together and threshed	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	15	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1950...	79	acres 1949.....	861
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	33	bushels 1949.....	15,440
1944.....	33	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	325
number 1949...	35,507	1944.....	245
1944.....	5,912	acres 1949.....	61,539
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	45,816
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949.....	1,047,354
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	474	1944.....	977,174
dollars 1949...	3,593,255	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	457	acres 1949.....	679
1944.....	488	bushels 1949.....	427
number 1949...	25,270	1944.....	3,085
1944.....	37,927	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2,329
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	347	1944.....	115
number 1949...	18,942	acres 1949.....	153
dollars 1949...	2,753,146	bushels 1949.....	2,463
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	294	1944.....	4,188
number 1949...	6,328	bushels 1949.....	58,308
dollars 1949...	582,995	1944.....	87,944
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	247	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944.....	363	acres 1949.....	36
number 1949...	6,137	1944.....	779
1944.....	13,301	1944.....	1,438
dollars 1949...	225,007	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	87
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1944.....	120
1944.....	38	acres 1949...	3,207
number 1949...	1,278	1944.....	5,202
1944.....	3,797	bushels 1949...	56,010
dollars 1949...	22,088	1944.....	102,340
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	68
number 1949...	344	1944.....	133
dollars 1949...	8,019	acres 1949...	2,266
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	6,224
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	322	bushels 1949...	21,009
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	212	1944.....	57,597
number 1949...	317	Annual legumes:	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	147	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	232	1944 ²	1
number 1949...	234	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	296	1944 ²	1
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	74	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	55	bushels 1949.....	5
number 1949...	83	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	61	1944.....	1
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	239	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	422	tons 1949.....	
number 1949...	466	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	886	acres 1949.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		tons 1949.....	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	59	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	1,245	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		1944.....	4
		acres 1949...	116
		1944.....	35
		100-lb. bags 1949...	1,339
		1944.....	108

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	321	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	85,446	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	130	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	114	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	4,258	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	3,741	1944.....	4
tons 1949.....	8,559	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	7,650	1944.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	7	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	85	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	375	1944.....	5
tons 1949.....	66	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	360	1944.....	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	24	acres 1949.....	6
acres 1949.....	858	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	438		
tons 1949.....	731	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	376	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	223	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	188	quarts 1949...	50
acres 1949.....	77,207	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	68,094	*Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	107
tons 1949.....	64,633	1945.....	15
1944.....	49,885	acres 1950 ²	14
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1945.....	22
acres 1949.....	3,304	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	71
1944.....	1,052	1945.....	57
tons 1949.....	2,804	trees of all ages..number 1950...	576
1944.....	1,117	1945.....	651
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	155
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	421
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	525
Field crops (other):		1944.....	1,016
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	59	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	17
1944.....	62	1945.....	6
acres 1949.....	1,373	trees of all ages..number 1950...	77
1944.....	1,301	1945.....	13
bushels 1949.....	1,560	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	33
1944.....	1,689	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	44
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7
1944.....		1944.....	6
acres 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	8
1944.....		1945.....	3
bushels 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	19
1944.....		1945.....	6
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8
acres 1949.....	31	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11
bushels 1949.....	83	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1944.....	9
1944.....	48	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	57
acres 1949 ¹	18	1945.....	38
1944.....	107	trees of all ages..number 1950...	306
bushels 1949.....	1,928	1945.....	385
1944.....	9,172	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	108
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	198
acres 1949.....	12	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	800
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	190	1944.....	1,282
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	45
1944.....		1945.....	43
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	355
1944.....		1945.....	734
tons 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	175
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	180
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	60
acres 1949.....		1944.....	328
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	247	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	5
1944.....	447	1945.....	3
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	26
1944.....	12	1945.....	7
acres 1949.....	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10
1944.....	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16
1944.....	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4
sold..dollars 1949.....	2,735	1944.....	
1944.....	4,249	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	13
1944.....		1945.....	142
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of all ages..number 1950...	127
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	41
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	101
1944.....	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	908
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	612
1944.....	1	1944.....	

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Farms.....number 1950...	580	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	4181945...	11
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	584,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	98.8	.....1945.....	.....
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	98.8	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	188,884	.....1945...	11
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	136,975	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	7
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	50,780	.....1945...	7
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	35,457	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	1
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	542,002	.....1945...	2
.....1945...	565,075	50 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	4
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	900.0	.....1945...	6
.....1945...	872.8	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	9
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	17,822	.....1945...	13
.....1945...	9,954	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	6
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	20.91	.....1945...	5
.....1945...	11.40	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	40
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	40
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	362	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	15
.....1944...	402	.....1945...	19
.....acres 1949...	108,574	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	20
.....1944...	118,200	.....1945...	25
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	84
.....1944...	15	.....1945...	104
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	94
.....1944...	7	.....1945...	93
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	89
.....1944...	4	.....1945...	91
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9		
.....1944...	6	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	56	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	50	White operators.....number 1950...	580
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	108	.....1945...	416
.....1944...	115	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	167	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944...	205	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Full owners.....number 1950...	187
.....1944...	32	.....1945...	132
.....acres 1949...	1,118	Part owners.....number 1950...	81
.....1944...	603	.....1945...	78
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	188	Managers.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	5,514	.....1945...	17
.....acres 1949...	5,614	All tenants.....number 1950...	117
.....1944...	3,614	.....1945...	208
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	50.8
.....1944...	1,118	.....1945...	48.8
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	29
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	.....1945...	60
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	44
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	112	.....1945...	68
.....acres 1949...	4,401	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	34
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945...	75
.....1944...	11	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	25
.....acres 1949...	172	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	148	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	23	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	22	Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....acres 1949...	208	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	560		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	560	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	592	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	219
.....acres 1949...	221,044	.....1945...	287
.....1944...	255,506	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	195
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	366	.....1945...	89
.....1944...	421	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	165
.....acres 1949...	5,572	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.88
.....1944...	4,544	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	40
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1944...	54	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	11
.....acres 1949...	4,510	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	157
.....1944...	3,237	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	19
.....acres 1949...	11	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	58
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	58
FARM OPERATORS		.....number 1950...	57
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	368	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	57
.....1945...	405	.....number 1950...	57
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	15	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
.....1945...	12	.....number 1950...	6
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	17	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	67	.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	78	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	20number 1950...	8
.....1944...	12		

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	164	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	249
.....1945...	105	General farms.....number 1950...	65
.....number 1950...	185	.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	110	.....number 1950...	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	276	.....number 1950...	82
.....1945...	188	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	25
.....number 1950...	371		
.....1945...	202		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	275		
.....number 1950...	380		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	
.....number 1950...	.....	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	11		
.....number 1950...	11		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	510		
.....1945...	357		
.....number 1950...	411		
.....1945...	397		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
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...	85		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	240		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	50		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	555
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	71	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	29
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	180	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	101
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	174	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	124
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	11	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	75
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	21
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	59	Other farms.....number 1950...	25
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	.....
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	25
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	108	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5.6		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	6		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	117		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	250		
FARM LABOR^a		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,235,151
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	349	.....1944.....	1,586,043
.....persons 1950...	658	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	258,252
.....1945.....	548	.....1944.....	171,561
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	348	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	257,836
.....persons 1950...	548	.....1944.....	188,225
Operators.....persons 1950...	548	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	513
.....1945.....	191	.....1944.....	2,156
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	191	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	105
.....persons 1950...	288	.....1944.....	990
.....1945.....	20	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....1944.....	10
.....persons 1950...	40	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,996,774
		.....1944.....	1,194,682
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	182,465
		.....1944.....	188,816
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	89,472
		.....1944.....	120,147
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,744,857
		.....1944.....	935,719
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	125
		.....1944.....	.....
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	329
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	328
		.....1945.....	376
		.....number 1950...	1,953
		.....1945.....	2,987
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....1945.....	41
		.....number 1950...	34
		.....1945.....	107
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	556
		.....1945.....	594
		.....number 1950...	27,844
		.....1945.....	28,684
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	551
		.....1945 ³	591
		.....number 1950...	15,522
		.....1945 ³	15,841
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	530
		.....number 1950...	2,400
		.....farms reporting 1950...	506
		.....number 1950...	5,312
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	260
		.....number 1950...	4,447
		.....number 1950...	517
		.....number 1950...	4,755
		.....number 1949...	7
		.....1944.....	14
		.....pounds 1949...	309,282
		.....1944.....	251,595
		.....dollars 1949...	12,010
		.....farms reporting 1949...	302
		.....1944.....	338
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	270,425
		.....1944.....	257,974
		.....dollars 1949...	160,455
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		.....dollars 1949...	.....
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	237
		.....1945.....	244
		.....number 1950...	5,547
		.....1945.....	4,045
		.....farms reporting 1950...	221
		.....number 1950...	2,760
		.....farms reporting 1950...	121
		.....number 1950...	2,787
		.....farms reporting 1950...	180
		.....1945.....	152
		.....number 1950...	1,151
		.....1945.....	844

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Corn:	
1945.....	28	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	295
number 1950.....	560	1944.....	558
1945.....	684	acres 1949.....	15,772
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	22,518
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	14	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	282
number 1950.....	198	1944.....	556
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	12	acres 1949.....	16,552
1945 ¹	22	1944.....	21,780
number 1950.....	186	bushels 1949.....	566,260
1945 ¹	421	1944.....	494,754
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	10	acres 1949.....	14
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	tons..green weight 1949...	44
number 1950.....	164	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	11	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	21	acres 1949...	408
number shorn 1949.....	264	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	2,125	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	5,057	1944.....	61
Average date of enumeration.....1950... Apr.1-Apr.14		acres 1949.....	289
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	978
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	328	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	382	1944.....	7
number 1950.....	29,778	acres 1949.....	5
1945.....	46,548	1944.....	131
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	180	bushels 1949.....	75
number 1949.....	17,291	1944.....	1,845
dollars 1949.....	15,401	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	180	acres 1949...	22
number 1949.....	17,291	tons..green weight 1949...	170
dollars 1949.....	15,401	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	277	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	16
dozens 1949.....	215,455	acres 1949.....	242
dollars 1949.....	72,765	tons cut 1949...	448
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Small grains:	
number 1950.....	58	Grains grown together and threshed	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	9	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	27	acres 1949...	123
number 1949.....	221	bushels 1949...	1,765
1944.....	1,514	1949.....	19
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1944...	16
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres 1949...	424
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	547	1944.....	164
dollars 1949...	1,740,958	bushels 1949...	6,918
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	556	1944.....	1,866
1944.....	583	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	11,722	acres 1949...	5
1944.....	12,066	bushels 1949...	20
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	278	1944.....	22
number 1949...	6,770	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	86
dollars 1949...	1,040,560	1944.....	125
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	282	acres 1949...	119
number 1949...	4,952	bushels 1949...	5,298
dollars 1949...	440,242	1944.....	2,956
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	226	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	56
1944.....	277	acres 1949...	59
number 1949...	7,316	1944.....	181
1944.....	8,478	bushels 1949...	704
dollars 1949...	248,546	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	56
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944.....	124
1944.....	19	acres 1949...	649
number 1949...	227	bushels 1949...	2,566
1944.....	627	1944.....	4,572
dollars 1949...	5,501	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22,955
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	48	1944.....	56
number 1949...	187	acres 1949...	128
dollars 1949...	8,689	bushels 1949...	1,215
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	2,941
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	276	Annual legumes:	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	157	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	168	1944.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	98	acres 1949...	
1944.....	104	1944.....	
number 1949...	116	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	114	1944.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949...	
1944.....	15	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	50	1944.....	
1944.....	15	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	255	acres 1949...	
1944.....	303	tons 1949...	
number 1949...	405	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....	590	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	69	Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	1,412	acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	546	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	86,704	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	218	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	100	1944.....	8
acres 1949.....	8,488	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	1,496	1944.....	32
tons 1949.....	12,100	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	5,085	1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	12	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	205	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	189	1944.....	8
tons 1949.....	340	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	162	1944.....	70
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	25	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	519	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	450		
tons 1949.....	329	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	187	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	286	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	297	quarts 1949.....	542
acres 1949.....	77,852	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	79,456	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	49
tons 1949.....	47,194	1945.....	
1944.....	46,180	acres 1950 ² ...	25
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	1,115	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	35
1944.....	561	1945.....	4
tons 1949.....	746	trees of all ages..number 1950...	476
1944.....	676	1945.....	155
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	227
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	249
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	157
Field crops (other):		1944.....	586
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	84	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	6
1944.....	12	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	1,410	trees of all ages..number 1950...	25
1944.....	155	1945.....	
bushels 1949.....	1,611	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11
1944.....	188	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	11
1944.....	2	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	24	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	5
1944.....	22	1945.....	1
bushels 1949.....	22	trees of all ages..number 1950...	40
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	4
acres 1949.....	99	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	24
bushels 1949.....	154	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	57	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2
1944.....	80	1944.....	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	222	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	28
1944.....	259	1945.....	
bushels 1949.....	65,414	trees of all ages..number 1950...	188
1944.....	22,159	1945.....	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	67
acres 1949.....	70	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	121
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	806	quantity harvested...pounds 1949...	15
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	
1944.....	3	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	18
acres 1949.....	44	1945.....	
1944.....	51	trees of all ages..number 1950...	291
tons 1949.....	545	1945.....	
1944.....	606	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	48
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	245
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	21
1944.....		1944.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	200	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	4
1944.....	375	1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	29
1944.....	17	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14
1944.....	42	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15
acres 1949.....	315	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....	2,158	1944.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	8
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	100
1944.....		1945.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	40
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	80
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	550
1944.....		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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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... 808 1945... 865	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 4
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 295,890 1945... 94.2	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 4 1945... ..
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 146,994 1945... 152,503	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 7 1945... 4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 24,084 1945... 3,080	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 10 1945... 7
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 278,513 1945... 277,211	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 4 1945... 6
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 458.1 1945... 418.9	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 4 1945... 2
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950*... 21,858 1945... 12,221	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 10 1945... 8
Land in farms.....acres	1950*... 45.92 1945... 29.52	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 8
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 588 1945... 858	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 55 1945... 72
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 114,889 1945... 124,985	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 27 1945... 25
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 45.92 1945... 29.52	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 38 1945... 55
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 248 1945... 300
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 6	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 151 1945... 150
acres	1949... 7 1944... 7	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 41 1945... 28
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 22 1944... 77		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 77 1944... 244	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 235 1944... 272	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 89 1944... 135	White operators.....number	1950... 608 1945... 665
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 5,807 1944... 1,216	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 470 1944... 31,596	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 19,038 1944... 445	Full owners.....number	1950... 163 1945... 146
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 27,356 1944... 214	Part owners.....number	1950... 194 1945... 159
acres	1949... 821 1944... 221	Managers.....number	1950... 2 1945... 2
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 10	All tenants.....number	1950... 249 1945... 358
acres	1949... 143 1944... 4,240	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 41.0 1945... 53.8
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 31 1944... 3	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 7 1945... 8
acres	1949... 2,471 1944... 127	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 153 1945... 156
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 13 1944... 7	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 100 1945... 195
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 204 1944... 68	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 89 1945... 11
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 518 1944... 623	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 1
acres	1949... 114,476 1944... 114,775	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 4
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 578 1944... 656		
acres	1949... 11,070 1944... 17,003	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 68 1944... 68	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 443 1945... 503
acres	1949... 5,998 1944... 5,764	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 478 1945... 94
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 408 1945... 5.82
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 153 1945... 87
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 16 1945... 31.8
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 20 1945... 70
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 268 1945... 297
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 262 1945... 257
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 13 1945... 13
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 45 1945... 45
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
			1950... .. 1945... ..

*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...	308	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	124
.....1945...	137	General farms.....number 1950...	64
.....number 1950...	356	.....1945...	
.....1945...	145	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	428	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945...	530	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	53
.....number 1950...	585	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	20
.....1945...	580		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	418	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	575	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	568
.....1945...	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	96
.....number 1950...	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	213
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	158
.....number 1950...	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	90
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	478	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	37
.....1945...	625	Other farms.....number 1950.....	20
.....number 1950...	647	.....1945...	20
.....1945...	745	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	58	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,986,566
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	358	.....1944.....	5,323,595
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	117	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,028,519
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	2,008,030
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,027,962
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....1944.....	2,007,597
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	125	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	145
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	287	.....1944.....	130
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	158	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	811
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944.....	103
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	101
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	152	.....1944.....	
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,959,047
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	190	.....1944.....	1,815,559
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	151	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	153,442
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.0	.....1944.....	161,007
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	222,643
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	192	.....1944.....	220,216
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	192	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry sold.....dollars 1949...	1,601,765
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	360	.....1944.....	664,856
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	10
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	553	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	1,072	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	435
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	528	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	402
Operators.....persons 1950...	518	.....1945.....	562
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	282	.....number 1950...	1,185
.....persons 1950...	471	.....1945.....	2,527
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	88	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	14
.....persons 1950...	85	.....1945.....	66
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950...	53
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	538	.....1945...	157
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	465	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	362	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	636
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	75,812	.....1945.....	618
.....farms reporting 1949...	563	.....number 1950...	19,389
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	142,989	.....1945.....	20,750
.....dollars 1949...	488	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	523
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	358,901	.....1945 ³	601
.....dollars 1949...	437	.....number 1950...	9,015
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	237,760	.....1945 ³	9,898
.....dollars 1949...	488	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	482
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	95,591	.....number 1950...	2,327
.....dollars 1949...	508	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	421
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	291,570	.....number 1950...	4,113
.....dollars 1949...	413	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	612
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	70,922	.....number 1950...	5,549
.....dollars 1949...	428	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	417
	109,105	.....number 1950...	5,292
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	23
No sales.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	15
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....		.....pounds 1949.....	507,612
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	575,350
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	5	.....dollars 1949.....	10,889
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	35	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	401
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	44	.....1944.....	515
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	60	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	212,995
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	68	.....1944.....	289,429
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	141	.....dollars 1949.....	122,513
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	142	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	110	.....dollars 1949...	40
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	584	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	597
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	584	.....1945.....	496
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	8,354
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	9,560
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....farms reporting 1950...	579
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	4,153
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	5	.....farms reporting 1950...	162
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	11	.....number 1950...	4,196
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	341
		.....1945.....	354
		.....number 1950...	2,101
		.....1945.....	1,907

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Corn:	
1945.....	16	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	541
number 1950.....	65	1944.....	637
1945.....	294	acres 1949.....	46,535
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	60,079
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	541
number 1950.....	51	1944.....	637
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	5	acres 1949.....	46,198
1945 ¹	13	1944.....	80,085
number 1950.....	49	bushels 1949.....	1,354,684
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	2	1944.....	2,425,149
number 1950.....	2	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	acres 1949.....	113
number 1950.....	32	tons..green weight 1949...	786
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
1944.....	10	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number shorn 1949.....	35	acres 1949...	224
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	250	Sorghums:	
1944.....	2,152	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	377
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944.....	545
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	7,972
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	497	1944.....	9,397
1945.....	605	acres 1949...	104
number 1950.....	55,402	1944.....	35
1945.....	80,613	bushels 1949...	2,821
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	335	1944.....	341
number 1949.....	33,247	bushels 1949...	60,245
dollars 1949.....	29,426	1944.....	6,147
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	450	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
dozens 1949.....	474,677	acres 1949...	62
dollars 1949.....	153,941	tons..green weight 1949...	560
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	5	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950.....	17	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	544
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1949...	5,089
1944.....	31	tons cut 1949...	10,822
number 1949.....	5,580	Small grains:	
1944.....	5,872	Grains grown together and threshed	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres 1949...	232
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	523	bushels 1949...	3,505
dollars 1949.....	1,599,674	1944.....	505
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	487	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	370
1944.....	480	acres 1949...	42,445
number 1949.....	8,850	1944.....	20,245
1944.....	6,905	bushels 1949...	582,921
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	553	1944.....	288,579
number 1949...	4,904	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	775,177	acres 1949...	4
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	344	bushels 1949...	42
number 1949...	5,926	1944.....	60
dollars 1949...	420,076	1944.....	420
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	395	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	289
1944.....	495	1944.....	232
number 1949...	10,852	acres 1949...	6,821
1944.....	14,968	1944.....	5,259
dollars 1949...	403,514	bushels 1949...	134,306
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	74,151
1944.....	12	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	7	acres 1949...	52
1944.....	279	acres 1949...	142
dollars 1949...	147	1944.....	622
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	125
number 1949...	89	1944.....	185
dollars 1949...	2,960	acres 1949...	2,989
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	4,227
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	432	bushels 1949...	32,050
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	275	1944.....	39,528
number 1949...	318	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	110	1944.....	52
1944.....	163	acres 1949...	117
number 1949...	127	1944.....	685
1944.....	189	bushels 1949...	1,877
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	173	1944.....	9,017
1944.....	94	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	192	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	100	1944 ²	69
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	378	acres 1949...	69
1944.....	520	1944 ²	7
number 1949...	886	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	69
1944.....	1,080	acres 1949...	69
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	1,300
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	138	bushels 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	1,997	1944.....	.....
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		tons 1949...	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1945...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944.....	1
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	1
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944.....	4

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	336	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	7,908	acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	118	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	46	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	2,363	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	744	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	8,015	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1,325	1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	8	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	132	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	82	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	118	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	86	1944.....	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	13	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	143	1944.....	
1944.....	264	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	182		
1944.....	185	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	178	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	10 ¹	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	3,914	quarts 1949.....	351
1944.....	1,581	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	4,001	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	124
1944.....	1,518	1945.....	15
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	146	acres 1950 ²	6
acres 1949.....	1,386	1945.....	7
1944.....	1,751	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	57
tons 1949.....	1,929	1945.....	12
1944.....	2,840	trees of all ages..number 1950...	270
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	24
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	173
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	100
tons..green weight 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	86
Field crops (other):		1944.....	11
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	65
1944.....	1	1945.....	10
acres 1949.....	326	1945.....	280
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	42
bushels 1949.....	293	1945.....	139
1944.....	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	150
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	180
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	19
bushels 1949.....		1945.....	5
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	50
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	7
acres 1949.....	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	41
bushels 1949.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	70	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3
1944.....	10	1944.....	5
acres 1949 ¹	10	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	75
1944.....	7	1945.....	15
bushels 1949.....	1,166	1945.....	377
1944.....	340	trees of all ages..number 1950...	105
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	211
acres 1949.....	15	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	166
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	123	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	966
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	100
1944.....	3	1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	36
1944.....	71	1945.....	5
tons 1949.....	881	trees of all ages..number 1950...	215
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	31
acres 1949.....	58	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	88
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	353	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	127
1944.....	510	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	55
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	3
1944.....	4	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	45
acres 1949.....	7	1945.....	4
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	578
acres 1949.....	145	1945.....	19
1944.....	330	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	122
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	196
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	78
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	
1944.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	15
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	5
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	64
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of all ages..number 1950...	10
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	25
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	39
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	242
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	184
		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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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...	75	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	1
	1945... 87	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	6
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	487,860	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	164.7	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	455,311	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	4
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	80,875	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	297,308	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	1
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	38,200	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	2
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	805,384	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	1
	1945... 1,078,681	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	1
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	10,711.9	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	1
	1945... 11,120.4	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	5
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	187,892	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	6
	1945... 85,874	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	12
	1945... 15.58		83
	1945... 7.70		66
Land in farms according to use:		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	71	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944... 87	White operators.....number 1950...	75
	acres 1949... 86,847		97
	1944... 86,686	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2		1945...
	1944... 1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Full owners.....number 1950...	25
	1944... 1		34
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Part owners.....number 1950...	32
	1944... 2		46
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Managers.....number 1950...	4
	1944... 2		12
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	All tenants.....number 1950...	16
	1944... 4		16
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	16.0
	1944... 17		16.5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	56	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
	1944... 59		8
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	
	1944* 7		5
	acres 1949... 17,485	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	7
	1944* 2,275		1
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	4
	1944... 63	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
	acres 1949... 3,091		1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...		Other tenants.....number 1950...	
	acres 1949... 3,091	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...			
	acres 1949... 3,091	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	31
	acres 1949... 3,091		39
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	53
	1944... 5		74
	acres 1949... 5	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	50
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	27.60
	1944... 2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	9
	acres 1949... 2	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	7
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	70	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	11
	1944* 95	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	46
	acres 1949... 700,625	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
	1944* 985,018	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	74	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
	1944... 97	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	8
	acres 1949... 15,346		8
	1944... 4,643	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
	1944... 1	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
	acres 1949... 1		
	1944... 1	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	8		
	1944... 8	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
	acres 1949... 8		
	1944... 11		
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	64		
	1945... 89		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	11		
	1945... 8		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	8		
	1944... 18		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	18		
	1944... 19		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	5		
	1944... 11		

*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.....	60	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	68
.....1945.....	62	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	107	.....	.....
.....1945.....	83	.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	48	.....	.....
.....1945.....	49	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	169	.....	.....
.....1945.....	103	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	47	.....	.....
.....1945.....	180	.....	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	8	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	9	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	61	.....	.....
.....1945.....	85	.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	173	.....	.....
.....1945.....	162	.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:	.....	.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	12	.....	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	44	.....	.....
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	.....	.....
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	.....	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	70
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	28
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	9
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	24
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	33	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	8
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	14	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	.....	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	1
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	Other farms.....number 1950.....	5
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	5
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	.....
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	34	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	9.8	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Kind of road on which farm is located:	.....	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,780,418
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	3	.....1944.....	1,712,604
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	20,457
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	.....1944.....	1,836
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	20,457
Week preceding enumeration:	.....	.....1944.....	1,811
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	67	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
.....persons 1950.....	254	.....1944.....	20
.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
.....persons 1950.....	59	.....1944.....	5
.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
.....persons 1950.....	32	.....1944.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,780,461
.....persons 1950.....	163	.....1944.....	1,710,898
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,665
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	68	.....1944.....	15,476
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	55	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,404
.....dollars 1949.....	10	.....1944.....	4,774
.....farms reporting 1949.....	25,888	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,740,392
.....dollars 1949.....	55	.....1944.....	1,690,448
.....farms reporting 1949.....	554,554	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
.....dollars 1949.....	554,642	.....1944.....	70
.....farms reporting 1949.....	554,642	HORSES AND MULES	
.....dollars 1949.....	588,256	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	72
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	44	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	72
.....dollars 1949.....	5,181	.....1945.....	67
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	66	.....number 1950.....	1,680
.....dollars 1949.....	85,129	.....1945.....	5,503
.....farms reporting 1949.....	42	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	3
.....dollars 1949.....	24,887	.....1945.....	3
.....farms reporting 1949.....	55	.....number 1950.....	13
.....dollars 1949.....	45,186	.....1945.....	3
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
No sales.....number 1950.....	.....	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	74
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	65
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	57,210
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	62,528
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	5	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	74
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945 ³	92
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	21,518
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	7	.....1945 ³	27,724
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	11	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	66
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	14	.....number 1950.....	583
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	37	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	65
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	9,628
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	71
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	18,415
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	61
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	7,648
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	7
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds 1949.....	18,058
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	48,681
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	942
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	1	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	56
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	48
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	20,549
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	28,450
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	12,723
.....number 1950.....	.....	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	HOGS	
.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	22
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	39
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	105
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	303
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	16
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	57
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	48
.....number 1950.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....1945.....	20
.....number 1950.....number 1950.....	31
.....number 1950.....1945.....	49

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Corn:	
1945...	10	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	10	1944...	5
1945...	423	acres 1949...	40
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	152
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	8	1944...	5
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1949...	40
1945...	9	1944...	132
number 1950...	6	bushels 1949...	1,700
1945 ¹ ...	374	1944...	1,760
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950...	2	1944...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	2	tons..green weight 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
1944...	11	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	
number shorn 1949...	6	1944...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	70	acres 1949...	
1944...	4,516	1944...	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Sorghums:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	62	1944...	1
1945...	92	acres 1949...	10
number 1950...	3,747	1944...	10
1945...	5,686	bushels 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1944...	
number 1949...	938	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	1,038	1944...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	29	acres 1949...	
dozens 1949...	11,128	1944...	
dollars 1949...	5,781	tons..green weight 1949.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1950...	10	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1944...	2	1944...	10
1944...	27	acres 1949...	20
number 1949...	500	1944...	
1944...	364	bushels 1949...	50
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	73	1944...	
dollars 1949...	2,789,908	acres 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	73	1944...	
1944...	66	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	18,834	1944...	
1944...	20,516	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	66	1944...	2
number 1949...	17,533	acres 1949...	60
dollars 1949...	2,588,675	1944...	15
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	27	bushels 1949...	2,100
number 1949...	1,301	1944...	450
dollars 1949...	144,085	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944...	2
1944...	24	acres 1949...	50
number 1949...	151	1944...	
1944...	461	bushels 1949...	
dollars 1949...	4,686	1944...	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	9	1944...	6
number 1949...	1	acres 1949...	25
1944...	281	1944...	449
dollars 1949...	22	bushels 1949...	400
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944...	4,788
number 1949...	91	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	2,450	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944 ² ...	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	55	acres 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	46	1944 ² ...	
number 1949...	189	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	56	1944...	
1944...	58	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	165	1944...	
1944...	181	bushels 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944...	
1944...	7	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	24	acres 1949...	
1944...	9	1944...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	39	tons 1949...	
1944...	61	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1949...	149	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	302	1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1949...	
dollars 1949...	457	Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	70	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949.....	66,951	.....acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	5	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	2	.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....	62	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	60	.....1944.....	
.....tons 1949.....	217	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	162	.....acres 1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	1	.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....	15	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	15	.....acres 1944.....	
.....tons 1949.....	20	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	20	.....1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944.....	4	.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	206	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	205	.....1944.....	
.....tons 1949.....	205	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....1944.....	205		
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	68	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944.....	87	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949.....	66,254	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944.....	85,638	.....quarts 1949...	
.....tons 1949.....	83,453		
.....1944.....	104,441	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	8
.....acres 1949...	635	.....1945.....	5
.....1944.....	82	.....acres 1950 ²	(*)
.....tons 1949.....	420	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	63	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	10
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	7
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	50
.....tons..green weight 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5
Field crops:		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6
.....1944.....	1	.....1944.....	27
.....acres 1949.....	16	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....1944.....	12	.....1945.....	3
.....bushels 1949.....	35	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	17
.....1944.....	5	.....1945.....	19
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	10
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
.....bushels 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	
.....bushels 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....1944.....	66	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
.....acres 1949 ¹	1	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	29	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....bushels 1949.....	45	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	1,824	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	29
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	59
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	19
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	20
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1944.....	255
.....1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	7
.....1944.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	18
.....tons 1949.....		.....1945.....	57
.....1944.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	15
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	47	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1944.....	87	.....1945.....	
.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
.....sold..dollars 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
.....20		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945.....	3
.....1944.....		.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949.....		.....1945.....	5
.....1944.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2
.....1944.....		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	60
.....acres 1949.....		.....1944.....	15
.....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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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...	830	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	22
1945.....	850	1945.....	10
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	364,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.0	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	221,644	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	19
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	135,286	1945.....	10
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,660	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	18
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,156	1945.....	19
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	335,434	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	343,274	1945.....	9
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	404.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	7
1945.....	403.9	1945.....	7
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	16,465	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	22
1945.....	8,914	1945.....	28
average per acre, dollars 1950*	40.22	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	16
1945.....	22.07	1945.....	13
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	120
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	800	1945.....	159
1944.....	820	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	25
acres 1949...	152,134	1945.....	21
1944.....	157,837	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	65
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1945.....	53
1944.....	8	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	331
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	337
1944.....	9	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	158
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945.....	146
1944.....	11	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	40
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945.....	48
1944.....	22		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	134	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	327	White operators.....number 1950...	830
1944.....	307	1945.....	850
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	312	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	329	1945.....	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	135	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	198	Full owners.....number 1950...	347
acres 1949...	11,211	1945.....	228
1944 ¹	4,375	Part owners.....number 1950...	220
acres 1949...	19,463	1945.....	184
1944.....	26,621	Managers.....number 1950...	1
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	94	1945.....	1
1944.....	3,094	All tenants.....number 1950...	262
acres 1949...	75	1945.....	437
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	31.6
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	325	1945.....	51.4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	325	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	16,369	1945.....	16
acres 1949...	28	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	133
1944.....	22	1945.....	273
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	552	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	74
1944.....	762	1945.....	141
acres 1949...	65	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	68
1944.....	99	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	822	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	36
1944.....	1,109	1945.....	7
acres 1949...	712	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
1944 ¹	754	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
acres 1949...	138,594		
1944 ¹	139,826	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	805	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	487
1944.....	825	1945.....	379
acres 1949...	12,658	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	354
1944.....	12,744	1945.....	128
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	59	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	281
1944.....	27	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.01
acres 1949...	3,670	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	121
1944.....	1,634	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	50
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	12
acres 1949.....	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	264
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	47
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	121
		number 1950...	121
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	276
		number 1950...	276
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	15
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		number 1950...	12
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		number 1950...	50

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...	181	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	530
1945.....	97	General farms.....number 1950...	95
number 1950.....	181	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
1945.....	100	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	40
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	688	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	55
1945.....	569	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	38
number 1950.....	888		
1945.....	629		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	688		
number 1950.....	883		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
number 1950.....	5		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....			
number 1950.....			
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	739		
1945.....	749		
number 1950.....	940		
1945.....	857		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	31		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	1		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	92		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	588		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	118		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	25		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	281		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	347		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	136		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	126		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	95		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	327		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	125		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.6		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	20		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	247		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	527		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	744		
persons 1950.....	1,570		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	744		
persons 1950.....	714		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	714		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	447		
persons 1950.....	709		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	112		
persons 1950.....	147		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	764		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	644		
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	522		
1940.....	106,590		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	509		
dollars 1949.....	197,788		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	699		
dollars 1949.....	574,097		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	614		
dollars 1949.....	667,429		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	694		
dollars 1949.....	112,879		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	719		
dollars 1949.....	316,757		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	609		
dollars 1949.....	95,107		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	679		
dollars 1949.....	147,126		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	9		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	21		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	11		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	16		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	85		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	102		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	120		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	181		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	191		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	94		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....			
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	122		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	122		
Cotton.....number 1950.....			
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....			
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	25		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	15		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	792
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	11
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	83
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	241
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	231
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	151
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	55
		Other farms.....number 1950.....	38
		Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	29
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	9
		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,621,411
		1944.....	2,649,300
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	804,455
		1944.....	351,374
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	803,317
		1944.....	350,674
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	141
		1944.....	120
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	997
		1944.....	580
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
		1944.....	
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,816,956
		1944.....	2,297,746
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	223,471
		1944.....	229,475
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	203,428
		1944.....	251,950
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry.....dollars 1949...	3,390,057
		1944.....	1,816,321
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	180
		1944.....	
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	642
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	639
		1945.....	734
		number 1950.....	2,234
		1945.....	3,720
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		1945.....	96
		number 1950.....	43
		1945.....	234
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	755
		1945.....	774
		number 1950.....	29,968
		1945.....	32,492
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	741
		1945 ³	761
		number 1950.....	12,418
		1945 ³	13,653
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	661
		number 1950.....	3,728
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	591
		number 1950.....	6,614
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	587
		number 1950.....	6,792
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	585
		number 1950.....	4,144
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	22
		1944.....	24
		pounds 1949.....	329,299
		1944.....	993,721
		Cream sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,391
		farms reporting 1949.....	522
		1944.....	637
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	376,613
		1944.....	424,924
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949...	212,080
		1949.....	
		1949.....	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	659
		1945.....	677
		number 1950.....	24,117
		1945.....	22,295
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	638
		number 1950.....	11,729
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	298
		number 1950.....	12,388
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	578
		1945.....	564
		number 1950.....	6,112
		1945.....	4,924

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Corn:	
1945...	30	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	776
number 1950...	528	1944...	806
1945...	942	acres 1949...	71,956
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	79,212
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	754
number 1950...	325	1944...	805
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	13	acres 1949...	70,986
1945 ¹ ...	28	1944...	78,591
number 1950...	303	bushels 1949...	1,745,736
1945 ¹ ...	723	1944...	2,071,436
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	14
number 1950...	22	acres 1949...	208
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	tons..green weight 1949...	1,240
number 1950...	203	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lamb ² shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	11	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944...	30	acres 1949...	762
number shorn 1949...	251	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,151	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	38
1944...	6,743	1944...	482
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	435
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	7,287
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	659	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1945...	732	1944...	39
number 1950...	74,099	acres 1949...	59
1945...	98,322	1944...	462
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	387	bushels 1949...	1,530
number 1949...	37,640	1944...	6,253
dollars 1949...	32,999	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	568	acres 1949...	25
dozens 1949...	515,459	tons..green weight 1949...	85
dollars 1949...	169,646	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1950...	6	acres 1949...	351
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	4	tons cut 1949...	506
1944...	20	Small grains:	
number 1949...	17	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944...	1,034	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	23
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	980
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	15,750
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	757	1944...	148
dollars 1949...	3,367,192	acres 1949...	87
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	690	1944...	5,952
1944...	638	acres 1949...	2,191
number 1949...	13,756	1944...	87,885
1944...	11,285	bushels 1949...	23,398
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	576	1944...	9
number 1949...	10,511	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	278
dollars 1949...	1,778,996	acres 1949...	21
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	336	1944...	3,181
number 1949...	3,245	bushels 1949...	250
dollars 1949...	326,225	1944...	474
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	679	acres 1949...	373
1944...	680	1944...	19,541
number 1949...	32,817	acres 1949...	11,151
1944...	30,833	bushels 1949...	275,187
dollars 1949...	1,269,194	1944...	110,924
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	46
1944...	19	acres 1949...	85
number 1949...	489	1944...	1,232
1944...	611	acres 1949...	2,759
dollars 1949...	7,945	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	186
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	66	1944...	354
number 1949...	148	acres 1949...	5,162
dollars 1949...	4,832	1944...	14,461
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	53,016
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	583	1944...	100,466
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	307	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	67
number 1949...	339	1944...	202
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	228	acres 1949...	1,178
1944...	323	1944...	4,010
number 1949...	247	bushels 1949...	10,151
1944...	359	1944...	37,948
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	82	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	25	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	92	1944 ² ...	1
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	542	acres 1949...	2
1944...	636	1944 ² ...	10
number 1949...	1,121	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	1,508	1944...	1
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres 1949...	2
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	101	bushels 1949...	45
dollars 1949...	1,779	1944...	80
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	1
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	1
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944...	2

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	687	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	44,301	.....acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	617	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	335	.....1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	19,318	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	5,641	.....1944...	(*)
.....tons 1949...	29,388	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	7,975	.....acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....1944...	
.....1944...	18	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	51	.....1944...	4
.....1944...	457	.....acres 1949...	2
.....tons 1949...	46	.....1944...	1
.....1944...	253	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	55	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	502	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	1,264	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....tons 1949...	279	.....acres 1949...	2
.....1944...	755	.....quarts 1949...	1,473
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	338	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944...	329	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	173
.....acres 1949...	22,537	.....1945...	
.....1944...	25,817	.....acres 1950 ² ...	20
.....tons 1949...	16,382	.....1945...	
.....1944...	16,587	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	132
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	69	.....1945...	27
.....acres 1949...	1,802	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	843
.....1944...	1,208	.....1945...	140
.....tons 1949...	1,583	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	521
.....1944...	1,407	.....1950...	322
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	557
.....acres 1949...		.....1944...	323
.....tons..green weight 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	40
Field crops (other):		.....1945...	2
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	164	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	592
.....1944...	35	.....1945...	5
.....acres 1949...	3,156	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	158
.....1944...	490	.....1950...	434
.....bushels 1949...	4,968	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	43
.....1944...	356	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1944...	
.....1944...	8	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	31
.....acres 1949...	117	.....1945...	6
.....bushels 1949...	141	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	70
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	27	.....1945...	10
.....acres 1949...	453	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	47
.....bushels 1949...	617	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	180	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	34
.....1944...	273	.....1944...	13
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	32	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	109
.....1944...	165	.....1945...	11
.....bushels 1949...	2,912	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	477
.....1944...	5,327	.....1945...	51
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	316
.....acres 1949...	24	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	161
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	386	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,159
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1944...	60
.....1944...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	46
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	5
.....1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	195
.....tons 1949...		.....1945...	146
.....1944...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	93
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	102
.....acres 1949...	14	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	90
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	464	.....1944...	1
.....1944...	651	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	17
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	6	.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	1
.....acres 1949...	2	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	26
.....1944...	1	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6
.....sold..dollars 1949...	141	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2
.....1944...	120	.....1944...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	24
.....1944...		.....1945...	
.....acres 1949...		.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	129
.....1944...		.....1945...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	65
.....1944...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	64
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	355
.....1944...		.....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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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...	1,396	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	78
1945.....	1,408	1945.....	64
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	345,600	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	15
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.6	1945.....	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	155,815	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	63
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	185,631	1945.....	55
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,254	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	77
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33,964	1945.....	72
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	309,736	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	40
1945.....	304,535	1945.....	40
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	221.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	23
1945.....	216.3	1945.....	23
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	27,061	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	124
1945.....	13,603	1945.....	115
average per acre, dollars 1950*	119.37	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	96
1945.....	62.89	1945.....	110
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	275
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	1945.....	237
1944.....	1,323	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	119
acres 1949.....	196,552	1945.....	120
1944.....	179,701	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	156
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1945.....	176
1944.....	48	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	329
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945.....	320
1944.....	37	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	67
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1945.....	66
1944.....	26	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	12
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1945.....	5
1944.....	72		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	264	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	316	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	519	White operators.....number 1950...	1,396
1944.....	573	1945.....	1,408
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	333	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	251	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	352	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	467	Full owners.....number 1950...	472
acres 1949.....	19,793	1945.....	409
1944 ¹	6,180	Part owners.....number 1950...	327
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	426	1945.....	273
acres 1949.....	15,419	Managers.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	35,255	1945.....	14
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	197	All tenants.....number 1950...	591
acres 1949.....	6,396	1945.....	712
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	158	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	42.3
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	38	1945.....	50.6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	51
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	279	1945.....	81
acres 1949.....	9,023	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	321
1944.....	57	1945.....	288
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	33	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	175
acres 1949.....	1,597	1945.....	138
1944.....	849	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	253
1949.....	69	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
1944.....	93	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,155	1945.....	5
acres 1949.....	983	Other tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	43
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	883		
1944 ¹	1,030	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	61,539	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	755
1944 ¹	66,509	1945.....	471
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,338	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,226
1944.....	1,373	1945.....	644
acres 1949.....	13,681	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221
1944.....	15,058	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.38
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	707	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	706
1944.....	546	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	373
acres 1949.....	57,097	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	266
1944.....	39,271	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,105
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	238
acres 1949.....	1,021	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	149
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	400
		number 1950...	418
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	634
		number 1950...	652
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	33
		number 1950...	33
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	54
		number 1950...	68
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		number 1950...	64

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...	593	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	322
.....1945.....	422	General farms.....number 1950.....	256
.....number 1950.....	679	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	468	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	43
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,138	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	210
.....1945.....	1,057	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	158
.....number 1950.....	1,958		
.....1945.....	1,377		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,133	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,891	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,248
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	52
.....number 1950.....	45	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	182
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	450
.....number 1950.....	22	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	340
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,262	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	143
.....1945.....	1,259	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	81
.....number 1950.....	1,537	Other farms.....number 1950.....	148
.....1945.....	1,544	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	58
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	90
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	162	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	72	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	586	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,194,882
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	566	.....1944.....	6,643,348
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,536,511
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	2,159,511
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,518,507
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	.....1944.....	2,128,052
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	549	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,797
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	497	.....1944.....	19,854
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	256	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,507
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	.....1944.....	2,697
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,700
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	907	.....1944.....	8,908
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,658,371
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	.....1944.....	4,483,817
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	619,996
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4	.....1944.....	478,861
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	631,544
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	321	.....1944.....	535,709
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	966	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,406,831
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....1944.....	3,469,247
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	20
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,237	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	637
.....persons 1950.....	2,266	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	602
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,235	.....1945.....	1,026
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,173	.....number 1950.....	1,549
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	575	.....1945.....	3,483
.....persons 1950.....	887	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	51
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	155	.....1945.....	160
.....persons 1950.....	206	.....number 1950.....	109
		.....1945.....	445
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,309	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,161
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,144	.....1945.....	1,253
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,008	.....number 1950.....	33,503
.....dollars 1942.....	245,775	.....1945.....	38,577
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	869	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,120
.....dollars 1949.....	503,351	.....1945 ¹	1,214
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,188	.....number 1950.....	9,389
.....dollars 1949.....	1,544,305	.....1945 ¹	13,676
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,098	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,063
.....dollars 1949.....	3,551,647	.....number 1950.....	6,480
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,123	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	850
.....dollars 1949.....	324,457	.....number 1950.....	6,879
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,203	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	838
.....dollars 1949.....	778,135	.....number 1950.....	13,583
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,048	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	786
.....dollars 1949.....	218,701	.....number 1950.....	3,652
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,088	.....number 1950.....	206
.....dollars 1949.....	276,975	.....1944.....	163
		.....pounds 1949.....	9,530,795
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1949.....	6,758,370
No sales.....number 1950.....	45	.....1944.....	337,103
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	45	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	696
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	20	.....1944.....	922
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	30	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	494,513
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	30	.....1944.....	602,343
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	44	.....dollars 1949.....	282,778
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	74	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	114	.....dollars 1949.....	115
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	204	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	275	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	826
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	311	.....1945.....	892
	234	.....number 1950.....	25,829
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	25,932
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	558	.....number 1950.....	776
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	544	.....number 1950.....	13,676
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	394
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	14	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	12,153
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	632
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1945.....	601
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	62number 1950.....	4,986
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	331945.....	3,823

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1945.....	106	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,208
number 1950.....	4,876	1944.....	1,254
1945.....	10,230	acres 1949...	105,788
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	99,312
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,202
number 1950.....	2,878	1944.....	1,241
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	53	acres 1949...	103,890
1945 ¹	82	1944.....	97,792
number 1950.....	1,291	bushels 1949...	3,612,390
1945 ¹	4,942	1944.....	3,816,046
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	33	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	53
number 1950.....	1,587	acres 1949...	789
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	44	tons..green weight 1949...	4,163
number 1950.....	1,998	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	40	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	68
1944.....	74	acres 1949...	1,109
number shorn 1949...	1,781	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	17,637	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	133
1944.....	45,909	1944.....	369
Average date of emumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	2,474
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	8,692
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,137	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	85
1945.....	1,242	1944.....	238
number 1950.....	132,418	acres 1949...	2,127
1945.....	159,588	1944.....	4,548
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	769	bushels 1949...	49,743
number 1949...	170,093	1944.....	116,827
dollars 1949...	172,231	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	965	acres 1949...	110
dozens 1949...	974,025	tons..green weight 1949...	635
dollars 1949...	341,215	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	38
number 1950...	4	acres 1949...	237
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	9	tons cut 1949...	358
1944.....	38	Small grains:	
er 1949...	13,901	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	12,342	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	37
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	1,283
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	15,506
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,123	1949.....	572
dollars 1949...	7,380,903	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	599
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	975	acres 1949...	36,250
1944.....	992	1944.....	25,142
number 1949...	31,127	bushels 1949...	404,958
1944.....	22,737	1944.....	270,416
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	787	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1949...	28,237	acres 1949...	455
dollars 1949...	5,389,919	1944.....	30
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	438	bushels 1949...	5,064
number 1949...	2,890	1944.....	110
dollars 1949...	282,374	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	636
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	833	1944.....	443
1944.....	933	acres 1949...	15,659
number 1949...	37,938	1944.....	9,297
1944.....	39,673	bushels 1949...	254,562
dollars 1949...	1,652,709	1944.....	121,276
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	50	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	83	acres 1949...	151
number 1949...	2,718	1944.....	571
1944.....	10,091	acres 1949...	3,163
dollars 1949...	47,084	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	134
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	70	1944.....	238
number 1949...	213	acres 1949...	3,176
dollars 1949...	8,817	1944.....	5,715
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	33,139
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	824	1944.....	41,187
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	479	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	50
number 1949...	527	1944.....	910
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	287	acres 1949...	7,822
1944.....	400	1944.....	
number 1949...	311	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	594	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	201	1944 ²	20
1944.....	160	acres 1949...	232
number 1949...	216	1944 ²	27
1944.....	321	acres 1949...	16
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	705	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	487
1944.....	966	1944.....	191
number 1949...	1,223	bushels 1949...	9,507
1944.....	1,972	1944.....	3,717
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	182	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	14,595	tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	30
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	1
		1944.....	1
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	12

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	844	Cantaloupe and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....acres 1949...	28,270	.....acres 1949...	3
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	772	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....1944...	585	.....1944...	24
.....acres 1949...	17,176	.....acres 1949...	13
.....1944...	11,316	.....1944...	171
.....tons 1949...	37,965	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4
.....1944...	25,902	.....1944...	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	4	.....1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	122	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
.....1944...	39	.....1944...	16
.....tons 1949...	142	.....acres 1949...	3
.....1944...	40	.....1944...	9
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....1944...	21	.....acres 1949...	2
.....acres 1949...	218	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
.....1944...	271		
.....tons 1949...	155	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944...	200	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	270	.....acres 1949...	3
.....1944...	317	.....quarts 1949...	1,720
.....acres 1949...	10,225	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944...	11,437	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	268
.....tons 1949...	12,455	.....1945...	16
.....1944...	13,054	.....acres 1950 ² ...	65
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....1945...	40
.....acres 1949...	1,031	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	181
.....1944...	783	.....trees of all ages..number 1945...	84
.....tons 1949...	1,500	.....1945...	1,562
.....1944...	1,041	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1945...	1,022
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	757
.....acres 1949...	50	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	805
.....tons..green weight 1949...	400	.....1944...	3,566
Field crops (other):		.....1944...	597
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	131
.....1944...	23	.....1945...	40
.....acres 1949...	300	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	910
.....1944...	258	.....1945...	376
.....bushels 1949...	378	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	406
.....1944...	232	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	504
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	446
.....1944...	8	.....1944...	29
.....acres 1949...	8	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	81
.....1944...	10	.....1945...	39
.....bushels 1949...	10	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	252
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....1945...	154
.....acres 1949...	282	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	116
.....bushels 1949...	329	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	136
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	78	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	698
.....1944...	186	.....1944...	220
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	308	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	160
.....1944...	874	.....1945...	71
.....bushels 1949...	84,369	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	885
.....1944...	91,451	.....1945...	494
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	396
.....acres 1949...	125	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	489
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	2,321	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,147
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	19	.....1944...	2,388
.....1944...	34	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	115
.....acres 1949...	622	.....1945...	48
.....1944...	552	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	799
.....tons 1949...	5,976	.....1945...	869
.....1944...	5,340	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	237
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	562
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	971
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	373
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	850	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	55
.....1944...	1,000	.....1945...	38
.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	202
.....1944...	32	.....1945...	128
.....acres 1949...	23	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	117
.....1944...	226	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	85
.....sold..dollars 1949...	1,797	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	47
.....1944...	19,854	.....1944...	.....
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	64
.....1944...	7	.....1945...	25
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,469
.....1944...	2	.....1945...	2,047
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	198
.....1944...	6	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,271
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	17,286
.....1944...	3	.....1944...	21,980

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...	1,453	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	45
1945.....	1,486	1945.....	60
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	346,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	8
1945.....	96.7	1945.....	21
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	143,655	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	37
1945.....	229,246	1945.....	39
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	38,026	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	39
1945.....	334,875	1945.....	44
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	338,328	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	25
1945.....	230.5	1945.....	27
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	227.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	14
1945.....	26,400	1945.....	6
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,184	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	74
1945.....	113.31	1945.....	67
average per acre, dollars 1950*	66.69	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	59
1945.....		1945.....	66
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	300
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,395	1945.....	308
1944.....	1,408	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	168
acres 1949.....	257,508	1945.....	158
1944.....	233,335	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	264
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1945.....	274
1944.....	35	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	411
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945.....	434
1944.....	18	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	52
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945.....	36
1944.....	11	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1945.....	6
1944.....	30		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	126	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	197	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	644	White operators.....number 1950...	1,453
1944.....	706	1945.....	1,486
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	543	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	411	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	674	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	941	Full owners.....number 1950...	348
acres 1949.....	14,162	1945.....	309
1944 ¹	14,164	Part owners.....number 1950...	404
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	483	1945.....	336
acres 1949.....	12,474	Managers.....number 1950...	
1944.....	36,777	1945.....	4
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	170	All tenants.....number 1950...	701
acres 1949.....	3,844	1945.....	837
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	156	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	48.2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945.....	56.3
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	367	1945.....	26
acres 1949.....	8,630	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	462
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1945.....	380
1944.....	57	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	185
acres 1949.....	2,299	1945.....	423
1944.....	2,216	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	126
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	59
1944.....	67	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
acres 1949.....	1,579	1945.....	8
1944.....	927	Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	786	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
1944 ¹	907		
acres 1949.....	32,524	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944 ¹	33,826	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	1,116
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,402	1945.....	1,114
1944.....	1,470	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,296
acres 1949.....	14,329	1945.....	440
1944.....	17,083	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,231
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	229	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.56
1944.....	61	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	506
acres 1949.....	20,414	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	235
1944.....	5,337	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	90
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,036
acres 1949.....	234	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	150
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	260
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,319	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	690
1945.....	1,418	number 1950...	695
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	88	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	845
1945.....	54	number 1950...	856
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	61	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	65
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	343	number 1950...	65
1944.....	222	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	40
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	88	number 1950...	40
1944.....	53	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	410
		number 1950...	425

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

Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	691
1945.....	341
number 1950.....	816
1945.....	362
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,306
1945.....	1,215
number 1950.....	1,767
1945.....	1,366
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,306
number 1950.....	1,742
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
number 1950.....	5
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	3
number 1950.....	5
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,326
1945.....	1,364
number 1950.....	1,667
1945.....	1,552
Farms by class of work power:	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	137
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	44
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	527
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	745
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	40
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	445
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	571
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	360
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	806
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	170
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	280
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	35
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.6
Kind of road on which farm is located:	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	105
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	911
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	410
FARM LABOR*	
Week preceding enumeration:	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,366
persons 1950.....	2,326
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,356
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,310
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	665
persons 1950.....	920
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	91
persons 1950.....	96
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,411
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,291
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,186
dollars 1949.....	276,320
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	951
dollars 1949.....	276,885
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,236
dollars 1949.....	890,840
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,111
dollars 1949.....	995,215
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,240
dollars 1949.....	234,215
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,356
dollars 1949.....	665,250
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,181
dollars 1949.....	202,405
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,226
dollars 1949.....	278,110
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD	
No sales.....number 1950.....	22
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	23
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	5
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	10
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	35
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	29
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	144
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	278
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	264
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	436
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	207
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	848
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	24
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	9

Item	County total
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	303
General farms.....number 1950.....	197
Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	29
Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	168
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	72
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,386
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	20
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	187
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	542
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	436
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	158
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	43
Other farms.....number 1950.....	67
Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	22
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	38
Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	7
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,808,440
1944.....	6,910,582
All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,143,646
1944.....	2,888,328
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,138,959
1944.....	2,875,695
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	500
1944.....	1,448
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	604
1944.....	287
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,583
1944.....	10,898
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,664,794
1944.....	4,021,954
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	525,100
1944.....	480,190
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	574,221
1944.....	697,760
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,565,473
1944.....	2,844,004
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
1944.....	300
HORSES AND MULES	
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	562
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	547
1945.....	1,193
number 1950.....	1,289
1945.....	3,887
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	30
1945.....	98
number 1950.....	86
1945.....	215
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,258
1945.....	1,329
number 1950.....	23,039
1945.....	30,498
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,230
1945 ³	1,304
number 1950.....	8,013
1945 ³	11,564
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,173
number 1950.....	6,266
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,012
number 1950.....	5,127
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	490
number 1950.....	6,831
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	837
number 1950.....	3,068
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	169
1944.....	55
pounds 1949.....	4,619,134
1944.....	2,224,837
dollars 1949.....	165,769
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	892
1944.....	1,204
pounds of butterfat 1949.....	646,329
1944.....	838,244
dollars 1949.....	357,509
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
1949.....	1,822
HOGS	
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	887
1945.....	983
number 1950.....	22,384
1945.....	23,283
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	849
number 1950.....	11,174
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	406
number 1950.....	11,210
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	741
1945.....	647
number 1950.....	5,613
1945.....	4,550

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	60	Corn:	
1945.....	129	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,348
number 1950...	3,189	1944.....	1,372
1945.....	8,142	acres 1949...	129,555
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	120,620
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,344
number 1950...	1,504	1944.....	1,370
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	49	acres 1949...	127,076
1945 ¹ ..	103	1944.....	116,591
number 1950...	1,344	bushels 1949...	4,209,082
1945 ¹ ..	2,262	1944.....	4,434,856
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	205
number 1950...	160	acres 1949...	1,580
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	52	tons..green weight 1949...	10,568
number 1950...	1,685	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	45	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	77
1944.....	109	acres 1949...	899
number shorn 1949...	1,408	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	14,159	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	253
1944.....	23,944	1944.....	842
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949...	4,160
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	14,188
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,166	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	176
1945.....	1,324	1944.....	396
number 1950...	140,650	acres 1949...	3,604
1945.....	203,861	1944.....	8,381
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	947	bushels 1949...	107,117
number 1949...	133,865	1944.....	223,826
dollars 1949...	118,449	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,083	acres 1949...	167
dozens 1949...	1,209,611	tons..green weight 1949...	1,092
dollars 1949...	429,748	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	.....	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	72
number 1950...	.....	acres 1949...	389
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	2	tons out 1949...	720
1944.....	19	Small grains:	
number 1949...	3,503	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	10,713	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	126
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	3,443
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	43,895
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,196	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,156
dollars 1949...	3,549,825	1944.....	712
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,053	acres 1949...	74,329
1944.....	1,139	1944.....	41,510
number 1949...	13,507	bushels 1949...	859,068
1944.....	15,174	1944.....	287,807
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	895	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1949...	11,491	acres 1949...	814
dollars 1949...	2,009,375	1944.....	280
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	451	bushels 1949...	7,996
* number 1949...	2,016	1944.....	3,405
dollars 1949...	198,182	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	991
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	885	acres 1949...	866
1944.....	1,092	acres 1949...	25,974
number 1949...	29,811	1944.....	25,248
1944.....	43,554	bushels 1949...	377,209
dollars 1949...	1,204,078	1944.....	261,603
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	49
1944.....	91	acres 1949...	290
number 1949...	3,870	1944.....	876
1944.....	6,364	acres 1949...	5,781
dollars 1949...	129,599	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	60
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	96	1944.....	526
number 1949...	319	acres 1949...	955
dollars 1949...	8,591	1944.....	12,748
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	15,618
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	895	1944.....	84,030
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	514	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	564	1944.....	101
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	263	acres 1949...	142
1944.....	433	1944.....	1,011
number 1949...	290	bushels 1949...	2,048
1944.....	451	1944.....	11,346
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	258	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	174	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	274	1944 ² ..	4
1944.....	183	acres 1949...	30
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	753	1944 ² ..	2
1944.....	1,084	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	1,169	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	1,841	1944.....	30
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		bushels 1949...	27
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	193	1944.....	750
dollars 1949...	8,262	299	
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		tons 1949...	.....
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	941	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	16,198	acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	865	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	543	1944.....	7
acres 1949.....	12,298	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	7,564	1944.....	4
tons 1949.....	27,402	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	16,033	1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	264	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	324	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....	3	1944.....	8
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	27	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	36	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	252	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	652	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	168	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	470	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	146	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	150	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,861	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2,772	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,821	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	3,294	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	66	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	705		
1944.....	767	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	820	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
1944.....	947	acres 1949.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....		quarts 1949.....	660
acres 1949.....			
tons green weight 1949.....			
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	27	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	363
1944.....	52	1945.....	7
acres 1949.....	350	acres 1950 ¹	48
1944.....	495	1945.....	4
bushels 1949.....	437	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	207
1944.....	526	trees of all ages number 1950.....	1,136
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	1945.....	78
acres 1949.....	102	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	334
1944.....	102	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	653
bushels 1949.....	102	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	483
1944.....	102	quantity harvested bushels 1949.....	513
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	29	1944.....	108
acres 1949.....	352	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	179
bushels 1949.....	462	1945.....	31
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	231	trees of all ages number 1950.....	992
1944.....	220	1945.....	157
acres 1949 ¹	31	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	423
1944.....	65	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	569
bushels 1949.....	3,651	quantity harvested bushels 1949.....	673
1944.....	1,494	1944.....	13
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	81
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	28
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	25	trees of all ages number 1950.....	199
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	89
1944.....	20	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	113
acres 1949.....	20	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	86
1944.....	280	quantity harvested bushels 1949.....	124
tons 1949.....	280	1944.....	19
1944.....		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	222
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	60
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	966
		1945.....	342
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	605	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	438
1944.....	1,175	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	528
		quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	5,636
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1944.....	22
1944.....	23	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	113
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	30
1944.....	26	trees of all ages number 1950.....	443
sold dollars 1949.....	500	1945.....	560
1944.....	1,448	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	210
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	233
1944.....	2	quantity harvested bushels 1949.....	137
acres 1949.....		1944.....	25
1944.....	(*)	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	117
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	21
1944.....	1	trees of all ages number 1950.....	583
acres 1949.....		1945.....	173
1944.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	208
		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	375
		quantity harvested bushels 1949.....	213
		1944.....	
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	81
		1945.....	31
		vines of all ages number 1950.....	603
		1945.....	212
		vines not of bearing age number 1950.....	308
		vines of bearing age number 1950.....	295
		quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	2,633
		1944.....	1,020

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

For release May 1, 1951

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	833	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	21
.....1945.....	956	.....1945.....	54
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	368,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	368,151	.....1945.....	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.9	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	19
.....1945.....	178,151	.....1945.....	43
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	209,962	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	27
.....1945.....	12,639	.....1945.....	27
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	345,174	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	16
.....1945.....	356,371	.....1945.....	11
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	414.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	9
.....1945.....	372.8	.....1945.....	7
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	22,066	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....1945.....	12,890	.....1945.....	14
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	54,66	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....1945.....	34,58	.....1945.....	23
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	148,699	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	76
.....1945.....	154,578	.....1945.....	67
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	26
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	792	.....1945.....	39
.....1944.....	912	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	49
.....acres 1949.....	154,578	.....1945.....	66
.....1944.....	148,699	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	329
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	20	.....1945.....	411
.....1944.....	43	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	208
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....1945.....	198
.....1944.....	10	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	33
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....1945.....	25
.....1944.....	17		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	21	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	116	White operators.....number 1950...	833
.....1944.....	137	.....1945.....	956
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	273	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
.....1944.....	411	.....1945.....	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	332	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	273	Full owners.....number 1950...	222
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	148	.....1945.....	228
.....1944.....	178	Part owners.....number 1950...	301
.....acres 1949.....	5,865	.....1945.....	274
.....1944.....	3,598	Managers.....number 1950...	
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	668	.....1945.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	55,674	All tenants.....number 1950...	310
.....1944.....	66,919	.....1945.....	453
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	599	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	37.2
.....acres 1949.....	47,171	.....1945.....	47.4
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	219	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....1944.....	347	.....1945.....	26
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	33	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	160
.....1944.....	269	.....1945.....	138
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	8,503	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	96
.....acres 1949.....	71	.....1945.....	288
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	80
.....1944.....	2,876	.....1945.....	16
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	441	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	13
.....acres 1949.....	96	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	68	Other tenants.....number 1950...	3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	3,621	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949.....	2,922		
.....1944.....	699	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	812	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	663
.....acres 1949.....	108,795	.....1945.....	679
.....1944.....	115,921	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	643
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	925	.....1945.....	273
.....acres 1949.....	14,065	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	7,05
.....1944.....	17,871	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	312
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	46	.....1945.....	122
.....acres 1949.....	8	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	57
.....1944.....	2,599	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	473
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	275	.....1945.....	60
.....acres 1949.....	2	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944.....	120	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	105
		.....1945.....	439
FARM OPERATORS		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	260
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	751	.....1945.....	275
.....1945.....	889	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	28
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	71	.....1945.....	72
.....1945.....	67	Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	108
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	76	.....1945.....	196
.....1944.....	268	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	168
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	187	.....1945.....	223
.....1944.....	60	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1945.....	56	.....1945.....	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	389	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	212
1945.....	239	General farms.....number 1950...	194
number 1950.....	426	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	1950.....
1945.....	246	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	31
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	654	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	153
1945.....	692	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	68
number 1950.....	964		
1945.....	792		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	664	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950.....	593	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	765
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
number 1950.....	25	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	124
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	263
number 1950.....	46	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	178
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	734	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	112
1945.....	846	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	52
number 1950.....	924	Other farms.....number 1950.....	68
1945.....	958	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	33
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	15
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	76	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...	46	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	487	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,080,335
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	209	1944.....	4,152,736
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,591,357
		1944.....	2,487,745
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,590,526
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	2,485,677
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	90	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	445
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	255	1944.....	1,271
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	286	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	392
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	177	1944.....	777
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,458,578
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	56	1944.....	1,964,570
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	362	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	265,372
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	190	1944.....	261,820
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	264,197
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	302,777
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	60	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,959,499
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	89	1944.....	1,380,443
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	637	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		1944.....	23
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	544
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	763	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	532
persons 1950.....	1,421	1945.....	718
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	762	number 1950.....	1,417
Operators.....persons 1950.....	742	1945.....	2,977
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	376	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	23
persons 1950.....	587	1945.....	121
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	67	number 1950.....	41
persons 1950.....	92	1945.....	279
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	819	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	729
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	699	1945.....	832
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	592	number 1950.....	21,954
dollars 1949.....	144,061	1945.....	29,232
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	564	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	721
dollars 1949.....	215,235	1945 ³	836
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	734	number 1950.....	6,703
dollars 1949.....	483,353	1945 ³	11,513
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	649	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	653
dollars 1949.....	756,363	number 1950.....	3,641
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	677	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	584
dollars 1949.....	133,522	number 1950.....	4,413
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	734	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	585
dollars 1949.....	400,053	number 1950.....	5,327
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	634	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	569
dollars 1949.....	111,532	number 1950.....	3,511
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	679	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	54
dollars 1949.....	160,745	1944.....	41
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949.....	2,372,962
No sales.....number 1950.....	15	1944.....	1,247,103
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	32	dollars 1949.....	94,410
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	32	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	518
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	32	1944.....	779
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	26	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	284,230
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	47	1944.....	1,59,141
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	110	dollars 1949.....	170,962
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	95	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	125	1944.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	221		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	130		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	333	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	525
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	333	1945.....	613
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	10,599
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	11,471
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	482
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	5,009
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	21	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	777
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	number 1950.....	5,584
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	473
		1945.....	411
		number 1950.....	2,347
		1945.....	2,366

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

HARLAN COUNTY, NEBRASKA--5

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Corn:	
1945.....	17	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	716
number 1950.....	325	1944.....	867
1945.....	326	acres 1949.....	56,630
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	109,623
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	707
number 1950.....	172	1944.....	865
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	12	acres 1949.....	54,643
1945 ¹	13	1944.....	107,568
number 1950.....	164	bushels 1949.....	1,347,136
1945 ¹	243	1944.....	3,310,237
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	89
number 1950.....	8	acres 1949.....	1,333
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	9	tons..green weight 1949...	8,343
number 1950.....	153	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	13	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	57
1944.....	11	acres 1949.....	654
number shorn 1949.....	212	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,900	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	390
1944.....	1,774	1944.....	685
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	6,056
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	11,019
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	692	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	125
1945.....	865	1944.....	159
number 1950.....	76,115	acres 1949.....	1,909
1945.....	10,830	1944.....	1,956
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	427	bushels 1949.....	39,082
number 1949.....	34,132	1944.....	44,457
dollars 1949.....	31,077	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	612	acres 1949.....	228
dozens 1949.....	562,040	tons..green weight 1949...	1,378
dollars 1949.....	195,030	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	3	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	326
number 1950.....	9	acres 1949.....	3,919
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	7	tons cut 1949...	7,403
1944.....	11	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	6,166	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	3,708	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	157
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	3,320
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	732	1944.....	685
dollars 1949...	1,955,965	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	162
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	668	acres 1949.....	77,112
1944.....	725	1944.....	8,598
number 1949...	9,750	bushels 1949...	917,496
1944.....	10,242	1944.....	77,080
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	503	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	6,872	acres 1949...	190
dollars 1949...	1,145,616	1944.....	1,600
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	413	bushels 1949...	195
number 1949...	2,878	1944.....	219
dollars 1949...	262,849	acres 1949...	3,653
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	532	1944.....	4,814
1944.....	675	bushels 1949...	84,978
number 1949...	13,562	1944.....	72,209
1944.....	20,709	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	32
dollars 1949...	526,631	acres 1949...	72
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1944.....	340
1944.....	4	1944.....	1,218
number 1949...	747	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	118
1944.....	1,015	acres 1949...	207
dollars 1949...	17,108	1944.....	2,330
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	67	bushels 1949...	5,969
number 1949...	115	1944.....	24,736
dollars 1949...	3,761	1944.....	44,676
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	536	acres 1949...	27
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	319	1944.....	459
number 1949...	373	bushels 1949...	236
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	140	1944.....	3,541
1944.....	261	1944.....	2,189
number 1949...	145	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	280	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	188	acres 1949...	40
1944.....	79	1944.....	40
number 1949...	228	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	91	acres 1949...	33
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	446	1944.....	316
1944.....	675	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	734	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,291	tons 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	119	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,831	acres 1949...	
		1944.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	1
		1944.....	1
		100-lb. bags 1949...	3
		1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	467	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	9,171	acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	295	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1944...	208	acres 1944...	2
acres 1949...	5,157	acres 1949...	1
acres 1944...	3,717	acres 1944...	2
tons 1949...	10,590	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...*
tons 1944...	9,158	acres 1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15	acres 1949...*
acres 1944...	13	acres 1944...	1
acres 1949...	179	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1944...	268	acres 1944...	12
tons 1949...	180	acres 1949...	1
tons 1944...	236	acres 1944...	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1944...	4	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	203	acres 1944...*
acres 1944...	42	Other vegetables.....,acres 1949...*
tons 1949...	210		
tons 1944...	22	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	117	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1944...	57	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	2,302	quarts 1949...	180
acres 1944...	810		
tons 1949...	2,099	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1944...	802	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	184
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	139	acres 1945...	18
acres 1949...	1,403	acres 1950 ² ...	19
acres 1944...	2,020	acres 1945...	15
tons 1949...	1,878	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	90
tons 1944...	3,498	acres 1945...	64
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950...	886
acres 1949...	16	acres 1945...	306
tons..green weight 1949...	60	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	355
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	531
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	36	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,300
acres 1944...	25	acres 1944...	591
acres 1949...	361	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	129
acres 1944...	328	acres 1945...	45
bushels 1949...	280	acres 1950...	929
bushels 1944...	277	acres 1945...	394
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....*	acres 1950...	331
acres 1944...	.....*	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	598
acres 1949...	.....*	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	535
acres 1944...	.....*	acres 1944...	5
bushels 1949...	.....*	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	41
bushels 1944...	.....*	acres 1945...	27
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1950...	99
acres 1949...	18	acres 1945...	62
bushels 1949...	38	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	50
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	100	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	49
acres 1944...	50	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	44
acres 1949 ¹ ...	58	acres 1944...	35
acres 1944...	35	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	101
bushels 1949...	2,334	acres 1945...	54
acres 1944...	1,484	acres 1950...	527
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	acres 1945...	297
acres 1949...	12	acres 1950...	244
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	100	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	283
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....*	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	3,728
acres 1944...	.....*	acres 1944...	505
acres 1949...	.....*	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	54
acres 1944...	.....*	acres 1945...	31
tons 1949...	.....*	acres 1950...	213
tons 1944...	.....*	acres 1945...	152
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950...	99
acres 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	144
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	430	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	61
acres 1944...	691	acres 1944...	25
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	37
acres 1944...	20	acres 1945...	31
acres 1949...	4	acres 1950...	150
acres 1944...	14	acres 1945...	126
acres 1949...	445	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	67
acres 1944...	1,291	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	83
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949...	27
acres 1944...	2	acres 1944...	4
acres 1949...	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	26
acres 1944...	1	acres 1945...	20
acres 1949...	.....*	acres 1950...	160
acres 1944...	.....*	acres 1945...	186
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....*	acres 1950...	73
acres 1944...	.....*	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	87
acres 1949...	.....*	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	767
acres 1944...	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	781
		acres 1944...*

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *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...	474	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	529	1945.....	12
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	455,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	101.1	1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	269,598	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	9
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	220,485	1945.....	1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	29,929	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	7
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	460,105	1945.....	2
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	467,501	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	4
1945.....	487,501	1945.....	2
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	970.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	5
1945.....	885.7	1945.....	5
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	29,249	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	5
1945.....	15,618	1945.....	5
average per acre, dollars 1950*	50.59	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	5
1945.....	17.87	1945.....	5
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	17
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	465	1945.....	22
1944.....	500	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	2
acres 1949.....	123,450	1945.....	2
1944.....	127,803	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	1945.....	12
1944.....	7	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	107
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	1945.....	124
1944.....	2	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	176
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	1945.....	195
1944.....	12	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	152
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	1945.....	140
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	38		
1944.....	40	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	118	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	124	White operators.....number 1950.....	474
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	268	1945.....	529
1944.....	506	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	105	1945.....	
1944 ¹	119	Farms by tenure of operator:	
acres 1949.....	9,431	Full owners.....number 1950.....	158
1944 ¹	2,279	1945.....	151
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	400	Part owners.....number 1950.....	180
acres 1949.....	57,608	1945.....	140
1944.....	53,810	Managers.....number 1950.....	
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	375	1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	47,241	All tenants.....number 1950.....	176
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	92	1945.....	237
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	217	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	37.1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	64	1945.....	44.8
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	145	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	8
acres 1949.....	10,567	1945.....	14
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	62
1944.....	5	1945.....	64
acres 1949.....	615	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	85
1944.....	151	1945.....	159
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	66
1944.....	5	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	17
acres 1949.....	977	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	25
1944.....	55	1945.....	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	454	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	
1944 ¹	495	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	25
acres 1949.....	243,169		
1944 ¹	263,158	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	448	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	368
1944.....	524	1945.....	317
acres 1949.....	9,855	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	349
1944.....	10,485	1945.....	151
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	208
1944.....	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	10.15
acres 1949.....	1,344	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	105
1944.....	125	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	59
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	257
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	287
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	511
		number 1950.....	205
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	209
		number 1950.....	22
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	22
		number 1950.....	6
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	7
		number 1950.....	17
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
		number 1950.....	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	442		
1945.....	502		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	25		
1945.....	27		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	11		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	105		
1944.....	55		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	24		
1944.....	21		

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...	375	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	201
.....1945.....	258	General farms.....number 1950...	43
.....number 1950.....	475	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	4
.....1945.....	287	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	4
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	441	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	55
.....1945.....	428	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	11
.....number 1950.....	728		
.....1945.....	532	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	441	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	465
.....number 1950.....	441	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	704	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	106
.....number 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	204
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	89
.....number 1950.....	8	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	42
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	460	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	471	Other farms.....number 1950...	11
.....number 1950.....	571	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	7
.....1945.....	585	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	4
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	51	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,871,047
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	40	.....1944.....	2,984,355
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	289	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,597,287
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	109	.....1944.....	1,186,700
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,597,154
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,186,509
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	685
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	43	.....1944.....	685
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	153
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	523	.....1944.....	528
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	14	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	58	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,273,790
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	58	.....1944.....	1,617,653
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	66	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	89,606
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	297	.....1944.....	101,455
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	9.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	91,075
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	155,078
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,083,099
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	46	.....1944.....	1,581,120
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	414	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	505	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	553
.....persons 1950.....	982	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	350
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	495	.....1945.....	463
Operators.....persons 1950.....	475	.....number 1950.....	1,214
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	254	.....1945.....	2,666
.....persons 1950.....	385	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	21
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	75	.....1945.....	81
.....persons 1950.....	102	.....number 1950.....	35
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....1945.....	163
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	518	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	471	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	443
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	356	.....1945.....	436
dollars 1949.....	202,530	.....number 1950.....	24,509
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	418	.....1945.....	28,237
dollars 1949.....	297,790	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	456
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	461	.....1945 ³	472
dollars 1949.....	935,075	.....number 1950.....	11,950
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	461	.....1945 ³	12,615
dollars 1949.....	619,006	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	500
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	418	.....number 1950.....	1,686
dollars 1949.....	114,982	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	542
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	480	.....number 1950.....	4,594
dollars 1949.....	398,884	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	352
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	589	.....number 1950.....	5,895
dollars 1949.....	102,914	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	549
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	448	.....number 1950.....	4,070
dollars 1949.....	158,786	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	20
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	15
No sales.....number 1950...	4	.....pounds 1949.....	618,063
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	317,558
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	4	.....dollars 1949.....	22,653
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	250
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	12	.....1944.....	566
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	114,835
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	41	.....1944.....	184,852
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	65	.....dollars 1949.....	66,653
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	80	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	168	.....1944.....	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	120	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	529
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	215	.....1945.....	598
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	215	.....number 1950.....	10,295
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	18,505
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	806
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	5,000
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	183
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950.....	5,295
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	4	.....1945.....	251
		.....number 1950.....	279
		.....1945.....	2,385
		.....1945.....	2,750

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Corn:	
1945...	17	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	408
number 1950...	725	1944...	474
1945 ¹ ...	2,355	acres 1949...	58,812
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	81,521
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	392
number 1950...	522	1944...	478
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	4	acres 1949...	55,781
1945 ¹ ...	15	1944...	80,804
number 1950...	548	bushels 1949...	1,064,258
1945 ¹ ...	1,013	1944...	1,856,420
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	3	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950...	174	acres 1949...	445
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	4	tons..green weight 1949...	3,157
number 1950...	201	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	81
1944...	15	acres 1949...	2,706
number shorn 1949...	278	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,351	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	301
1944...	9,335	1944...	446
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	8,753
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	17,248
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	594	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	54
1945...	484	1944...	33
number 1950...	51,847	acres 1949...	628
1945...	47,829	1944...	821
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	207	bushels 1949...	16,890
number 1949...	18,414	1944...	4,857
dollars 1949...	15,188	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	296	acres 1949...	100
dozens 1949...	180,057	tons..green weight 1949...	353
dollars 1949...	82,056	Sorghums or cans hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	277
number 1950...	15	acres 1949...	7,825
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	7	tons cut 1949...	7,504
1944...	15	Small grains:	
number 1949...	2,012	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944...	5,144	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	875
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	7,850
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	488	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	339
dollars 1949...	2,089,640	1944...	220
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	412	acres 1949...	49,995
1944...	423	1944...	25,088
number 1949...	11,900	bushels 1949...	557,475
1944...	10,941	1944...	238,546
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	312	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	6,894	acres 1949...	709
dollars 1949...	1,068,288	1944...	7,585
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	271	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	52
number 1949...	5,008	1944...	60
dollars 1949...	468,088	acres 1949...	986
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	352	1944...	1,425
1944...	414	bushels 1949...	24,537
number 1949...	15,486	1944...	28,710
1944...	25,542	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
dollars 1949...	537,823	1944...	20
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1949...	515
1944...	12	1944...	478
number 1949...	734	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	49
1944...	1,114	1944...	91
dollars 1949...	15,365	acres 1949...	1,511
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	62	1944...	3,408
number 1949...	141	bushels 1949...	17,509
dollars 1949...	4,520	1944...	38,446
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	58
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	512	1944...	102
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	189	acres 1949...	2,011
number 1949...	219	1944...	3,789
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	75	bushels 1949...	13,979
1944...	209	1944...	55,901
number 1949...	88	Annual legumes:	
1944...	231	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	116	1944 ² ...	
1944...	28	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	151	1944 ² ...	
1944...	33	1944 ² ...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	285	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	428	1944...	
number 1949...	471	acres 1949...	
1944...	955	1944...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	51	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	2,583	1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	242	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	10,929	.....acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	103	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	69	.....1944...	1
.....acres 1949...	3,185	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	1,976	.....1944...	
.....tons 1949...	5,462	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	4,402	.....acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1944...	
.....1944...		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....acres 1949...		.....1944...	7
.....1944...		.....acres 1949...	
.....tons 1949...		.....1944...	1
.....1944...		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	9	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
.....acres 1949...	444		
.....1944...	196	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....tons 1949...	458	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....1944...	277	.....acres 1949...	(*)
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	129	.....quarts 1949...	21
.....1944...	51	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....acres 1949...	6,131	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	69
.....1944...	2,983	.....1945...	3
.....tons 1949...	4,373	.....acres 1950 ² ...	15
.....1944...	2,454	.....1945...	7
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	76	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	56
.....acres 1949...	1,154	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	979	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	234
.....tons 1949...	1,296	.....1945...	95
.....1944...	1,288	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	105
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	129
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	518
.....tons..green weight 1949...		.....1944...	450
Field crops (other):		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	19
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	4	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	106
.....acres 1949...	585	.....1945...	16
.....1944...	58	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	42
.....bushels 1949...	844	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	64
.....1944...	40	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	84
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1944...	9
.....1944...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	12
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	5
.....1944...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	59
.....bushels 1949...		.....1945...	17
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	15
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	26
.....bushels 1949...		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	43
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1944...	56
.....1944...	4	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	44
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	5	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	244
.....bushels 1949...	87	.....1945...	54
.....1944...	110	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	77
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	137
.....acres 1949...	2	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,009
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	9	.....1944...	1,400
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	14
.....1944...		.....1945...	1
.....acres 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	84
.....1944...		.....1945...	2
.....tons 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	46
.....1944...		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	38
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	42
.....acres 1949...	3	.....1944...	5
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	151	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	9
.....1944...	377	.....1945...	1
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	54
.....1944...	8	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	26
.....1944...	5	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23
.....sold..dollars 1949...	668	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	50
.....1944...		.....1944...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	8
.....1944...		.....1945...	1
.....acres 1949...		.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	31
.....1944...		.....1945...	4
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	5
.....1944...		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	28
.....acres 1949...		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	272
.....1944...		.....1944...	48

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/2 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... 703 1945... 719	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 25 1945... 12
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 462,080 1945... 42.9	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 6 1945... 2
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 92.9 1945... 92.9	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 19 1945... 10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 237,086 1945... 211,787	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 8
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 1,720 1945... 21,269	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 8 1945... 8
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 21,269 1945... 429,324	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 12 1945... 2
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 429,324 1945... 445,083	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 14
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 610.7 1945... 619.0	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 17 1945... 10
Average size of farm.....acres	1950* 610.7 1945* 619.0	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 54 1945... 50
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950* 30,867 1945* 16,198	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 12
.....average per acre, dollars	1950* 50.77 1945* 26.17	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 20 1945... 20
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 202 1945... 227
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 661 1944... 690	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 230 1945... 232
acres	1949... 137,337 1944... 160,218	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 116 1945... 17
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 6		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 7 1944... 7	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 4 1944... 4	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 22 1944... 17	White operators.....number	1950... 702 1945... 719
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 88 1944... 76	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 235 1944... 213	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 290 1944... 367	Full owners.....number	1950... 227 1945... 184
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 97 1944... 144	Part owners.....number	1950... 237 1945... 233
acres	1949... 7,264 1944... 1,827	Managers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 3
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 59 1944... 81,494	All tenants.....number	1950... 238 1945... 299
acres	1949... 61,405 1944... 521	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 33.9 1945... 41.6
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 68,669 1944... 98	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 18 1945... 20
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 309 1944... 114	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 90 1945... 92
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 114 1944... 206	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 116 1945... 186
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 206 1944... 12,825	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 92 1945... 24
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 39 1944... 6	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 90 1945... 14
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 6 1944... 2,864	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
acres	1949... 60 1944... 36	Other tenants.....number	1950... 2 1945... 12
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 1,615		
acres	1949... 570 1944... 210,997	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 598 1944... 666	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 582 1945... 545
acres	1949... 190,371 1944... 210,997	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 631 1945... 208
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 660 1944... 705	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 611 1945... 9,000
acres	1949... 8,379 1944... 10,046	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 314 1945... 174
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 118 1944... 100	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 174 1945... 56
acres	1949... 11,065 1944... 10,091	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 56 1945... 526
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 44	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 93 1945... 21
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 50 1945... 452
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 50 1945... 515
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 178 1945... 183
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 35 1945... 35
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 79 1945... 90
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 35 1945... 15
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 15 1945... 79
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 90 1945... 90
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 632 1945... 660		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 60 1945... 59		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 64 1944... 190		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 139 1944... 60		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 60 1944... 44		

^AData 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...	572	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	248
1945.....	394	General farms.....number 1950...	94
number 1950.....	740	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
1945.....	442	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	14
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	642	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	80
1945.....	587	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	58
number 1950.....	1,021		
1945.....	752		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	622	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950.....	950	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	645
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	36	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	2
number 1950.....	36	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	120
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	32	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	219
number 1950.....	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	164
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	641	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	117
1945.....	552	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	23
number 1950.....	885	Other farms.....number 1950.....	58
1945.....	796	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	36
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	22
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	23	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	396	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,418,052
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	204	1944.....	3,824,480
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,206,954
		1944.....	2,053,196
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,206,631
		1944.....	2,051,114
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	79
		1944.....	1,193
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	244
		1944.....	869
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		1944.....	20
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,211,108
		1944.....	1,768,284
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	183,586
		1944.....	225,278
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	138,996
		1944.....	183,771
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,888,526
		1944.....	1,359,235
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	415
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	409
		1945.....	594
		number 1950.....	1,129
		1945.....	2,633
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	22
		1945.....	61
		number 1950.....	55
		1945.....	132
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	611
		1945.....	659
		number 1950.....	23,685
		1945.....	26,747
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	602
		1945.....	659
		number 1950.....	10,999
		1945.....	12,988
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	528
		number 1950.....	2,504
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	461
		number 1950.....	4,621
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	476
		number 1950.....	3,796
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	469
		number 1950.....	4,259
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	33
		1944.....	74
		number 1949.....	1,049,789
		1944.....	1,501,818
		number 1949.....	22,363
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	376
		1944.....	545
		number 1949.....	219,403
		1944.....	360,254
		number 1949.....	131,223
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	427
		1945.....	495
		number 1950.....	8,574
		1945.....	9,595
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	374
		number 1950.....	4,614
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	218
		number 1950.....	3,960
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	275
		1945.....	285
		number 1950.....	1,910
		1945.....	1,467

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Corn:	
1945.....	19	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	473
number 1950...	348	1944.....	605
1945.....	776	acres 1949.....	32,297
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	54,989
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	460
number 1950.....	240	1944.....	603
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	12	acres 1949.....	30,671
1945.....	15	1944.....	53,045
number 1950.....	173	bushels 1949.....	862,893
1945.....	502	1,493,169	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	31
number 1950.....	67	acres 1949.....	659
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	tons..green weight 1949.....	3,230
number 1950.....	108	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	11	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	62
1944.....	13	acres 1949.....	967
number shorn 1949.....	223	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,601	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	392
1944.....	4,151	1944.....	570
Average date of enumeration.....1950..	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	10,505
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	19,279
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	551	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	80
1945.....	637	acres 1949.....	104
number 1950.....	52,767	1944.....	2,118
1945.....	79,637	bushels 1949.....	2,252
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	287	49,684	
number 1949.....	23,432	1944.....	915
dollars 1949.....	20,784	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	456	acres 1949.....	182
dozens 1949.....	348,055	tons..green weight 1949.....	1,009
dollars 1949.....	117,435	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	3	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	365
number 1950.....	19	acres 1949.....	8,205
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	3	tons out 1949.....	15,211
1944.....	15	Small grains:	
number 1949.....	152	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	226	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	575
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949.....	6,524
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	605	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	547
dollars 1949.....	1,885,179	1944.....	521
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	581	acres 1949.....	84,068
1944.....	582	1944.....	72,283
number 1949.....	11,317	bushels 1949.....	981,519
1944.....	11,124	1944.....	1,212,581
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	460	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	7,158	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	1,047,626	1944.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	363	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	4,159	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	371,896	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	103
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	409	acres 1949.....	109
1944.....	566	acres 1949.....	2,049
number 1949.....	11,882	1944.....	1,903
1944.....	20,052	bushels 1949.....	48,815
dollars 1949.....	449,572	1944.....	34,603
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	9	acres 1944.....	34
number 1949.....	633	acres 1949.....	93
1944.....	1,012	1944.....	520
dollars 1949.....	11,985	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	59
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1944.....	169
number 1949.....	111	acres 1949.....	756
dollars 1949.....	4,100	1944.....	5,099
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949.....	11,445
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	407	1944.....	56,584
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	276	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949.....	322	1944.....	45
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	122	acres 1949.....	77
1944.....	267	1944.....	1,062
number 1949.....	145	bushels 1949.....	609
1944.....	291	1944.....	11,937
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	160	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	85	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	177	1944 ²	
1944.....	92	acres 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	334	1944 ²	
1944.....	542	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	574	1944.....	
1944.....	1,073	acres 1949.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	125	bushels 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	2,271	1944.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		1944.....	
			2
			4
			12

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²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	263	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	6,279	acres 1949...	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	217	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	148	1944...	4
acres 1949...	4,896	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	2,912	1944...	5
tops 1949...	11,404	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	8,592	1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	7	1944...	
acres 1949...	35	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	105	1944...	13
tons 1949...	20	acres 1949...	1
1944...	116	1944...	4
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	32	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	417	1944...	
1944...	630	Other vegetables....., acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	439		
1944...	653	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	47	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	34	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	508	quarts 1949...	820
1944...	616	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	550	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	113
1944...	704	1945...	14
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1950 ² ...	11
acres 1949...	452	1945...	22
1944...	604	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	66
tons 1949...	585	1945...	38
1944...	982	trees of all ages..number 1950...	296
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	248
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	182
tons..green weight 1949...		1945...	114
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	106
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	44	1949...	456
1944...	7	1944...	
acres 1949...	1,175	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	67
1944...	111	1945...	18
bushels 1949...	1,120	trees of all ages..number 1950...	718
1944...	60	1945...	133
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	313
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	405
acres 1949...		1949...	272
1944...		quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	54
bushels 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	25
1944...		1945...	16
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	88
acres 1949...	12	1945...	53
bushels 1949...	24	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	59
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	21	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	29
1944...	30	1949...	54
acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	128
1944...	12	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	64
bushels 1949...	334	1945...	40
1944...	925	trees of all ages..number 1950...	282
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945...	237
acres 1949...	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	132
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	93	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	150
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,163
1944...	14	1944...	4,009
acres 1949...		Plum and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	38
1944...	193	1945...	14
tons 1949...	2,103	trees of all ages..number 1950...	531
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945...	179
acres 1949...	76	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	221
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	273	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	310
1944...	431	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	44
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944...	49
1944...	20	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	32
acres 1949...	1	1945...	6
1944...	13	trees of all ages..number 1950...	134
sold..dollars 1949...	79	1945...	25
1944...	1,193	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	74
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	60
1944...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	11
acres 1949...		1944...	
1944...	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	19
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	3
1944...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	98
acres 1949...		1945...	29
1944...	(*)	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	39
acres 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	59
1944...	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	381
		1944...	340

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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HOLT COUNTY, NEBRASKA

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

Table with 4 columns: Item, County total, Item, and County total. It is divided into sections: FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE; FARMS BY SIZE; FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR; and SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*. It lists various agricultural metrics and their values for 1949, 1944, and 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...	759	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,456
.....1945.....	529	General farms.....number 1950...	200
.....number 1950.....	815	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	17
.....1945.....	575	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	67
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,388	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	116
.....1945.....	1,180	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	185
.....number 1950.....	2,004		
.....1945.....	1,338	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,575	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,895
.....number 1950.....	1,925	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	59
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	215
.....number 1950.....	26	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	462
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	47	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	601
.....number 1950.....	53	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	372
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,655	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	164
.....1945.....	1,936	Other farms.....number 1950...	133
.....number 1950.....	2,064	Part-time ².....number 1950...	87
.....1945.....	2,152	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	44
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	5
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	214	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	25	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,868,681
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,387	.....1944.....	7,289,717
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,175	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,412,920
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	228	.....1944.....	844,809
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,411,585
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	851,165
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	128	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	528
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	523	.....1944.....	4,497
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	515	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	809
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	785	.....1944.....	2,212
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	10	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	6,455
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	10,455,621
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	202	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,414,093
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	112	.....1944.....	808,401
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	772	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	867,116
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	651	.....1944.....	815,181
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	775,897
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	8,034,059
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	152	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,975,170
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	289	.....1944.....	120
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,484	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,815
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	1,803
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,584
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,767	.....1945.....	1,950
.....persons 1950.....	5,394	.....number 1950.....	8,297
.....1945.....	1,755	.....1945.....	11,966
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,694	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	65
Operators.....persons 1950.....	854	.....1945.....	172
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,448	.....number 1950.....	198
.....persons 1950.....	187	.....1945.....	469
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	242	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,688
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,880	.....1945.....	2,098
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,454	.....number 1950.....	188,615
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,075	.....1945.....	140,189
.....dollars 1949.....	245,129	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,882
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,114	.....1945 ³	2,056
.....dollars 1949.....	710,733	.....number 1950.....	65,294
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,706	.....1945 ³	69,829
.....dollars 1949.....	1,701,180	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,637
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,505	.....number 1950...	10,524
.....dollars 1949.....	2,145,599	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,478
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,527	.....number 1950...	28,009
.....dollars 1949.....	158,052	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,550
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,692	.....number 1950...	27,594
.....dollars 1949.....	775,684	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,491
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	.....number 1950...	21,716
.....dollars 1949.....	208,027	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	84
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,568	.....1944.....	49
.....dollars 1949.....	547,659	.....pounds 1949.....	2,124,055
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	1,074,475
No sales.....number 1950...	27	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	80,152
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	22	.....1944.....	1,264
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	71	.....dollars 1949.....	1,753
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	25	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	853,350
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	106	.....1944.....	1,260,462
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	112	.....dollars 1949...	528,149
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	309	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	374	.....dollars 1949...	100
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	358	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	851	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,269
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	274	.....1945.....	1,420
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	28,508
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	127	.....1945.....	25,813
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	127	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,229
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	14,816
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	517
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	14,192
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,085
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	104	.....1945.....	1,083
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	6	.....number 1950...	8,268
		.....1945.....	6,785

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	84	Corn:	
1945.....	187	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,444
number 1950.....	2,786	1944.....	1,728
1945.....	7,752	acres 1949.....	81,226
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	104,200
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,435
number 1950.....	2,014	1944.....	1,697
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	82	acres 1949.....	89,729
1945 ¹	166	1944.....	100,830
number 1950.....	1,928	bushels 1949.....	1,879,484
1945 ¹	4,866	1944.....	1,878,912
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	54	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1950.....	86	acres 1949.....	152
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	54	tons..green weight 1949...	685
number 1950.....	772	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	50	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	68
1944.....	165	acres 1949.....	1,545
number shorn 1949.....	1,762	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	15,175	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	184
1944.....	48,409	1944.....	659
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	5,495
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	15,506
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,665	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	51
1945.....	1,991	1944.....	20
number 1950.....	182,824	acres 1949.....	615
1945.....	289,895	1944.....	564
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	963	bushels 1949.....	7,770
number 1949...	96,830	1944.....	5,288
dollars 1949...	82,304	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,547	acres 1949...	99
dozens 1949...	1,057,775	tons..green weight 1949...	529
dollars 1949...	549,166	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	54	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	157
number 1950...	1,034	acres 1949...	2,779
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	52	tons cut 1949...	5,356
1944.....	399	Small grains:	
number 1949...	60,010	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	41,617	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	20
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	621
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	5,769
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,858	1944.....	255
dollars 1949...	9,015,958	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	219
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,794	1944.....	9,759
1944.....	1,907	acres 1949...	4,254
number 1949...	54,485	1944.....	109,250
1944.....	54,828	bushels 1949...	44,522
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,597	1944.....	12
number 1949...	56,236	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	255
dollars 1949...	5,316,566	acres 1949...	571
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	1944.....	1,812
number 1949...	18,258	bushels 1949...	2,370
dollars 1949...	2,140,108	1944.....	596
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,295	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046
1944.....	1,549	acres 1949...	25,097
number 1949...	46,100	1944.....	65,885
1944.....	58,182	bushels 1949...	251,478
dollars 1949...	1,517,055	1944.....	487,600
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	85
1944.....	150	acres 1949...	120
number 1949...	1,569	1944.....	1,575
1944.....	5,640	1944.....	2,400
dollars 1949...	26,729	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	84
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	157	1944.....	292
number 1949...	420	acres 1949...	1,855
dollars 1949...	15,500	1944.....	7,508
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	14,489
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,877	1944.....	57,186
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	697	1944.....	549
number 1949...	791	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,007
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	485	1944.....	25,890
1944.....	620	acres 1949...	51,964
number 1949...	485	1944.....	157,188
1944.....	879	1944.....	410,052
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	269	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	116	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	306	1944.....	2
1944.....	128	acres 1949...	2
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,209	1944.....	7
1944.....	1,591	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	2,280	1944.....	2
1944.....	5,188	acres 1949...	2
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		1944.....	7
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	287	bushels 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	7,075	1944.....	30
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	5
		acres 1949...	1
		1944.....	6
		100-lb. bags 1949...	2
		1944.....	14

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 79 1945... 95	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... 1
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 462,080 1945... 60.3	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 60.3 1945... 61,684	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 181,645 1945... 48,760	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... 2
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 61,684 1945... 13,413	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 48,760 1945... 225,655	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 3
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 13,413 1945... 39,128	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 3
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 278,676 1945... 3,527.5	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 4 1945... 1
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 3,527.5 1945... 2,375.3	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 14,399 1945... 12.90	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 6.06 1945... 6.06	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... 8
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 67 1944... 90	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 10 1945... 16
acres	1949... 28,376 1944... 27,996	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 50 1945... 60
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 2	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 2	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 3	White operators.....number	1950... 79 1945... 95
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 3 1944... 3	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 3 1944... 11	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 14	Full owners.....number	1950... 40 1945... 35
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 49 1944... 55	Part owners.....number	1950... 25 1945... 34
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 1	Managers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 13
acres	1949... 1,994 1944... 50	All tenants.....number	1950... 26 1945... 16.5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 16 1944... 1,530	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 27.4 1945... 9
acres	1949... 1,530 1944... 490	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 20 1945... 3
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 100	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 2
acres	1949... 100 1944... 1	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 14	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 14 1944... 1,430	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 3 1944... 172	Other tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
acres	1949... 172 1944... 150	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 7 1944... 150	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres	1949... 150 1944... 72	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 39
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 72 1944... 95	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 18 1945... 29
acres	1949... 243,699 1944... 195,943	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 3.36
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 75 1944... 95	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 3 1945... 2
acres	1949... 2,755 1944... 1,176	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 3 1945... 2
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
acres	1949... 1 1944... 1	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 18 1945... 1
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
acres	1949... 1 1944... 1	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
FARM OPERATORS		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 65 1945... 95	Milking machines.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 4
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 12 1945... 12	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 4 1945... 3
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 14 1945... 26	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 3 1945... 3
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 28 1944... 14	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 14 1944... 18	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1 1945... 1

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Corn:	
1945.....	5	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	35
number 1950.....	6	1944.....	56
1945.....	104	acres 1949.....	1,812
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	2,759
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1950.....	3	1944.....	56
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949.....	1,597
1945.....	3	1944.....	2,759
number 1950.....	3	bushels 1949.....	21,425
1945.....	65	1944.....	34,110
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	1	acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	3	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	215
number shorn 1949.....	3	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	30	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,645	1944.....	2
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949.....	35
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	59	1944.....	
1945.....	91	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	2,753	1944.....	
1945.....	6,134	bushels 1949.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	1,085	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	1,106	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	36	tons..green weight 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	10,555	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949.....	3,631	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	26	tons out 1949.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Small grains:	
1944.....	33	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1949.....	4,553	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	9,565	1944.....	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949.....	
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	706,674	1944.....	1
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	75	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	86	1944.....	30
number 1949.....	5,197	bushels 1949.....	200
1944.....	4,894	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	65	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	3,887	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	568,350	bushels 1949.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	1,310	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	118,805	acres 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1944.....	
1944.....	62	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	640	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,151	1944.....	4
dollars 1949.....	18,567	acres 1949.....	79
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	
1944.....	6	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	166	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	
number 1949.....	40	bushels 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	952	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	14
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	62	acres 1949.....	33
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1944.....	607
number 1949.....	60	bushels 1949.....	2,075
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	38	1944.....	4,255
1944.....	51	1944.....	15,599
number 1949.....	49	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	63	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1944.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	11	1944.....	
1944.....	1	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	48	1944.....	
1944.....	82	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	93	1944.....	
1944.....	166	bushels 1949.....	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	28	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	272	1944.....	
		tons 1949.....	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		1944.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	66	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	25,847	.....acres 1949.....	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	2	.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....	10	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	19	.....1944.....	
.....tons 1949.....	25	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	23	.....1944.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
.....tons 1949.....		.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
.....1944.....	1	.....acres 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	201	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	5		
.....tons 1949.....	98	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
.....1944.....	5	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	61	.....acres 1949.....	
.....1944.....	87	.....quarts 1949.....	
.....acres 1949.....	23,859	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
.....1944.....	23,062	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
.....tons 1949.....	10,592	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	11,526	.....acres 1950 ²	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	.....1945.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	1,784	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....tons 1949.....	965	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....tons..green weight 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		.....1944.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....bushels 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
.....acres 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....bushels 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....bushels 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1944.....	
.....1944.....	14	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949 ¹	1	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	12	.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2
.....bushels 1949.....	75	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	450	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested...pounds 1949.....	50
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949.....		.....1944.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....tons 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3
.....acres 1949.....		.....1944.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	42	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	
.....1944.....	88	.....1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....sold..dollars 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....1945.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....1944.....		.....vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	
.....acres 1949.....		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
.....1944.....		.....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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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...	1,245	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	42
1945.....	1,501	1945.....	48
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	382,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	8
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.4	1945.....	12
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	214,202	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	54
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	160,535	1945.....	54
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	40,014	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	22
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	354,721	1945.....	22
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	345,554	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	22
1945.....	288.9	1945.....	12
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	285.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	15
1945.....	16,644	1945.....	49
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	10,024	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	47
1945.....	59.50	1945.....	59
average per acre, dollars 1950*	37.70	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	51
1945.....		1945.....	223
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	509
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,170	1945.....	99
1944.....	1,239	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	98
acres 1949...	172,420	1945.....	175
1944.....	182,981	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	165
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1945.....	408
1944.....	18	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	459
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945.....	103
1944.....	6	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	83
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1945.....	10
1944.....	15	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1945.....	
1944.....	42		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	249		
1944.....	280		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	565		
1944.....	607		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	259		
1944.....	271		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	255		
1944.....	585		
acres 1949...	6,598		
1944 ¹	4,901		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	535		
acres 1949...	18,161		
1944.....	15,452		
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	237		
acres 1949...	6,295		
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	210		
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	27		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	410		
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	11,866		
acres 1949...	85		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	50		
1944.....	3,891		
acres 1949...	847		
1944.....	110		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	166		
acres 1949...	1,194		
1944.....	1,443		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,068		
1944 ¹	1,180		
acres 1949...	118,940		
1944 ¹	127,171		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,211		
1944.....	1,289		
acres 1949...	13,517		
1944.....	12,779		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	41		
1944.....	11		
acres 1949...	1,911		
1944.....	475		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
acres 1949...	247		
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,191	Farms by color of operator:	
1945.....	1,246	White operators.....number 1950...	1,245
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	42	1945.....	1,501
1945.....	54	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	65	1945.....	
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	335	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	199	Full owners.....number 1950...	505
1945.....	82	1945.....	450
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	44	Part owners.....number 1950...	289
1944.....		1945.....	282
		Managers.....number 1950...	3
		1945.....	5
		All tenants.....number 1950...	453
		1945.....	586
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	56.4
		1945.....	45.0
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	55
		1945.....	41
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	262
		1945.....	296
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	88
		1945.....	241
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	71
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	17
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	70
		1945.....	8
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	1
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	89
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	650
		1945.....	458
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,185
		1945.....	856
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,185
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.29
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	552
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	197
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	181
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	932
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	190
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	180
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	275
		number 1950...	278
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	396
		number 1950...	396
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	48
		number 1950...	46
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		number 1950...	40
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	197
		number 1950...	222

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	418	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	700
.....1945...	182	General farms.....number 1950...	257
.....number 1950...	455	.....1945...	
.....1945...	191	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,095	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	112
.....1945...	869	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	145
.....number 1950...	1,492	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	59
.....1945...	941		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,088	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	1,457	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,181
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	17
.....number 1950...	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	117
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	350
.....number 1950...	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	345
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,148	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	275
.....1945...	1,184	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	75
.....number 1950...	1,417	Other farms.....number 1950...	64
.....1945...	1,352	Part-time ².....number 1950...	57
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	7
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	8	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	96	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	109	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,155,979
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	617	.....1944...	4,127,259
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	224	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,281,244
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	907,808
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,215,566
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	115	.....1944...	804,450
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	538	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	5,318
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	490	.....1944...	2,578
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	150	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	423
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944...	478
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,957
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	246	.....1944...	500
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	95	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,814,700
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	617	.....1944...	5,229,435
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	190	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	551,464
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.4	.....1944...	442,758
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	502,596
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	95	.....1944...	480,817
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	561	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	5,880,840
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	817	.....1944...	2,805,858
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	35
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,235	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	2,667	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	939
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,235	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	931
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,197	.....1945...	1,124
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	796	.....number 1950...	2,795
.....persons 1950...	1,548	.....1945...	4,696
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	55
.....persons 1950...	122	.....1945...	128
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950...	56
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,255	.....1945...	500
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,063	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	877	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,158
.....dollars 1949...	150,801	.....1945...	1,211
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	823	.....number 1950...	58,872
.....dollars 1949...	206,818	.....1945...	59,985
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,128	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,124
.....dollars 1949...	915,852	.....1945 ³ ...	1,190
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,098	.....number 1950...	15,054
.....dollars 1949...	1,065,887	.....1945 ³ ...	16,281
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,072	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,049
.....dollars 1949...	159,450	.....number 1950...	7,186
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,168	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	908
.....dollars 1949...	442,674	.....number 1950...	7,035
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	998	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	940
.....dollars 1949...	142,947	.....number 1950...	8,576
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,118	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	914
.....dollars 1949...	188,887	.....number 1950...	5,007
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	69
No sales.....number 1950...	7	.....1944...	32
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...		.....pounds 1949...	2,317,263
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	30	.....1944...	851,565
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	25	.....dollars 1949...	81,154
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	50	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	923
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	94	.....1944...	1,095
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	209	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	753,144
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	257	.....1944...	821,202
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	201	.....dollars 1949...	460,280
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	258	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	154	.....dollars 1949...	50
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	128	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	851
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	128	.....1945...	1,007
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	27,159
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		.....1945...	23,231
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	902
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	12,616
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	51	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	522
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	42	.....number 1950...	14,825
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	780
	1945...	774
	number 1950...	5,753
	1945...	4,868

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Corn:	
1945...	42	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,120
number 1950...	545	1944...	1,215
1945...	1,288	acres 1949...	85,480
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	85,485
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,117
number 1950...	280	1944...	1,210
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	11	acres 1949...	85,480
1945 ¹ ...	55	1944...	81,409
number 1950...	247	bushels 1949...	2,014,906
1945 ¹ ...	928	1944...	2,592,885
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	9	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	105
number 1950...	33	acres 1949...	1,324
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	10	tons..green weight 1949...	6,892
number 1950...	265	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	10	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	69
1944...	35	acres 1949...	756
number shorn 1949...	357	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,119	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	56
1944...	7,948	1944...	641
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	545
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	7,607
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,047	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1945...	1,119	1944...	68
number 1950...	124,504	acres 1949...	111
1945...	177,792	1944...	654
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	742	bushels 1949...	1,945
number 1949...	69,056	1944...	11,664
dollars 1949...	89,656	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	976	acres 1949...	68
dozens 1949...	1,028,251	tons..green weight 1949...	580
dollars 1949...	346,795	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	6	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	40
number 1950...	57	acres 1949...	371
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	14	tons cut 1949...	710
1944...	33	Small grains:	
number 1949...	11,299	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944...	5,885	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	74
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	2,097
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	35,622
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,155	1944...	580
dollars 1949...	5,874,656	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	765
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046	acres 1949...	19,334
1944...	994	1944...	26,075
number 1949...	18,865	bushels 1949...	256,585
1944...	14,510	1944...	296,940
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	850	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
number 1949...	12,450	acres 1949...	225
dollars 1949...	2,092,185	1944...	2,825
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	441	bushels 1949...	796
number 1949...	5,933	1944...	751
dollars 1949...	577,140	acres 1949...	21,569
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	959	1944...	15,887
1944...	1,058	bushels 1949...	358,457
number 1949...	35,507	1944...	179,899
1944...	39,844	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	28
dollars 1949...	1,584,875	acres 1949...	171
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1944...	590
1944...	37	1944...	5,158
number 1949...	752	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	178
1944...	1,421	acres 1949...	425
dollars 1949...	15,288	1944...	3,669
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	102	bushels 1949...	9,967
number 1949...	248	1944...	46,286
dollars 1949...	7,400	dollars 1949...	65,742
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	145
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	884	acres 1949...	875
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	424	1944...	2,854
number 1949...	468	bushels 1949...	7,646
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	257	1944...	18,125
1944...	315	1944...	64,529
number 1949...	281	Annual legumes:	
1944...	529	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	175	1944 ².....	.....
1944...	102	acres 1949...	.....
number 1949...	187	1944 ².....	.....
1944...	106	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	797	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	1,080	1944...	.....
number 1949...	1,475	bushels 1949...	.....
1944...	2,187	1944...	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		acres 1949...	.....
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	245	1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	3,222	100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,080	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
.....acres 1949...	88,722	.....acres 1949...	.....
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	925	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5
.....1944...	823	.....1944...	8
.....acres 1949...	20,814	.....acres 1949...	1
.....1944...	9,607	.....1944...	5
.....tons 1949...	38,221	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....1944...	18,138	.....1944...	.....
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	21	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	10
.....tons 1949...	30	.....acres 1949...	2
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....1944...	49	.....acres 1949...	28
.....acres 1949...	449	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
.....1944...	882	.....	.....
.....tons 1949...	271	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	.....
.....1944...	454	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	472	.....acres 1949...	(*)
.....1944...	532	.....quarts 1949...	30
.....acres 1949...	14,118	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	.....
.....1944...	16,408	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	506
.....tons 1949...	14,560	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	16,055	.....acres 1950 ² ...	70
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	67	.....1945...	3
.....acres 1949...	1,072	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	244
.....1944...	1,421	.....1945...	87
.....tons 1949...	1,471	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,685
.....1944...	1,787	.....1945...	565
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	865
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	818
.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....	.....1949...	709
Field crops (other):	.....	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	554
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	145	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	120
.....1944...	45	.....1945...	19
.....acres 1949...	1,531	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	715
.....1944...	554	.....1945...	150
.....bushels 1949...	1,877	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	220
.....1944...	510	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	495
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	353
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	7
.....acres 1949...	15	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	90
.....1944...	5	.....1945...	28
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	213
.....acres 1949...	205	.....1945...	85
.....bushels 1949...	315	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	95
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	291	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	119
.....1944...	290	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	119
.....acres 1949 ¹ ...	35	.....1944...	29
.....1944...	110	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	192
.....bushels 1949...	5,795	.....1945...	89
.....1944...	8,045	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,175
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	.....1945...	350
.....acres 1949...	209	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	652
.....100 lb. ear corn 1949...	2,578	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,992
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	777
.....1944...	.....	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	108
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	40
.....tons 1949...	.....	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	595
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	271
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	225
.....acres 1949...	6	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	360
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	779	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	128
.....1944...	1,117	.....1944...	39
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	48
.....1944...	26	.....1945...	11
.....acres 1949...	51	.....trees of all ages..number 1950...	176
.....1944...	54	.....1945...	54
.....sold..dollars 1949...	5,518	.....trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	76
.....1944...	2,578	.....trees of bearing age..number 1950...	100
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	29
.....1944...	1	.....1944...	.....
.....acres 1949...	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	65
.....1944...	(*)	.....1945...	26
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....vines of all ages..number 1950...	424
.....1944...	5	.....1945...	268
.....acres 1949...	(*)	.....vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	205
.....1944...	1	.....vines of bearing age..number 1950...	221
		.....quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	944
		.....1944...	805

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... 1,432 1945... 1,540	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 83 1945... 71
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 369,280 1945... 95.1	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 29 1945... 5
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 95.1 1945... 95.1	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 54 1945... 66
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 193,873 1945... 197,075	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 34 1945... 53
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 3,000 1945... 42,745	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 24 1945... 36
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 351,201 1945... 360,091	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 25 1945... 18
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 245.3 1945... 233.8	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 71 1945... 70
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 21,018 1945... 13,658	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 64 1945... 61
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 245.3 1945... 233.8	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 260 1945... 324
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950... 21,018 1945... 13,658	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 128 1945... 125
.....average per acre, dollars	1950... 78.41 1945... 58.41	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 202 1945... 241
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 459 1945... 468
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,332 1944... 1,461	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 72 1945... 70
.....acres	1949... 216,941 1944... 230,049	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 10 1945... 3
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 38 1944... 66	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 38 1944... 25	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 26 1944... 29	White operators.....number	1950... 1,432 1945... 1,540
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 48 1944... 44	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 215 1944... 204	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 582 1944... 673	Full owners.....number	1950... 499 1945... 475
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 385 1944... 420	Part owners.....number	1950... 390 1945... 317
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 525 1944... 563	Managers.....number	1950... 2 1945... 4
.....acres	1949... 15,427 1944... 9,170	All tenants.....number	1950... 541 1945... 744
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 460 1944... 12,335	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 37.8 1945... 48.3
.....acres	1949... 13,133 1944... 94	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... 41
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 87 1944... 6	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 370 1945... 309
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 87 1944... 1	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 383 1945... 73
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 6 1944... 1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 18 1945... 18
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 395 1944... 10,320	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 38 1945... 11
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 171 1944... 134	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 3 1945... 3
.....acres	1949... 6,553 1944... 5,429	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 35 1945... ..
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 140 1944... 111	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres	1949... 3,225 1944... 2,288	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 766 1945... 831
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,053 1944... 1,245	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,271 1945... 760
.....acres	1949... 79,767 1944... 80,665	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,261 1945... 6.99
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 1,367 1944... 1,534	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 461 1945... 251
.....acres	1949... 16,953 1944... 19,357	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 170 1945... 1,066
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 44	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 280 1945... 5
.....acres	1949... 44 1944... 125	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 125 1945... 776
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 827 1945... 396
.....acres	1949... .. 1944... 90	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 70 1945... 70
FARM OPERATORS		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 135 1945... 140
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,306 1945... 1,481	Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 45 1945... 45
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 64 1945... 56	Grain combines.....number	1950... 827 1945... 396
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 126 1945... 333	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 70 1945... 70
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 225 1945... 113	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 70 1945... 135
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 113 1944... 90	Upright silos.....number	1950... 140 1945... 45
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 45 1945... 45

*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...	526	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	319
.....farms reporting 1945.....	364	General farms.....number 1950.....	395
.....number 1950.....	572	.....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1945.....	377	.....number 1950.....	135
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,186	.....number 1950.....	255
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,094	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	120
.....number 1950.....	1,645		
.....number 1945.....	1,235		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,171	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,590	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,322
.....number 1950.....	40	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	132
.....number 1950.....	15	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	424
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	491
.....number 1950.....	1,331	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	193
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,416	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	82
.....number 1950.....	1,648	Other farms.....number 1950.....	110
.....number 1945.....	1,666	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	58
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	52
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	142	Abnormal ².....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.....	109	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	767	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,519,414
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	399	.....dollars 1944.....	5,686,390
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,937,716
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	2,139,709
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,915,530
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	616	.....dollars 1944.....	2,126,431
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	461	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,190
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	290	.....dollars 1944.....	5,049
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,322
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	1,425
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	552	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,674
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	145	.....dollars 1944.....	7,004
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	565	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,580,541
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	.....dollars 1944.....	3,556,096
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.3	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	632,057
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	597,708
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	760,262
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	622	.....dollars 1944.....	769,223
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	695	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,188,122
FARM LABOR^a		.....dollars 1944.....	2,183,165
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,157
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,332	.....dollars 1944.....	585
.....persons 1950.....	2,720	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,332	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	912
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,292	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	886
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	735	.....number 1945.....	1,233
.....persons 1950.....	1,325	.....number 1950.....	2,388
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	92	.....number 1945.....	4,577
.....persons 1950.....	103	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	58
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....number 1945.....	209
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,387	.....number 1950.....	193
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,177	.....number 1945.....	409
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,081	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1947.....	263,985	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,287
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	827	.....number 1945.....	1,424
.....dollars 1949.....	218,925	.....number 1950.....	30,898
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,246	.....number 1945.....	36,998
.....dollars 1949.....	836,715	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,269
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,231	.....number 1945.....	1,396
.....dollars 1949.....	662,725	.....number 1950.....	12,077
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,192	.....number 1945.....	15,188
.....dollars 1949.....	138,305	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,206
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,282	.....number 1950.....	8,753
.....dollars 1949.....	566,805	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,049
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,042	.....number 1950.....	7,077
.....dollars 1949.....	133,950	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,030
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,237	.....number 1950.....	7,030
.....dollars 1949.....	208,155	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,002
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950.....	4,784
No sales.....number 1950.....	19	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	135
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	33	.....number 1944.....	96
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	20	.....gallons 1949.....	4,733,792
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	45	.....gallons 1944.....	3,868,022
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	61	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	174,322
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	51	.....number 1944.....	962
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	156	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,232
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	308	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	794,538
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	318	.....pounds 1944.....	896,521
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	289	.....dollars 1949.....	457,729
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	132	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....dollars 1949.....	6
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	488	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	488	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	937
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	1,078
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	22,806
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	19,797
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	821
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	43	.....number 1950.....	10,176
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	67	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	563
		.....number 1950.....	12,730
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	746
	number 1945.....	781
	number 1950.....	4,564
	number 1945.....	4,273

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	32	Corn:	
1945.....	66	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,226
number 1950...	1,313	1944.....	1,389
1945.....	2,506	acres 1949...	70,656
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	92,338
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	31	1949.....	1,224
number 1950...	758	1944.....	1,385
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	30	acres 1949...	63,879
1945.....	54	1944.....	91,747
number 1950...	701	bushels 1949...	2,420,265
1945.....	1,061	1944.....	2,782,327
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	28
number 1950...	57	acres 1949...	176
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	27	tons..green weight 1949...	1,195
number 1950...	555	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	28	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	53
1944.....	46	acres 1949...	601
number shorn 1949...	74	Sorghums:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	6,101	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	271
1944.....	11,263	1944.....	791
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1 Apr.14	acres 1949...	2,293
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	7,475
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,240	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	75
1945.....	1,430	acres 1949...	133
number 1950...	179,649	1944.....	923
1945.....	243,601	acres 1949...	1,503
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	959	bushels 1949...	21,169
number 1949...	147,425	1944.....	27,826
dollars 1949...	129,091	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	52
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,170	acres 1949...	457
dozens 1949...	1,765,047	tons..green weight 1949...	4,193
dollars 1949...	609,460	Sorghums or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	161
number 1950...	7	acres 1949...	913
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	10	tons cut 1949...	2,143
1944.....	10	Small grains:	
number 1949...	4,666	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	1,285	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	88
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	1,540
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	27,768
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,265	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,159
dollars 1949...	3,178,802	1944.....	1,135
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,190	acres 1949...	87,625
1944.....	1,237	1944.....	63,108
number 1949...	14,427	bushels 1949...	864,889
1944.....	14,308	1944.....	531,440
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	975	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949...	10,581	acres 1949...	404
dollars 1949...	1,738,217	1944.....	3,921
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	634	1944.....	911
number 1949...	3,846	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	911
dollars 1949...	322,366	acres 1949...	1,101
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	942	acres 1949...	23,169
1944.....	1,150	1944.....	33,508
number 1949...	27,395	bushels 1949...	342,841
1944.....	37,727	1944.....	549,179
dollars 1949...	1,086,693	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	27	acres 1949...	88
1944.....	36	1944.....	1,446
number 1949...	1,002	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1,110	1944.....	78
dollars 1949...	19,726	acres 1949...	51
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	121	bushels 1949...	1,481
number 1949...	324	1944.....	1,625
dollars 1949...	11,800	1944.....	11,219
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	973	acres 1949...	55
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	526	1944.....	80
number 1949...	581	bushels 1949...	345
1944.....	256	1944.....	3,840
number 1949...	397	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	272	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	278	1944.....	4
number 1949...	240	acres 1949...	31
1944.....	309	1944.....	3
1944.....	255	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	874	acres 1949...	17
1944.....	1,108	bushels 1949...	315
number 1949...	1,610	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	2,292	acres 1949...	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from		tons 1949...	.....
animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	232	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut	
dollars 1949...	5,176	for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Other dry field and seed beans	
		harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944.....	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,178	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	30,860	acres 1949...	2
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,108	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	1,120	1944...	11
acres 1949...	20,434	acres 1949...	7
1944...	17,252	1944...	26
tons 1949...	35,254	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	35,005	1944...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	8	1944...	(*)
acres 1949...	77	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	73	1944...	10
tons 1949...	128	acres 1949...	3
1944...	78	1944...	9
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	9	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	92	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3
1944...	75		
tons 1949...	80	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944...	69	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	615	acres 1949...	7
1944...	695	quarts 1949...	13,910
acres 1949...	9,816	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944...	10,605	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	656
tons 1949...	11,623	1945...	403
1944...	13,248	acres 1950 ² ...	107
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	86	1945...	131
acres 1949...	733	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	336
1944...	884	1945...	259
tons 1949...	826	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,695
1944...	1,251	1945...	1,485
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,447
acres 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,248
tons..green weight 1949...	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,829
Field crops (other):		1944...	164
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	506
1944...	237	1945...	331
acres 1949...	637	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,103
1944...	2,725	1945...	7,319
bushels 1949...	469	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,634
1944...	1,966	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,469
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,056
1944...	1	1944...	
acres 1949...	42	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	257
1944...	42	1945...	197
bushels 1949...	80	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,962
1944...	80	1945...	591
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	252
acres 1949...	242	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,710
bushels 1949...	301	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,926
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	401	1944...	5
1944...	606	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	416
acres 1949 ¹ ...	36	1945...	285
1944...	131	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,985
bushels 1949...	5,063	1945...	1,351
1944...	5,340	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	713
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,272
acres 1949...	8	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13,280
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	91	1944...	406
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	161
1944...		1945...	135
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	802
1944...		1945...	695
tons 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	199
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	603
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn, sorghums, and annual legumes.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	159
acres 1949...		1944...	8
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	953	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	229
1944...	1,260	1945...	137
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,210
1944...	24	1945...	839
acres 1949...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	293
1944...	81	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	917
sold..dollars 1949...	6,190	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	447
1944...	5,049	1944...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	206
1944...	3	1945...	159
acres 1949...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,905
1944...	1	1945...	2,394
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	792
1944...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,113
acres 1949...	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,957
1944...	2	1944...	3,153

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.