

TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

Chapter 6—Virgin Islands of the United States

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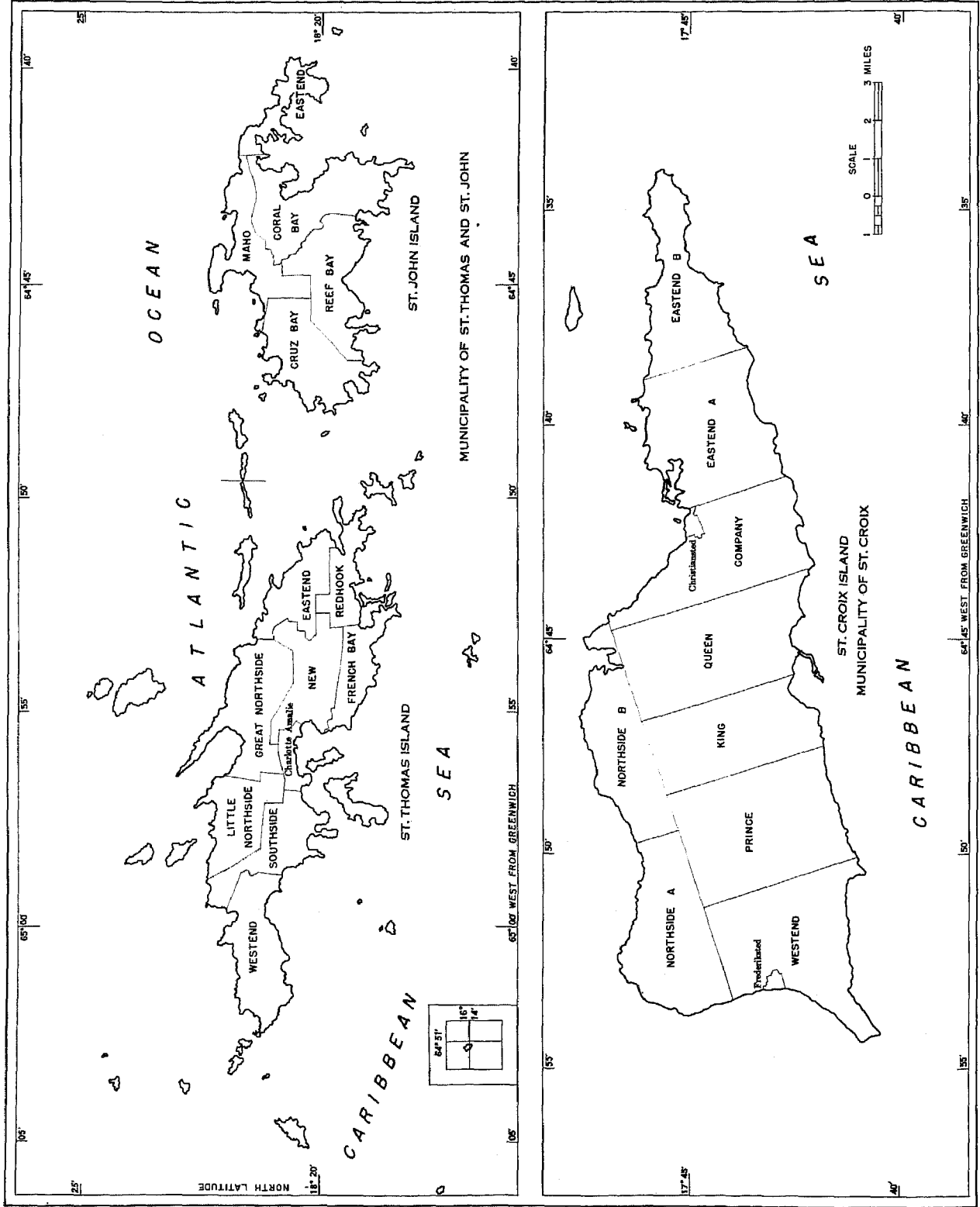
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In compliance with Section I of this Act, a Census of Agriculture in the Virgin Islands of the United States was taken by the Governor in accordance with plans prescribed by the Director of the Census. The planning of the census and the compilation of the statistics were supervised by Ray Hurley, Chief of the Agriculture Division and Warder B. Jenkins, Assistant Chief of the Division. They were assisted by Samuel S. Murray, Lois Hutchison, Faie Silvers, and Henry A. Tucker.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

INTRODUCTION

History of the census of agriculture.—The first United States Census of Agriculture of the Virgin Islands was taken in 1917, a special census authorized by the Secretary of Commerce. The next census was taken in 1930 in conjunction with the census of population. A census of agriculture was also taken in 1940 and 1950 in conjunction with the censuses of population.

Legal basis for the 1950 Census of Agriculture.—Authorization for the 1950 Census of Agriculture was made in the act of Congress, approved June 18, 1929, providing for a census of the Virgin Islands to be taken in the year 1930 and every 10 years thereafter. The act provided for the taking of the census by the Governor of the Islands in accordance with the plans prescribed or approved by the Director of the Census.

The enumeration.—The questionnaire used for the census of population contained one inquiry which was designed to help the enumerator to obtain an agriculture questionnaire for every place for which one was required. The inquiry read: "Is this house on a farm?" This inquiry was to be answered for every family. If the reply to this question was "Yes," the enumerator was to fill an agriculture questionnaire for the place. He was instructed to fill an agriculture questionnaire for every farm, for every place of 3 or more acres whether or not it was considered a farm, and for every place of less than 3 acres on which agricultural products valued at \$100 or more were produced in 1949, whether or not it was considered a farm.

Enumerators in the rural areas were instructed to indicate on their maps the location of every dwelling place and farm. This procedure was designed to help the supervisor to ascertain whether the enumerator had visited all parts of the enumeration district assigned him.

Questionnaire used for the 1950 Census of Agriculture.—The agriculture questionnaire contained 85 inquiries relating to the tenure of the farm operator, area and quantity of the individual crops harvested in 1949, the area in fruit orchards and planted nut trees with the number of trees or plants and the quantity harvested in 1949, land in farms classified according to its use, the number of the several classes of livestock on the farm, specified farm equipment, and specified farm expenditures.

Presentation of statistics.—This report presents data from the 1950 Census of Agriculture with comparative data for the three previous censuses—1940, 1930, and 1917. The tables present data for all the items on the 1950 questionnaire by islands.

Comparability of data for the several censuses.—Comparability of the data may be affected by such factors as the month in which the enumeration was made, the definition of a farm, the wording of the questions, etc. When the comparability is affected to an appreciable extent, mention is made of the differences under the specific item.

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Definitions and explanations are presented only for those items for which the table descriptions are inadequate. The descriptive terms and explanations refer principally to the 1950 Census, although, in general, they are also applicable to the statistics presented for earlier censuses.

The census date.—The 1950 Census of Agriculture was taken as of April 1, 1950. Inventory items relate to approximately that

date. Data on acreage of crops and quantity harvested are for the crop year 1949. Although the section heading on the questionnaire specified April 1 for all inventory items, the individual inquiries did not refer to any date. Therefore, the replies may represent conditions on the date the questionnaires were filled. Generally, the questionnaires were filled within a few days following April 1. The special census of 1917 was taken as of November 1. Inventory items relate to November 1 and production items relate to the year ended October 31, 1917.

A farm.—For the 1950 Census of Agriculture, places, regardless of size, were counted as farms if the value of agricultural products in 1949, exclusive of home gardens, amounted to \$100 or more. The agricultural products could have been either for home use or for sale. Places operated in 1949, for which the value of agricultural products in 1949 was less than this minimum because of crop failure or other unusual situation, and places operated in 1950 or 1949 for the first time were counted as farms if normally they could be expected to produce these minimum quantities of farm products.

The Census enumerator was not given the definition of a farm. He was instructed to obtain an agriculture questionnaire for every place that the operator considered a farm, for every place of 3 or more acres whether or not it was considered a farm, and for every place of less than 3 acres if the agricultural products produced in 1949 were valued at \$100 or more. Thus, agriculture questionnaires were filled for more places than those that qualified as farms. The determination as to which reports were to be included in the tabulations as representing farms was made during the processing of the questionnaires in Washington. This procedure was followed in order that uniform criteria could be applied.

For the 1940 and earlier censuses of agriculture, the definition of a farm was somewhat more inclusive. Census enumerators were provided with the definition of a farm and were instructed to fill reports only for those places which met the criteria. In the 1940 Census, farms for Census purposes included places of 3 or more acres on which there were any agricultural operations and places of less than 3 acres with agricultural products for home use or for sale valued at \$100 or more. In the 1930 Census, the definition of a farm was similar to that used in the 1940 Census, but it was somewhat more inclusive. In that year, farms of less than 3 acres with agricultural products valued at less than \$100 were included provided they required the continuous services of at least one person. In the 1917 Census, the enumerator was instructed to obtain a questionnaire "for every tract of land having an occupant when such occupant obtains during the year products which contribute in any degree to the support of himself or family."

Farm operators.—A "farm operator" is a person who operates a farm, either performing the labor himself or directly supervising it. He may be an owner, a hired manager, or a tenant or renter. If he rents land to others, he operates only the land which he retains. In the case of a partnership, only one member of the partnership was included as the farm operator. The number of farm operators is considered the same as the number of farms.

Farms reporting or operators reporting.—The term "farms reporting," or "operators reporting," as used in the tables, indicates

the number of farms, or farm operators, for which the specified item was reported. For example, if there were 300 farms on an island and only 250 had chickens on hand over 4 months old, the number of farms reporting chickens would be 250. The difference in the total number of farms and the number of farms reporting an item represents the number of farms not having that item, provided the inquiry was answered completely for all farms.

For some of the items, such as years on farm, for which reports should have been obtained for all farms, figures are given for the number not reporting. Those farms, or operators, not reporting indicate the extent of the incompleteness of the reports for the item.

Land owned, rented, and managed.—The land to be included in each farm was determined by asking the number of acres owned, the acres rented from or worked on shares for others, and the acres rented to or worked on shares by others. The acres in the farm were obtained by adding the acres owned and acres rented from others and subtracting the acres rented to others. In case of a managed farm, the person in charge was asked the total acreage managed for his employer. From this total managed acreage was subtracted any acreage which was rented to or worked on shares by others. For 1950, the figures for land owned, land rented from others, and land managed by farm operators include land rented to others by farm operators.

In the earlier censuses, the land included in each farm was essentially the same as in the 1950 Census. However, the Census enumerator was merely instructed to include all land rented from others and to exclude all land rented to others. He recorded only that portion of the acreage owned and acreage rented from others which was retained by the farm operator.

Land owned.—Land owned includes all land which the operator or his wife, or both, hold under title, purchase contract, homestead law, or as one of the heirs or as a trustee of an undivided estate.

Land rented from others.—Land rented from others includes land worked on shares for others and land used rent-free, as well as any land rented or leased under other arrangement.

Land rented to others.—When land is rented, leased, or worked on shares, the tenant or cropper is considered the farm operator even though his landlord may exercise supervision over his operations. The landlord is considered as operating only that portion of the land not assigned to tenants.

Land in farms.—The acreage designated "land in farms" includes some land not actually under cultivation and some not used for pasture or grazing. All woodland and wasteland owned by farm operators, or included in tracts rented from others, is included as land in farms unless such land was held for other than agricultural purposes.

All grazing land was to be included as land in farms. Land used rent-free was to be included with land rented from others.

Land in farms according to use.—Land in farms was classified according to how it was used in 1949. These classes of land are mutually exclusive, i. e., each acre of land was included only once even though it may have had more than one use in 1949. The classes are as follows:

Cropland harvested.—This includes land from which crops were harvested and land in fruit orchards. Land from which two or more crops were harvested was to be counted only once.

The reported figure was checked for each farm by adding the acreages of the individual crops reported and subtracting the acres of land from which two crops were harvested.

Cropland in crops for future harvest.—This includes land from which no crop was harvested in 1949 but which was in crops, such as sugarcane and pineapples, intended for harvest after the close of 1949.

Cropland used only for pasture.—This includes land that was used only for pasture in 1949 that could have been used for crops without additional irrigating or clearing.

Crop failure and idle cropland.—This item includes land on which all crops failed in 1949 and cropland which was idle in 1949.

Noncrop open or brush pasture.—This item includes rough and brush land pastured and any other land pastured which the respondent did not consider as either woodland or cropland.

Woodland.—This includes all farm wood lots or timber tracts, natural or planted, and cut-over land with young growth which has or will have value as wood or timber.

Woodland pastured.—This includes all woodland that was used for pasture or grazing in 1949.

Woodland not pastured.—This includes all woodland which was not used for pasture or grazing in 1949.

Other land.—This item includes all house lots, barn lots, lanes, roads, ditches, and wasteland. It includes all land which does not belong under any of the other land-use classes.

Irrigated land.—Irrigated land is that to which water is applied by artificial means for agricultural purposes.

Value of land and buildings.—The value to be reported was the approximate amount for which the land and the buildings on it would sell.

Years on present farm.—The data on years on present farm were obtained on the basis of the inquiry, "When did you begin to operate this place? _____." The tabulation of
(Month) (Year)

years on present farm at each census is based on the calendar year the operator began operating his farm.

Off-farm work.—Many farm operators receive a part of their income from sources other than their farms. The 1950 Agriculture Questionnaire, as well as the 1940 Questionnaire, carried an inquiry on the number of days the operator worked off his farm.

Farm mortgages.—The farm mortgage inquiry on the 1950 Agriculture Questionnaire was to be answered by operating owners only. The information on mortgages relates to all land owned, including land rented to others.

For censuses prior to 1950, the data on mortgages relate to the owned land retained by the farm operator, i. e., the data do not include the mortgage debt on land rented to others.

Specified equipment on farms.—The questionnaire contained inquiries as to the number and the year of newest model of motortrucks, tractors, and automobiles. Tractors were to include home-made tractors. In reporting motortrucks and automobiles, "pick-ups" and truck-trailer combinations were to be reported as trucks. Jeeps and station wagons were to be included as motortrucks or automobiles depending on whether they were used for hauling or as passenger vehicles.

For farms with two or more motortrucks, tractors, or automobiles, respectively, it is not possible to classify by year of newest model the second, third, etc. motortruck, tractor, or automobile since the inquiry was limited to the year of model of the newest unit.

Specified farm expenditures.—Data on farm expenditures were obtained only for selected items. For tenant-operated farms the expenditures were to include those made by the landlord, as well as those made by the tenant.

In reporting the amount spent for hired labor, only cash payments were to be included.

Expenditures for feed were to include concentrates and mineral supplements, as well as expenditures for grain, hay, and mill-feeds. Expenditures for grinding and mixing feeds were also to be included. Expenditures made by a tenant to his landlord for feed grown on the land rented by the tenant were not to be included.

Expenditures for seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees were to include only the cash outlay.

Expenditures for the purchase of manure and fertilizer were to include the total amount spent for manure and commercial fertilizers of all kinds used on the farm.

Livestock.—The questionnaire used for the 1950 Census of Agriculture provided for an inventory as of April 1, 1950, of all the important kinds of animals and poultry on farms. Enumerators were instructed to report livestock on the farm on which the livestock were located on April 1, regardless of ownership. However, it is known that to some extent the number of livestock or poultry reported on a farm depends upon the date the questionnaire is filled rather than the number on the farm at the date specified by the questionnaire. This characteristic in the reporting of livestock and poultry numbers has no significant influence on the totals unless the enumeration extends over a considerable period of time.

Livestock products.—The inquiries regarding livestock production relate to the calendar year 1949.

Crops harvested.—The agriculture questionnaire was so organized that it was possible to list the acreage and quantity harvested for every crop that was grown on the farm. The acreage given for the several crops represents the area harvested for the crop year of 1949 except that the acreage for land in fruit orchards and planted nut trees represents the land in bearing and nonbearing trees and plants on the census date. The figures for quantity harvested represent the amount actually harvested during the 1949 crop year.

The units of measure used for reporting the quantity harvested for some crops have varied from one census to another. In the tables, the figures on quantity harvested for each crop are shown in the unit of measure appearing on the 1950 Questionnaire. This often required that the figures for earlier years be converted into different units from those published for those years. Conversions have been made by using the weights in current use.

CLASSIFICATION OF FARMS

Farms by size.—Farms were classified by size according to the total land area of each farm. In analyzing size-of-farm statistics, consideration should be given to the definition of a farm for Census purposes. Census farms are essentially operating units, not ownership tracts. If a landlord has croppers or tenants, the land assigned each cropper or tenant is a separate farm.

Farms by tenure of operator.—In the 1950 Census farms were classified according to the tenure under which the operators held their land on the basis of the total land owned, total land rented from others, and total land managed for others. In 1940 and earlier, full owners, part owners, and tenants were classified on the basis of the land retained. Under this earlier classification a part owner who sublets to others all the land he rents from others would have been classed a full owner; a part owner who rents to others all the land he owns would have been classed a tenant.

Full owners own land but do not rent land from others.
Part owners own land and rent land from others.

Managers operate farms for others and are paid a wage or salary for their services. Persons acting merely as caretakers or hired as laborers are not classified as managers. If a farm operator managed land for others and also operated land on his own account, the land operated on his own account was considered as one farm and land managed for others as a second farm. In the 1950 Census, if a farm operator managed land for two or more employers, all the land managed was considered one farm.

Tenants rent from others or work on shares for others all the land they operate.

Table 1.—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS, BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

| Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) |
| Farms.....number.. | 755 | 828 | 329 | 430 | 508 | 610 | 193 | 341 |
| All land in farms.....acres.. | 63,753 | 55,219 | 68,322 | 69,892 | 41,241 | 38,942 | 47,150 | 49,206 |
| Cropland, total.....acres.. | 16,461 | 13,404 | (*) | (*) | 10,821 | 11,658 | (*) | (*) |
| Harvested.....farms reporting.. | 598 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 429 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 5,594 | 4,964 | 16,895 | 239,448 | 4,763 | 4,367 | 16,209 | 233,561 |
| In growing crops not harvested.....farms reporting.. | 109 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 89 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 603 | 2,952 | (*) | (*) | 552 | 2,780 | (*) | (*) |
| On which crops failed and idle land.....farms reporting.. | 136 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 77 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 4,132 | 5,488 | (*) | (*) | 2,691 | 4,511 | (*) | (*) |
| Pastured.....farms reporting.. | 225 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 135 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 6,132 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 2,815 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Pasture other than cropland, total.....acres.. | 30,663 | 30,521 | (*) | (*) | 24,381 | 23,012 | (*) | (*) |
| Noncrop open or brush pasture.....farms reporting.. | 357 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 210 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 21,046 | 15,496 | (*) | (*) | 16,797 | 11,187 | (*) | (*) |
| Woodland pasture.....farms reporting.. | 144 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 82 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 9,617 | 15,025 | (*) | (*) | 7,584 | 11,825 | (*) | (*) |
| All other land.....acres.. | 16,629 | 11,294 | (*) | (*) | 6,039 | 4,272 | (*) | (*) |
| Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting.. | 166 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 78 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 13,473 | 7,935 | (*) | (*) | 4,705 | 2,158 | (*) | (*) |
| Other land (house lots, roads, wastelands, etc.).....farms reporting.. | 544 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 365 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 3,156 | 3,359 | (*) | (*) | 1,334 | 2,114 | (*) | (*) |
| Irrigated land.....farms reporting.. | 4 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 2 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 13 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 3 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings.....dollars.. | 6,492,720 | 2,398,546 | 2,400,711 | 3,017,341 | 4,378,287 | 1,840,314 | 1,934,790 | 2,468,531 |
| Average value per farm.....dollars.. | 8,600 | 2,897 | 7,297 | 7,017 | 8,619 | 3,017 | 10,025 | 7,239 |
| Average value per acre.....dollars.. | 101.84 | 43.44 | 35.14 | 43.17 | 106.16 | 47.26 | 41.03 | 50.17 |

| Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) |
| Farms.....number.. | 92 | 30 | 55 | 26 | 155 | 188 | 81 | 63 |
| All land in farms.....acres.. | 11,564 | 5,855 | 10,316 | 10,003 | 10,948 | 10,422 | 10,856 | 10,683 |
| Cropland, total.....acres.. | 1,102 | 318 | (*) | (*) | 4,538 | 1,428 | (*) | (*) |
| Harvested.....farms reporting.. | 64 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 105 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 256 | 42 | 192 | 2,086 | 565 | 555 | 1,594 | 2,378 |
| In growing crops not harvested.....farms reporting.. | 10 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 10 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 25 | 7 | (*) | (*) | 26 | 165 | (*) | (*) |
| On which crops failed and idle land.....farms reporting.. | 7 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 52 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 87 | 269 | (*) | (*) | 1,354 | 708 | (*) | (*) |
| Pastured.....farms reporting.. | 31 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 59 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 724 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 2,593 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Pasture other than cropland, total.....acres.. | 3,411 | 2,813 | (*) | (*) | 2,871 | 4,696 | (*) | (*) |
| Noncrop open or brush pasture.....farms reporting.. | 66 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 81 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 1,971 | 1,204 | (*) | (*) | 2,278 | 3,105 | (*) | (*) |
| Woodland pasture.....farms reporting.. | 29 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 33 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 1,440 | 1,609 | (*) | (*) | 593 | 1,591 | (*) | (*) |
| All other land.....acres.. | 7,051 | 2,724 | (*) | (*) | 3,539 | 4,298 | (*) | (*) |
| Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting.. | 41 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 47 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 6,672 | 2,424 | (*) | (*) | 2,096 | 3,353 | (*) | (*) |
| Other land (house lots, roads, wastelands, etc.).....farms reporting.. | 55 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 124 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 379 | 300 | (*) | (*) | 1,443 | 945 | (*) | (*) |
| Irrigated land.....farms reporting.. | 1 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 5 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 5 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings.....dollars.. | 780,866 | 83,294 | 109,123 | 132,790 | 1,333,567 | 474,938 | 356,798 | 416,020 |
| Average value per farm.....dollars.. | 8,488 | 2,776 | 1,984 | 5,107 | 8,604 | 2,526 | 4,405 | 6,603 |
| Average value per acre.....dollars.. | 67.52 | 14.23 | 10.58 | 13.28 | 121.81 | 45.57 | 32.87 | 38.94 |

*Not available.

¹Acres of crops harvested in 1929.²Acres reported as "improved land" on the census date.

VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES

Table 2.—SIZE OF FARM—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS; BY SIZE OF FARM; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

| Item and size group (For definitions and explanations, see text) | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) |
| Farms, total.....number.. | 755 | 828 | 329 | 430 | 508 | 610 | 193 | 341 |
| Under 3 acres.....number.. | 48 | 21 | 8 | 219 | 41 | 1 | ..... | 199 |
| 3 to 9 acres.....number.. | 316 | 483 | 114 | 30 | 241 | 408 | 77 | 22 |
| 10 to 19 acres.....number.. | 140 | 145 | 34 | 19 | 90 | 103 | 17 | 13 |
| 20 to 49 acres.....number.. | 94 | 53 | 35 | 18 | 48 | 26 | 10 | 12 |
| 50 to 99 acres.....number.. | 40 | 20 | 15 | 19 | 20 | 8 | 6 | 7 |
| 100 to 174 acres.....number.. | 25 | 23 | 14 | 17 | 12 | 8 | 8 | 11 |
| 175 to 259 acres.....number.. | 25 | 25 | 29 | 65 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 45 |
| 260 to 499 acres.....number.. | 36 | 28 | 38 | 65 | 23 | 21 | 29 | 45 |
| 500 to 999 acres.....number.. | 19 | 20 | 28 | 27 | 11 | 15 | 20 | 21 |
| 1,000 acres and over.....number.. | 12 | 10 | 14 | 16 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 11 |
| All land in farms, total.....acres.. | 63,753 | 55,219 | 68,322 | 69,892 | 41,241 | 38,942 | 47,150 | 49,206 |
| Under 3 acres.....acres.. | 88 | 36 | 15 | 192 | 78 | 2 | ..... | (*) |
| 3 to 9 acres.....acres.. | 1,635 | 2,728 | 545 | 192 | 1,230 | 2,315 | 336 | (*) |
| 10 to 19 acres.....acres.. | 1,844 | 1,816 | 483 | 251 | 1,152 | 1,260 | 247 | (*) |
| 20 to 49 acres.....acres.. | 2,858 | 1,526 | 1,043 | 610 | 1,422 | 694 | 280 | (*) |
| 50 to 99 acres.....acres.. | 2,672 | 1,359 | 979 | 1,309 | 1,383 | 555 | 374 | (*) |
| 100 to 174 acres.....acres.. | 3,392 | 2,944 | 1,929 | 2,468 | 1,621 | 1,051 | 1,124 | (*) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....acres.. | 5,346 | 5,473 | 6,530 | 21,084 | 2,771 | 2,559 | 3,419 | (*) |
| 260 to 499 acres.....acres.. | 12,686 | 10,316 | 13,811 | 21,084 | 8,039 | 7,649 | 10,240 | (*) |
| 500 to 999 acres.....acres.. | 12,456 | 14,128 | 20,018 | 18,767 | 7,509 | 10,714 | 13,694 | (*) |
| 1,000 acres and over.....acres.. | 20,776 | 14,893 | 22,969 | 24,719 | 16,036 | 12,143 | 17,436 | (*) |
| Cropland harvested, total.....acres.. | 5,594 | 4,964 | 4,895 | 4,480 | 4,763 | 4,367 | 4,209 | 4,335 |
| Under 3 acres.....acres.. | 55 | 29 | 9 | 148 | 52 | 2 | ..... | (*) |
| 3 to 9 acres.....acres.. | 736 | 1,198 | 198 | 172 | 652 | 1,046 | 159 | (*) |
| 10 to 19 acres.....acres.. | 510 | 572 | 76 | 215 | 390 | 402 | 37 | (*) |
| 20 to 49 acres.....acres.. | 416 | 274 | 53 | 503 | 233 | 172 | 19 | (*) |
| 50 to 99 acres.....acres.. | 199 | 110 | 36 | 763 | 130 | 73 | 8 | (*) |
| 100 to 174 acres.....acres.. | 228 | 71 | 20 | 1,801 | 41 | 36 | 10 | (*) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....acres.. | 283 | 80 | 374 | 13,388 | 220 | 47 | 270 | (*) |
| 260 to 499 acres.....acres.. | 717 | 227 | 1,293 | 13,388 | 670 | 209 | 1,229 | (*) |
| 500 to 999 acres.....acres.. | 440 | 968 | 3,251 | 10,260 | 413 | 947 | 2,892 | (*) |
| 1,000 acres and over.....acres.. | 2,010 | 1,435 | 1,585 | 11,866 | 1,962 | 1,433 | 1,585 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings, total.....dollars.. | 6,492,720 | 2,398,546 | 2,400,711 | 3,017,341 | 4,378,287 | 1,840,314 | 1,934,790 | 2,468,531 |
| Under 3 acres.....dollars.. | 17,700 | 15,450 | 2,897 | 32,584 | 8,710 | 100 | ..... | (*) |
| 3 to 9 acres.....dollars.. | 327,433 | 247,519 | 37,439 | 13,912 | 194,108 | 201,464 | 26,031 | (*) |
| 10 to 19 acres.....dollars.. | 325,385 | 144,211 | 35,383 | 21,020 | 222,835 | 107,526 | 25,950 | (*) |
| 20 to 49 acres.....dollars.. | 401,970 | 115,115 | 56,994 | 64,785 | 191,340 | 59,735 | 24,604 | (*) |
| 50 to 99 acres.....dollars.. | 300,020 | 77,231 | 39,630 | 57,930 | 165,895 | 34,681 | 25,690 | (*) |
| 100 to 174 acres.....dollars.. | 537,914 | 129,235 | 53,320 | 154,525 | 166,619 | 66,300 | 32,820 | (*) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....dollars.. | 471,850 | 209,925 | 299,740 | 917,815 | 253,850 | 141,290 | 250,465 | (*) |
| 260 to 499 acres.....dollars.. | 964,053 | 324,142 | 557,725 | 917,815 | 675,805 | 246,493 | 481,155 | (*) |
| 500 to 999 acres.....dollars.. | 952,725 | 610,626 | 748,755 | 972,370 | 434,125 | 489,633 | 580,155 | (*) |
| 1,000 acres and over.....dollars.. | 2,193,670 | 525,092 | 568,828 | 782,400 | 2,065,000 | 493,092 | 487,920 | (*) |

| Item and size group (For definitions and explanations, see text) | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) |
| Farms, total.....number.. | 92 | 30 | 55 | 26 | 155 | 188 | 81 | 63 |
| Under 3 acres.....number.. | 5 | ..... | ..... | 12 | 2 | 20 | 8 | 18 |
| 3 to 9 acres.....number.. | 33 | 9 | 15 | ..... | 42 | 66 | 22 | 8 |
| 10 to 19 acres.....number.. | 14 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 36 | 40 | 10 | 4 |
| 20 to 49 acres.....number.. | 12 | 5 | 10 | 2 | 34 | 22 | 15 | 4 |
| 50 to 99 acres.....number.. | 8 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 12 | 10 | 3 | 7 |
| 100 to 174 acres.....number.. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 13 | 4 | 4 |
| 175 to 259 acres.....number.. | 5 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 7 | 13 |
| 260 to 499 acres.....number.. | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 4 |
| 500 to 999 acres.....number.. | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 4 |
| 1,000 acres and over.....number.. | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 |
| All land in farms, total.....acres.. | 11,564 | 5,855 | 10,316 | 10,003 | 10,948 | 10,422 | 10,856 | 10,683 |
| Under 3 acres.....acres.. | 7 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 3 | 34 | 15 | (*) |
| 3 to 9 acres.....acres.. | 184 | 53 | 87 | (*) | 221 | 360 | 122 | (*) |
| 10 to 19 acres.....acres.. | 197 | 22 | 86 | (*) | 495 | 534 | 150 | (*) |
| 20 to 49 acres.....acres.. | 340 | 149 | 287 | (*) | 1,096 | 683 | 476 | (*) |
| 50 to 99 acres.....acres.. | 568 | 127 | 407 | (*) | 721 | 677 | 198 | (*) |
| 100 to 174 acres.....acres.. | 400 | 295 | 285 | (*) | 1,371 | 1,598 | 520 | (*) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....acres.. | 1,075 | 834 | 1,521 | (*) | 1,500 | 2,080 | 1,590 | (*) |
| 260 to 499 acres.....acres.. | 2,306 | 1,125 | 1,261 | (*) | 2,341 | 1,542 | 2,310 | (*) |
| 500 to 999 acres.....acres.. | 1,747 | ..... | 2,500 | (*) | 3,200 | 2,914 | 3,824 | (*) |
| 1,000 acres and over.....acres.. | 4,740 | 3,250 | 3,882 | (*) | ..... | ..... | 1,651 | (*) |
| Cropland harvested, total.....acres.. | 266 | 42 | 492 | 4,208 | 565 | 555 | 4,594 | 4,378 |
| Under 3 acres.....acres.. | 2 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 1 | 27 | 9 | (*) |
| 3 to 9 acres.....acres.. | 26 | 13 | 9 | (*) | 58 | 139 | 30 | (*) |
| 10 to 19 acres.....acres.. | 27 | ..... | 2 | (*) | 93 | 170 | 37 | (*) |
| 20 to 49 acres.....acres.. | 29 | 1 | 9 | (*) | 154 | 101 | 25 | (*) |
| 50 to 99 acres.....acres.. | 37 | 1 | 2 | (*) | 32 | 36 | 26 | (*) |
| 100 to 174 acres.....acres.. | 15 | ..... | 5 | (*) | 172 | 35 | 5 | (*) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....acres.. | 19 | 16 | 53 | (*) | 44 | 17 | 51 | (*) |
| 260 to 499 acres.....acres.. | 39 | 8 | 9 | (*) | 8 | 10 | 55 | (*) |
| 500 to 999 acres.....acres.. | 24 | ..... | 3 | (*) | 3 | 20 | 356 | (*) |
| 1,000 acres and over.....acres.. | 48 | 3 | ..... | (*) | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings, total.....dollars.. | 780,866 | 83,294 | 109,123 | 132,790 | 1,333,567 | 474,938 | 356,798 | 416,020 |
| Under 3 acres.....dollars.. | 8,740 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 250 | 15,350 | 2,897 | (*) |
| 3 to 9 acres.....dollars.. | 63,580 | 2,299 | 4,945 | (*) | 69,745 | 43,756 | 6,463 | (*) |
| 10 to 19 acres.....dollars.. | 30,380 | 570 | 1,023 | (*) | 72,170 | 36,115 | 8,410 | (*) |
| 20 to 49 acres.....dollars.. | 40,950 | 2,530 | 6,700 | (*) | 169,800 | 52,850 | 25,690 | (*) |
| 50 to 99 acres.....dollars.. | 29,365 | 5,000 | 7,290 | (*) | 104,760 | 37,550 | 6,650 | (*) |
| 100 to 174 acres.....dollars.. | 69,750 | 2,185 | 4,000 | (*) | 301,545 | 60,750 | 16,500 | (*) |
| 175 to 259 acres.....dollars.. | 93,500 | 12,210 | 30,375 | (*) | 124,500 | 56,425 | 18,900 | (*) |
| 260 to 499 acres.....dollars.. | 172,331 | 22,500 | 13,370 | (*) | 115,917 | 55,149 | 63,200 | (*) |
| 500 to 999 acres.....dollars.. | 143,600 | ..... | 19,300 | (*) | 375,000 | 116,993 | 149,300 | (*) |
| 1,000 acres and over.....dollars.. | 128,670 | 36,000 | 22,120 | (*) | ..... | ..... | 58,788 | (*) |

* Not available. ¹ Under 5 acres. ² For 1917, 5 to 9 acres. ³ Revised. ⁴ For 1930, acres of crops harvested in 1929; for 1917, acreage reported as "improved land" on the census date.

Table 3.—COLOR AND TENURE—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS; BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

| Item and Color and Tenure of Operator (For definitions and explanations, see text) | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) |
| Farm operators, total.....number.. | 755 | 828 | 329 | 430 | 508 | 610 | 193 | 341 |
| White.....number.. | 126 | 119 | 90 | 102 | 56 | 41 | 57 | 77 |
| Nonwhite.....number.. | 629 | 709 | 239 | 378 | 452 | 569 | 136 | 264 |
| Land owned.....farms reporting.. | 572 | 540 | 177 | 127 | 363 | 400 | 91 | 89 |
| acres.. | 39,842 | 23,390 | 28,585 | (*) | 26,050 | 17,265 | 20,777 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings.....dollars.. | 4,536,084 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 3,135,736 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Land rented.....farms reporting.. | 178 | 272 | 124 | 247 | 140 | 201 | 71 | 212 |
| acres.. | 7,278 | 7,047 | 10,698 | 3,712 | 4,334 | 4,243 | 6,200 | 1,843 |
| Value of land and buildings.....dollars.. | 464,561 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 300,801 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Land rented to others (see text).....farms reporting.. | 25 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 14 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres.. | 1,422 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,240 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings.....dollars.. | 138,920 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 122,520 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Owners.....number.. | 573 | 540 | 177 | 127 | 363 | 400 | 91 | 89 |
| Full owners.....number.. | 540 | 498 | 146 | (*) | 347 | 378 | 89 | (*) |
| Part owners.....number.. | 33 | 42 | 31 | (*) | 16 | 22 | 2 | (*) |
| Managers.....number.. | 36 | 58 | 59 | 56 | 21 | 31 | 33 | 40 |
| Tenants.....number.. | 146 | 230 | 93 | 247 | 124 | 179 | 69 | 212 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....number.. | 97 | 75 | 51 | 59 | 43 | 24 | 34 | 45 |
| Part owners.....number.. | 4 | 12 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Managers.....number.. | 10 | 18 | 23 | 34 | 3 | 12 | 20 | 30 |
| Tenants.....number.. | 15 | 14 | 6 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....number.. | 443 | 423 | 95 | 68 | 304 | 354 | 55 | 44 |
| Part owners.....number.. | 29 | 30 | 21 | 14 | 14 | 21 | 1 | 1 |
| Managers.....number.. | 26 | 40 | 36 | 22 | 18 | 19 | 13 | 10 |
| Tenants.....number.. | 131 | 216 | 87 | 238 | 116 | 175 | 67 | 210 |
| All land in farms, total.....acres.. | 63,753 | 55,219 | 68,322 | 69,892 | 41,241 | 38,942 | 47,150 | 49,206 |
| White operators.....acres.. | 30,248 | 23,107 | 39,642 | 47,868 | 21,572 | 18,334 | 33,555 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators.....acres.. | 33,505 | 32,112 | 23,680 | 22,024 | 19,669 | 20,608 | 13,595 | (*) |
| Owners.....acres.. | 41,633 | 24,107 | 37,190 | 33,890 | 26,159 | 17,423 | 25,608 | 25,734 |
| Full owners.....acres.. | 37,039 | 22,623 | 28,585 | (*) | 23,598 | 16,983 | 20,777 | (*) |
| Part owners.....acres.. | 4,594 | 1,484 | 8,605 | (*) | 2,561 | 440 | 4,831 | (*) |
| Portion owned.....acres.. | 2,759 | 767 | (*) | (*) | 2,452 | 282 | (*) | (*) |
| Managers.....acres.. | 17,813 | 24,782 | 29,039 | 32,290 | 11,947 | 17,434 | 20,173 | 21,629 |
| Tenants.....acres.. | 4,307 | 6,330 | 2,093 | 3,712 | 3,135 | 4,085 | 1,369 | 1,843 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....acres.. | 17,821 | 10,390 | 19,001 | 24,823 | 13,982 | 7,975 | 15,584 | (*) |
| Part owners.....acres.. | 3,687 | 348 | 5,239 | 2,064 | (*) | (*) | 4,627 | (*) |
| Managers.....acres.. | 7,806 | 11,169 | 15,106 | 21,219 | 5,139 | 9,217 | 13,218 | (*) |
| Tenants.....acres.. | 934 | 1,200 | 296 | 1,826 | 387 | 1,122 | 126 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....acres.. | 19,218 | 12,233 | 9,584 | 9,067 | 9,616 | 9,008 | 5,193 | (*) |
| Part owners.....acres.. | 907 | 1,136 | 3,366 | (*) | 497 | 440 | 204 | (*) |
| Managers.....acres.. | 10,007 | 13,613 | 13,933 | 11,071 | 6,808 | 8,217 | 6,955 | (*) |
| Tenants.....acres.. | 3,373 | 5,130 | 1,797 | 1,886 | 2,748 | 2,963 | 1,243 | (*) |
| Cropland harvested.....acres.. | 5,594 | 4,964 | 6,895 | ² 39,448 | 4,763 | 4,367 | 6,209 | ² 33,581 |
| White operators.....acres.. | 739 | 1,742 | 4,794 | 29,895 | 499 | 1,389 | 4,338 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators.....acres.. | 4,855 | 3,222 | 2,101 | 9,553 | 4,264 | 2,978 | 1,871 | (*) |
| Owners.....acres.. | 1,958 | 1,831 | 1,919 | 18,265 | 1,257 | 1,383 | 1,324 | 16,271 |
| Full owners.....acres.. | 1,839 | 1,585 | 1,821 | (*) | 1,194 | 1,247 | 1,224 | (*) |
| Part owners.....acres.. | 119 | 246 | 98 | (*) | 63 | 136 | 100 | (*) |
| Managers.....acres.. | 3,174 | 2,445 | 4,699 | 18,799 | 3,077 | 2,418 | 4,640 | 15,470 |
| Tenants.....acres.. | 462 | 688 | 277 | 2,384 | 429 | 566 | 245 | 1,840 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....acres.. | 311 | 304 | 1,506 | 14,056 | 124 | 96 | 1,070 | (*) |
| Part owners.....acres.. | 12 | 94 | 8 | (*) | (*) | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Managers.....acres.. | 399 | 1,188 | 3,266 | 14,474 | 366 | 1,183 | 3,263 | (*) |
| Tenants.....acres.. | 17 | 156 | 14 | 1,365 | 9 | 107 | 5 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....acres.. | 1,528 | 1,281 | 315 | 4,209 | 1,070 | 1,151 | 254 | (*) |
| Part owners.....acres.. | 107 | 152 | 90 | (*) | 63 | 136 | 100 | (*) |
| Managers.....acres.. | 2,775 | 1,257 | 1,433 | 4,325 | 2,711 | 1,235 | 1,377 | (*) |
| Tenants.....acres.. | 445 | 532 | 263 | 1,019 | 420 | 459 | 240 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings, total.....dollars.. | 6,492,720 | 2,398,546 | 2,400,711 | 3,017,341 | 4,378,287 | 1,840,314 | 1,934,790 | 2,468,531 |
| White operators.....dollars.. | 3,112,225 | 1,047,385 | 1,637,150 | 2,431,195 | 2,294,165 | 781,350 | 1,447,390 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators.....dollars.. | 3,380,495 | 1,351,161 | 763,561 | 586,146 | 2,084,122 | 1,058,964 | 487,400 | (*) |
| Owners.....dollars.. | 4,589,119 | 1,073,357 | 1,236,501 | 1,169,277 | 3,115,641 | 805,952 | 937,516 | 950,577 |
| Full owners.....dollars.. | 4,108,505 | 1,014,652 | 1,095,189 | (*) | 2,757,367 | 773,563 | 875,016 | (*) |
| Part owners.....dollars.. | 480,614 | 58,705 | 141,312 | (*) | 358,274 | 32,369 | 62,500 | (*) |
| Managers.....dollars.. | 1,617,795 | 1,088,979 | 1,073,356 | 1,704,935 | 1,052,270 | 840,019 | 925,940 | 1,457,915 |
| Tenants.....dollars.. | 285,806 | 236,210 | 90,854 | 143,129 | 210,376 | 194,363 | 71,334 | 60,039 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....dollars.. | 2,112,275 | 436,860 | 805,055 | 983,880 | 1,731,600 | 317,375 | 701,530 | (*) |
| Part owners.....dollars.. | 355,990 | 18,670 | 66,447 | (*) | 313,720 | (*) | 60,500 | (*) |
| Managers.....dollars.. | 583,470 | 531,490 | 751,948 | 1,352,385 | 230,045 | 407,040 | 680,860 | (*) |
| Tenants.....dollars.. | 60,490 | 60,365 | 13,700 | 94,930 | 18,800 | 55,430 | 4,500 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners.....dollars.. | 1,996,230 | 577,792 | 290,134 | 185,397 | 1,025,767 | 456,188 | 173,486 | (*) |
| Part owners.....dollars.. | 124,624 | 40,035 | 74,865 | (*) | 44,554 | 32,369 | 2,000 | (*) |
| Managers.....dollars.. | 1,034,325 | 557,489 | 321,408 | 352,550 | 822,225 | 432,979 | 245,080 | (*) |
| Tenants.....dollars.. | 225,316 | 175,845 | 77,154 | 48,199 | 191,576 | 138,933 | 66,834 | (*) |

*Not available.

¹Data are included with those for nonwhite operators.²Acres reported as "improved land" on the census date.

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Table 3.—COLOR AND TENURE—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS; BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950—Continued

| Item and Color and Tenure of Operator (For definitions and explanations, see text) | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) |
| | Farm operators, total..... number.. | 92 | 30 | 55 | 26 | 155 | 188 | 81 | 63 |
| White..... number.. | 7 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 63 | 77 | 28 | 20 |
| Nonwhite..... number.. | 85 | 29 | 50 | 21 | 92 | 111 | 53 | 43 |
| Land owned..... farms reporting.. | 77 | 19 | 38 | 15 | 132 | 121 | 48 | 23 |
| acres..... | 5,567 | 1,157 | 3,156 | (*) | 8,225 | 4,968 | 4,652 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... dollars.. | 398,076 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,002,272 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Land rented..... farms reporting.. | 15 | 8 | 12 | 2 | 23 | 63 | 41 | 33 |
| acres..... | 2,183 | 730 | 2,048 | 453 | 761 | 2,074 | 2,450 | 1,416 |
| Value of land and buildings..... dollars.. | 130,340 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 33,420 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Land rented to others (see text)..... farms reporting.. | 2 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 9 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| acres..... | 52 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 130 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... dollars.. | 3,150 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 13,250 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Owners..... number.. | 78 | 19 | 38 | 15 | 132 | 121 | 48 | 23 |
| Full owners..... number.. | 68 | 14 | 29 | (*) | 125 | 106 | 28 | (*) |
| Part owners..... number.. | 10 | 5 | 9 | (*) | 7 | 15 | 20 | (*) |
| Managers..... number.. | 8 | 8 | 14 | 9 | 7 | 19 | 12 | 7 |
| Tenants..... number.. | 6 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 48 | 21 | 33 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... number.. | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 51 | 50 | 14 | 11 |
| Part owners..... number.. | 1 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 1 | 11 | 8 | ..... |
| Managers..... number.. | 1 | ..... | ..... | 2 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 2 |
| Tenants..... number.. | 2 | ..... | 1 | ..... | 5 | 10 | 3 | 7 |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... number.. | 65 | 13 | 26 | 12 | 74 | 56 | 14 | 12 |
| Part owners..... number.. | 9 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 13 | 9 | 5 |
| Managers..... number.. | 7 | 8 | 14 | 7 | 1 | 38 | 18 | 26 |
| Tenants..... number.. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 38 | 18 | 26 |
| All land in farms, total..... acres.. | 11,564 | 5,855 | 10,316 | 10,003 | 10,948 | 10,422 | 10,856 | 10,683 |
| White operators..... acres.. | 2,738 | (¹) | 368 | (*) | 5,938 | 4,598 | 5,719 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators..... acres.. | 8,826 | 5,855 | 9,948 | (*) | 5,010 | 5,824 | 5,137 | (*) |
| Owners..... acres.. | 7,294 | 1,629 | 4,811 | 3,558 | 8,180 | 5,055 | 6,771 | 4,598 |
| Full owners..... acres.. | 5,399 | 952 | 3,156 | (*) | 8,042 | 4,688 | 4,652 | (*) |
| Part owners..... acres.. | 1,895 | 677 | 1,655 | (*) | 138 | 367 | 2,119 | (*) |
| Portion owned..... acres.. | 214 | 205 | (*) | (*) | 93 | 280 | (*) | (*) |
| Managers..... acres.. | 3,814 | 3,968 | 5,112 | 5,992 | 2,052 | 3,380 | 3,754 | 4,669 |
| Tenants..... acres.. | 456 | 258 | 393 | 453 | 716 | 1,987 | 331 | 1,416 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... acres.. | 302 | (¹) | 290 | (*) | 3,537 | 2,240 | 3,127 | (*) |
| Part owners..... acres.. | 1,590 | ..... | 38 | (*) | 33 | 328 | 574 | (*) |
| Managers..... acres.. | 660 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 2,007 | 1,952 | 1,888 | (*) |
| Tenants..... acres.. | 186 | ..... | 40 | (*) | 361 | 78 | 130 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... acres.. | 5,097 | 1,952 | 2,866 | (*) | 4,505 | 2,448 | 1,525 | (*) |
| Part owners..... acres.. | 305 | 677 | 1,617 | (*) | 105 | 39 | 1,545 | (*) |
| Managers..... acres.. | 3,154 | 3,968 | 5,112 | (*) | 45 | 1,428 | 1,866 | (*) |
| Tenants..... acres.. | 270 | 258 | 353 | (*) | 355 | 1,909 | 201 | (*) |
| Cropland harvested..... acres.. | 266 | 42 | 92 | 2,086 | 565 | 555 | 594 | 2,378 |
| White operators..... acres.. | 31 | (¹) | 49 | (*) | 209 | 339 | 407 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators..... acres.. | 235 | 42 | 43 | (*) | 356 | 216 | 187 | (*) |
| Owners..... acres.. | 188 | 27 | 71 | 845 | 513 | 421 | 524 | 1,149 |
| Full owners..... acres.. | 162 | 20 | 64 | (*) | 483 | 318 | 433 | (*) |
| Part owners..... acres.. | 26 | 7 | 7 | (*) | 30 | 103 | 91 | (*) |
| Managers..... acres.. | 67 | 11 | 15 | 1,235 | 30 | 16 | 44 | 2,094 |
| Tenants..... acres.. | 11 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 22 | 118 | 26 | 538 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... acres.. | 11 | (¹) | 46 | (*) | 176 | 194 | 390 | (*) |
| Part owners..... acres.. | 5 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 7 | 91 | 8 | (*) |
| Managers..... acres.. | 8 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 25 | 5 | 3 | (*) |
| Tenants..... acres.. | 7 | ..... | 3 | (*) | 1 | 49 | 6 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... acres.. | 151 | 120 | 18 | (*) | 307 | 124 | 43 | (*) |
| Part owners..... acres.. | 21 | 7 | 7 | (*) | 23 | 12 | 83 | (*) |
| Managers..... acres.. | 59 | 11 | 15 | (*) | 5 | 11 | 41 | (*) |
| Tenants..... acres.. | 4 | 4 | 3 | (*) | 21 | 69 | 20 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings, total..... dollars.. | 780,866 | 83,294 | 109,123 | 132,790 | 1,333,567 | 474,938 | 356,798 | 416,020 |
| White operators..... dollars.. | 155,270 | (¹) | 9,325 | (*) | 662,790 | 263,335 | 180,435 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators..... dollars.. | 625,596 | 83,294 | 99,798 | (*) | 670,777 | 211,603 | 176,363 | (*) |
| Owners..... dollars.. | 479,056 | 19,734 | 52,915 | 42,370 | 994,422 | 247,691 | 246,070 | 176,330 |
| Full owners..... dollars.. | 376,966 | 14,018 | 37,190 | (*) | 974,172 | 227,071 | 182,983 | (*) |
| Part owners..... dollars.. | 102,090 | 5,716 | 15,725 | (*) | 20,250 | 20,620 | 63,087 | (*) |
| Managers..... dollars.. | 255,600 | 58,410 | 50,948 | 86,070 | 309,925 | 190,550 | 96,468 | 160,950 |
| Tenants..... dollars.. | 46,210 | 5,150 | 5,260 | 4,350 | 29,220 | 36,697 | 14,260 | 78,740 |
| White operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... dollars.. | 23,950 | (*) | 6,975 | (*) | 356,725 | 116,785 | 96,550 | (*) |
| Part owners..... dollars.. | 38,670 | ..... | 1,150 | (*) | 3,600 | 17,165 | 4,797 | (*) |
| Managers..... dollars.. | 66,000 | ..... | ..... | (*) | 287,425 | 124,450 | 71,088 | (*) |
| Tenants..... dollars.. | 26,650 | ..... | 1,200 | (*) | 15,040 | 4,935 | 8,000 | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators: | | | | | | | | |
| Full owners..... dollars.. | 353,016 | 14,018 | 30,215 | (*) | 617,447 | 110,286 | 86,433 | (*) |
| Part owners..... dollars.. | 63,420 | 5,716 | 14,575 | (*) | 16,650 | 3,455 | 58,290 | (*) |
| Managers..... dollars.. | 189,600 | 58,410 | 50,948 | (*) | 22,500 | 66,100 | 25,380 | (*) |
| Tenants..... dollars.. | 19,560 | 5,150 | 4,060 | (*) | 14,180 | 31,762 | 6,260 | (*) |

*Not available.

¹Data are included with those for nonwhite operators.²Acres reported as "improved land" on the census date.

Table 4.—YEARS ON FARM—NUMBER OF FARM OPERATORS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR, AND BY YEARS ON FARM, FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950; AND BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1940

| Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | Virgin Islands, total | | | St. Croix | | St. John | | St. Thomas | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) |
| All farm operators reporting years on farm, total..... | 703 | 808 | 419 | 491 | 595 | 80 | 30 | 132 | 183 |
| 1 year or less..... | 43 | 106 | 63 | 38 | 87 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 17 |
| Under 3 months..... | 3 | 12 | (*) | 2 | 7 | | | 1 | 5 |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 118 | 212 | 113 | 88 | 151 | 15 | 4 | 15 | 57 |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 168 | 287 | 78 | 121 | 241 | 22 | 14 | 25 | 32 |
| 10 years and over..... | 374 | 203 | 165 | 244 | 116 | 42 | 10 | 88 | 77 |
| All farm operators not reporting years on farm..... | 52 | 20 | 11 | 17 | 15 | 12 | | 23 | 5 |
| White farm operators reporting years on farm, total..... | 115 | 112 | 95 | 52 | 38 | 7 | 1 | 56 | 73 |
| 1 year or less..... | 15 | 14 | 16 | 12 | 10 | 1 | | 2 | 4 |
| Under 3 months..... | 2 | 3 | (*) | 1 | 2 | | | 1 | 1 |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 17 | 33 | 17 | 4 | 7 | 4 | | 9 | 26 |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 27 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 8 | 1 | | 10 | 11 |
| 10 years and over..... | 56 | 46 | 43 | 20 | 13 | 1 | 1 | 35 | 32 |
| White farm operators not reporting years on farm..... | 11 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 3 | | | 7 | 4 |
| Nonwhite farm operators reporting years on farm, total..... | 588 | 696 | 324 | 439 | 557 | 73 | 29 | 76 | 110 |
| 1 year or less..... | 28 | 92 | 47 | 26 | 77 | | 2 | 2 | 13 |
| Under 3 months..... | 1 | 9 | (*) | 1 | 5 | | | | 4 |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 101 | 179 | 96 | 84 | 144 | 11 | 4 | 6 | 31 |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 141 | 268 | 59 | 105 | 233 | 21 | 14 | 15 | 21 |
| 10 years and over..... | 318 | 157 | 122 | 224 | 103 | 41 | 9 | 53 | 45 |
| Nonwhite farm operators not reporting years on farm..... | 41 | 13 | 1 | 13 | 12 | 12 | | 16 | 1 |
| Full owners reporting years on farm, total..... | 500 | 492 | (*) | 337 | 374 | 58 | 14 | 105 | 104 |
| 1 year or less..... | 22 | 35 | (*) | 19 | 31 | | | 3 | 4 |
| Under 3 months..... | 2 | 2 | (*) | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 59 | 116 | (*) | 41 | 79 | 9 | 2 | 9 | 35 |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 120 | 222 | (*) | 84 | 196 | 16 | 7 | 20 | 19 |
| 10 years and over..... | 299 | 119 | (*) | 193 | 68 | 33 | 5 | 73 | 46 |
| Full owners not reporting years on farm..... | 40 | 6 | (*) | 10 | 4 | 10 | | 20 | 2 |
| Part owners reporting years on farm, total..... | 30 | 38 | (*) | 15 | 20 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 13 |
| 1 year or less..... | 2 | 2 | (*) | 2 | | | 2 | | |
| Under 3 months..... | | | (*) | | | | | | |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 2 | 8 | (*) | | 8 | 1 | | 1 | |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 4 | 12 | (*) | 2 | 7 | 1 | | 1 | 5 |
| 10 years and over..... | 22 | 16 | (*) | 11 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 8 |
| Part owners not reporting years on farm..... | 3 | 4 | (*) | 1 | 2 | 2 | | | 2 |
| Managers reporting years on farm, total..... | 32 | 58 | (*) | 18 | 31 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 19 |
| 1 year or less..... | 3 | 17 | (*) | 2 | 12 | 1 | | | 5 |
| Under 3 months..... | | 5 | (*) | | 4 | | | | 1 |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 10 | 17 | (*) | 5 | 10 | 2 | | 3 | 7 |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 7 | 14 | (*) | 5 | 7 | 2 | 6 | | 1 |
| 10 years and over..... | 12 | 10 | (*) | 6 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| Managers not reporting years on farm..... | 4 | | (*) | 3 | | | | 1 | |
| Tenants reporting years on farm, total..... | 141 | 220 | (*) | 121 | 170 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 47 |
| 1 year or less..... | 16 | 52 | (*) | 15 | 44 | | | 1 | 8 |
| Under 3 months..... | 1 | 5 | (*) | 1 | 2 | | | | 3 |
| 2 to 4 years..... | 47 | 71 | (*) | 42 | 54 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 15 |
| 5 to 9 years..... | 37 | 39 | (*) | 30 | 31 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 7 |
| 10 years and over..... | 41 | 58 | (*) | 34 | 41 | | | 7 | 17 |
| Tenants not reporting years on farm..... | 5 | 10 | (*) | 3 | 9 | | | 2 | 1 |

*Not available.

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Table 5.—WORK OFF FARM—NUMBER OF FARM OPERATORS REPORTING WORK OFF THE FARM, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR, BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1940

| Item (For definitions and explanations see text) | Virgin Islands, total | | St. Croix | | St. John | | St. Thomas | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) |
| All farm operators reporting work off farm..... | 701 | 357 | 477 | 265 | 82 | 23 | 142 | 69 |
| Under 49 days..... | 353 | 18 | 247 | 11 | 42 | 5 | 64 | 2 |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 52 | 46 | 39 | 31 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 5 |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 82 | 112 | 54 | 76 | 16 | 4 | 12 | 32 |
| 200 days and over..... | 214 | 181 | 137 | 147 | 19 | 4 | 58 | 30 |
| All farm operators not reporting work off farm..... | 54 | 471 | 31 | 345 | 10 | 7 | 13 | 119 |
| White farm operators reporting work off farm..... | 117 | 45 | 52 | 19 | 6 | ..... | 59 | 26 |
| Under 49 days..... | 58 | ..... | 30 | ..... | 3 | ..... | 25 | ..... |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 8 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | ..... | 6 | ..... |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 14 | 21 | 6 | 2 | 1 | ..... | 7 | 19 |
| 200 days and over..... | 37 | 22 | 15 | 15 | 1 | ..... | 21 | 7 |
| White farm operators not reporting work off farm..... | 9 | 74 | 4 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 51 |
| Nonwhite farm operators reporting work off farm..... | 584 | 312 | 425 | 246 | 76 | 23 | 83 | 43 |
| Under 49 days..... | 295 | 18 | 217 | 11 | 39 | 5 | 39 | 2 |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 44 | 44 | 38 | 29 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 5 |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 68 | 91 | 48 | 74 | 15 | 4 | 5 | 13 |
| 200 days and over..... | 177 | 159 | 122 | 132 | 18 | 4 | 37 | 23 |
| Nonwhite farms operators not reporting work off farm..... | 45 | 397 | 27 | 323 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 68 |
| Full owners reporting work off farm..... | 507 | 249 | 329 | 191 | 64 | 11 | 114 | 47 |
| Under 49 days..... | 244 | 10 | 163 | 8 | 29 | ..... | 52 | 2 |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 38 | 22 | 27 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 2 |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 64 | 80 | 38 | 55 | 14 | 3 | 12 | 22 |
| 200 days and over..... | 161 | 137 | 101 | 113 | 16 | 3 | 44 | 21 |
| Full owners not reporting work off farm..... | 33 | 249 | 18 | 187 | 4 | 3 | 11 | 59 |
| Part owners reporting work off farm..... | 29 | 14 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 5 |
| Under 49 days..... | 19 | 1 | 10 | ..... | 3 | 1 | 6 | ..... |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 3 | 1 | 2 | ..... | ..... | 1 | 1 | ..... |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | ..... | 4 |
| 200 days and over..... | 4 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 1 | ..... | ..... | 1 |
| Part owners not reporting work off farm..... | 4 | 28 | ..... | 16 | 4 | 2 | ..... | 10 |
| Managers reporting work off farm..... | 30 | 10 | 18 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 1 |
| Under 49 days..... | 17 | 2 | 12 | ..... | 4 | 2 | 1 | ..... |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | ..... | 4 | 1 | ..... |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 2 | ..... | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 200 days and over..... | 9 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | ..... | 4 | 1 |
| Managers not reporting work off farm..... | 6 | 48 | 3 | 28 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 18 |
| Tenants reporting work off farm..... | 142 | 84 | 121 | 65 | 6 | 3 | 15 | 16 |
| Under 49 days..... | 80 | 5 | 69 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 5 | ..... |
| 50 to 99 days..... | 9 | 18 | 9 | 15 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3 |
| 100 to 199 days..... | 13 | 26 | 13 | 20 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 |
| 200 days and over..... | 40 | 35 | 30 | 27 | ..... | 1 | 10 | 7 |
| Tenants not reporting work off farm..... | 4 | 146 | 3 | 114 | ..... | ..... | 1 | 32 |

Table 6.—SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES—FARMS REPORTING AND AMOUNT EXPENDED BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR, FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950; AND AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1930 TO 1950

[Figures for expenditures relate to the calendar year preceding the census with the exception that figures for expenditures for 1917 relate to the year 1917.]

| Item | Virgin Islands, total | | | | | | | | St. Croix | | | |
|--|-----------------------|-------|------------------|------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------|--------------------|
| | Farms reporting | | | | Amount expended, dollars | | | | Farms reporting 1949 | Amount expended, dollars | | |
| | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 |
| Hired farm labor (excluding housework), total..... | 341 | 591 | ¹ 182 | 293 | 360,830 | 174,022 | ¹ 242,817 | ² 572,046 | 248 | 298,029 | 138,482 | 198,990 |
| White operators, total..... | 66 | 78 | 63 | (*) | 69,328 | 53,787 | 168,106 | (*) | 36 | 44,129 | 39,961 | 149,590 |
| Owners..... | 53 | 54 | 43 | (*) | 58,275 | 17,843 | 51,693 | (*) | 29 | 37,739 | 11,649 | 41,756 |
| Full owners..... | 51 | 50 | 36 | (*) | 53,142 | 17,482 | 46,621 | (*) | 28 | 32,781 | 11,524 | 37,092 |
| Part owners..... | 2 | 4 | 7 | (*) | 5,133 | 361 | 5,072 | (*) | 1 | 4,958 | 125 | 4,664 |
| Managers..... | 6 | 15 | 17 | (*) | 7,968 | 34,194 | 114,688 | (*) | 3 | 4,600 | 26,890 | 107,574 |
| Tenants..... | 7 | 9 | 3 | (*) | 3,085 | 1,750 | 1,725 | (*) | 4 | 1,790 | 1,422 | 260 |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 275 | 513 | 119 | (*) | 291,502 | 120,235 | 74,711 | (*) | 212 | 253,900 | 98,521 | 49,400 |
| Owners..... | 208 | 358 | 56 | (*) | 72,088 | 35,838 | ¹ 27,142 | (*) | 152 | 42,036 | 30,279 | 13,180 |
| Full owners..... | 191 | 335 | 42 | (*) | 67,979 | 31,233 | 24,989 | (*) | 141 | 39,056 | 26,094 | 13,180 |
| Part owners..... | 17 | 23 | 14 | (*) | 4,109 | 4,605 | 2,153 | (*) | 11 | 2,980 | 4,185 | ..... |
| Managers..... | 20 | 29 | 29 | (*) | 210,267 | 74,555 | 42,437 | (*) | 16 | 203,007 | 58,965 | 33,242 |
| Tenants..... | 47 | 126 | 34 | (*) | 9,147 | 9,842 | 5,132 | (*) | 44 | 8,857 | 9,277 | 2,978 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry, total..... | 395 | 323 | ¹ 63 | 94 | 33,929 | 21,428 | ¹ 4,144 | 9,147 | 282 | 19,294 | 13,873 | ¹ 1,609 |
| White operators, total..... | 56 | 46 | 16 | (*) | 7,650 | 6,209 | 1,167 | (*) | 30 | 3,601 | 2,886 | 331 |
| Owners..... | 48 | 34 | 10 | (*) | 5,080 | 2,963 | 737 | (*) | 24 | 1,541 | 2,313 | 247 |
| Full owners..... | 46 | 32 | 9 | (*) | 5,037 | ³ 2,963 | 690 | (*) | 24 | 1,541 | 2,313 | 247 |
| Part owners..... | 2 | 2 | 1 | (*) | 43 | (*) | 47 | (*) | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Managers..... | 3 | 8 | 4 | (*) | 2,255 | 3,173 | 350 | (*) | 2 | 1,755 | 566 | 59 |
| Tenants..... | 5 | 4 | 2 | (*) | 315 | 73 | 80 | (*) | 4 | 305 | 7 | 25 |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 339 | 277 | 47 | (*) | 26,279 | 15,219 | 2,977 | (*) | 252 | 15,693 | 10,987 | 1,278 |
| Owners..... | 252 | 159 | 24 | (*) | 16,920 | 4,938 | ¹ 1,615 | (*) | 176 | 9,841 | 2,917 | 628 |
| Full owners..... | 231 | 142 | 21 | (*) | 15,877 | 4,560 | 1,415 | (*) | 164 | 9,194 | 2,684 | 628 |
| Part owners..... | 21 | 17 | 3 | (*) | 1,043 | 378 | 200 | (*) | 12 | 647 | 233 | ..... |
| Managers..... | 12 | 21 | 7 | (*) | 2,988 | 7,287 | 206 | (*) | 8 | 1,843 | 5,308 | 75 |
| Tenants..... | 75 | 97 | 16 | (*) | 6,371 | 2,994 | ¹ 1,156 | (*) | 68 | 4,009 | 2,762 | ¹ 575 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees, total..... | 179 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 4,813 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 142 | 2,971 | (*) | (*) |
| White operators, total..... | 35 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 2,022 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 15 | 762 | (*) | (*) |
| Owners..... | 30 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,327 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 13 | 602 | (*) | (*) |
| Full owners..... | 30 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,287 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 13 | 602 | (*) | (*) |
| Part owners..... | ..... | (*) | (*) | (*) | 40 | (*) | (*) | (*) | ..... | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Managers..... | 2 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 650 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1 | 150 | (*) | (*) |
| Tenants..... | 3 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 45 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1 | 10 | (*) | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 144 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 2,791 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 127 | 2,209 | (*) | (*) |
| Owners..... | 108 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,524 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 94 | 1,429 | (*) | (*) |
| Full owners..... | 103 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,438 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 90 | 348 | (*) | (*) |
| Part owners..... | 5 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 86 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 4 | 81 | (*) | (*) |
| Managers..... | 5 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 796 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 4 | 326 | (*) | (*) |
| Tenants..... | 31 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 471 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 29 | 454 | (*) | (*) |
| Fertilizer and manure, total..... | 19 | 32 | 8 | 26 | 26,159 | 397 | 293 | 15,439 | 13 | 25,699 | 300 | 293 |
| White operators, total..... | 11 | 2 | 4 | (*) | 3,064 | (*) | 183 | (*) | 5 | 2,604 | ..... | 183 |
| Owners..... | 9 | 2 | 1 | (*) | 314 | (*) | 100 | (*) | 4 | 104 | ..... | 100 |
| Full owners..... | 9 | ..... | 1 | (*) | 314 | ..... | 100 | (*) | 4 | 104 | ..... | 100 |
| Part owners..... | ..... | 2 | ..... | (*) | ..... | (*) | ..... | (*) | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Managers..... | 2 | ..... | 2 | (*) | 2,750 | ..... | 53 | (*) | 1 | 2,500 | ..... | 53 |
| Tenants..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... | ..... | 30 | (*) | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30 |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 8 | 30 | 4 | (*) | 23,095 | (*) | 110 | (*) | 8 | 23,095 | (*) | 110 |
| Owners..... | 1 | 29 | ..... | (*) | 25 | (*) | ..... | (*) | 1 | 25 | (*) | ..... |
| Full owners..... | 1 | 29 | ..... | (*) | 25 | (*) | ..... | (*) | 1 | 25 | (*) | ..... |
| Part owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Managers..... | 7 | ..... | 1 | (*) | 23,070 | ..... | 60 | (*) | 7 | 23,070 | ..... | 60 |
| Tenants..... | ..... | 1 | 3 | (*) | ..... | (*) | 50 | (*) | ..... | ..... | (*) | 50 |

* Not available.

¹ Revised.

² Cash expended and value of house rent and board furnished.

³ Data for part owners are included with those for full owners.

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Table 6.—SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES—FARMS REPORTING AND AMOUNT EXPENDED BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR, FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950; AND AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1930 TO 1950—Continued

[Figures for expenditures relate to the calendar year preceding the census with the exception that figures for expenditures for 1917 relate to the year 1917.]

| Item | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|--|----------------------|--------------------------|-------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------|
| | Farms reporting 1949 | Amount expended, dollars | | | Farms reporting 1949 | Amount expended, dollars | | |
| | | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 |
| Hired farm labor (excluding housework), total..... | 30 | 13,252 | 5,673 | ¹ 11,076 | 63 | 49,549 | 29,867 | 32,751 |
| White operators, total..... | 3 | 3,545 | ..... | 600 | 27 | 21,654 | 13,826 | 17,916 |
| Owners..... | 1 | 2,345 | ..... | 600 | 23 | 18,191 | 6,194 | 9,337 |
| Full owners..... | 1 | 2,345 | ..... | 600 | 22 | 18,016 | 5,958 | 8,929 |
| Part owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 175 | 236 | 408 |
| Managers..... | 1 | 600 | ..... | ..... | 2 | 2,768 | 7,304 | 7,114 |
| Tenants..... | 1 | 600 | ..... | ..... | 2 | 695 | 328 | 1,465 |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 27 | 9,707 | 5,673 | 10,476 | 36 | 27,895 | 16,041 | 14,835 |
| Owners..... | 22 | 4,847 | 867 | ¹ 5,882 | 34 | 25,205 | 4,692 | 8,080 |
| Full owners..... | 19 | 4,148 | 557 | 5,330 | 31 | 24,775 | 4,582 | 6,479 |
| Part owners..... | 3 | 699 | 310 | 552 | 3 | 430 | 110 | 1,601 |
| Managers..... | 3 | 4,620 | 4,750 | 3,794 | 1 | 2,640 | 10,840 | 5,401 |
| Tenants..... | 2 | 240 | 56 | 800 | 1 | 50 | 509 | 1,354 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry, total..... | 38 | 1,762 | 223 | ¹ 155 | 75 | 12,873 | 7,332 | 2,380 |
| White operators, total..... | 1 | 8 | ..... | 100 | 25 | 4,041 | 3,323 | 736 |
| Owners..... | 1 | 8 | ..... | 100 | 23 | 3,531 | 650 | 390 |
| Full owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 100 | 22 | 3,496 | ² 650 | 343 |
| Part owners..... | 1 | 8 | ..... | ..... | 1 | 35 | ..... | 47 |
| Managers..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 500 | 2,607 | 291 |
| Tenants..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 10 | 66 | 55 |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 37 | 1,754 | 223 | 55 | 50 | 8,832 | 4,009 | 1,644 |
| Owners..... | 32 | 1,515 | 219 | ¹ 40 | 44 | 5,564 | 1,802 | 947 |
| Full owners..... | 28 | 1,394 | 138 | 40 | 39 | 5,289 | 1,738 | 747 |
| Part owners..... | 4 | 121 | 181 | ..... | 5 | 275 | 64 | 200 |
| Managers..... | 3 | 80 | 4 | 15 | 1 | 1,065 | 1,975 | 116 |
| Tenants..... | 2 | 159 | ..... | ..... | 5 | 2,203 | 232 | 581 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees, total..... | 4 | 152 | (*) | (*) | 33 | 1,690 | (*) | (*) |
| White operators, total..... | 2 | 140 | (*) | (*) | 18 | 1,120 | (*) | (*) |
| Owners..... | 1 | 125 | (*) | (*) | 16 | 600 | (*) | (*) |
| Full owners..... | 1 | 125 | (*) | (*) | 15 | 560 | (*) | (*) |
| Part owners..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | (*) | 1 | 40 | (*) | (*) |
| Managers..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | (*) | 1 | 500 | (*) | (*) |
| Tenants..... | 1 | 15 | (*) | (*) | 1 | 20 | (*) | (*) |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | 2 | 12 | (*) | (*) | 15 | 570 | (*) | (*) |
| Owners..... | 2 | 12 | (*) | (*) | 12 | 83 | (*) | (*) |
| Full owners..... | 2 | 12 | (*) | (*) | 11 | 78 | (*) | (*) |
| Part owners..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | (*) | 1 | 5 | (*) | (*) |
| Managers..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | (*) | 1 | 470 | (*) | (*) |
| Tenants..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | (*) | 2 | 17 | (*) | (*) |
| Fertilizer and manure, total..... | 1 | 90 | ..... | ..... | 5 | 370 | 97 | ..... |
| White operators, total..... | 1 | 90 | ..... | ..... | 5 | 370 | (*) | ..... |
| Owners..... | 1 | 90 | ..... | ..... | 4 | 120 | (*) | ..... |
| Full owners..... | 1 | 90 | ..... | ..... | 4 | 120 | ..... | ..... |
| Part owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... |
| Managers..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 250 | ..... | ..... |
| Tenants..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Nonwhite operators, total..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... |
| Owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... |
| Full owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... |
| Part owners..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Managers..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Tenants..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |

*Not available.

¹Revised.²Data for part owners are included with those for full owners.

Table 7.—FARM MORTGAGE DEBT OF FULL OWNERS AND PART OWNERS: CENSUSES OF 1930 TO 1950

| Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | Virgin Islands, total | | | St. Croix | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) |
| All farms operated by owners..... | 573 | 540 | 177 | 363 | 400 | 91 |
| Reported free from mortgage..... | 356 | 165 | 107 | 184 | 53 | 43 |
| Reported mortgaged..... | 158 | 372 | 58 | 143 | 345 | 45 |
| Proportion mortgaged..... | 27.6 | 68.9 | 32.8 | 39.4 | 86.2 | 49.5 |
| Land owned ¹ | 12,004 | 11,784 | 2 21,133 | 11,303 | 10,825 | 2 10,725 |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 2,110,435 | 3 585,436 | 3 760,670 | 1,998,725 | 3 538,461 | 3 580,520 |
| Average value per farm..... | 13,357 | 3 1,574 | 3 13,115 | 13,977 | 3 1,561 | 12,900 |
| Amount of mortgage debt..... | 198,678 | 302,944 | 222,114 | 173,028 | 287,153 | 195,127 |
| No mortgage report..... | 59 | 3 | 12 | 36 | 2 | 3 |
| Farms operated by full owners..... | 540 | 498 | 146 | 347 | 378 | 89 |
| Reported free from mortgage..... | 337 | 135 | (*) | 178 | 43 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 22,184 | 9,674 | (*) | 12,439 | 5,443 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 1,261,170 | 430,246 | (*) | 972,137 | 246,132 | (*) |
| Average value per farm..... | 3,802 | 3,187 | (*) | 5,461 | 5,724 | (*) |
| Reported mortgaged..... | 150 | 360 | (*) | 136 | 333 | (*) |
| Proportion mortgaged..... | 27.8 | 72.3 | (*) | 39.2 | 88.1 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 10,502 | 11,684 | (*) | 9,804 | 10,725 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 1,841,735 | 569,706 | (*) | 1,730,425 | 522,731 | (*) |
| Average value per farm..... | 12,278 | 1,583 | (*) | 12,724 | 1,570 | (*) |
| Amount of mortgage debt..... | 188,988 | 295,749 | (*) | 163,638 | 279,958 | (*) |
| Average equity per farm..... | 11,018 | 761 | (*) | 11,520 | 729 | (*) |
| Average debt per farm..... | 1,260 | 822 | (*) | 1,203 | 841 | (*) |
| Ratio of debt to value..... | 10.3 | 51.9 | (*) | 9.5 | 53.6 | (*) |
| Farms operated by part owners..... | 33 | 42 | 31 | 16 | 22 | 2 |
| Reported free from mortgage..... | 19 | 30 | (*) | 6 | 182 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 443 | 667 | (*) | 229 | 182 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 42,639 | 3 42,975 | (*) | 17,609 | 3 16,639 | (*) |
| Average value per farm..... | 2,244 | 3 1,432 | (*) | 2,935 | 3 1,664 | (*) |
| Reported mortgaged..... | 8 | 12 | (*) | 7 | 12 | (*) |
| Proportion mortgaged..... | 24.2 | 28.6 | (*) | 43.8 | 54.5 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 1,502 | 100 | (*) | 1,499 | 100 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 268,700 | 3 15,730 | (*) | 268,300 | 3 15,730 | (*) |
| Amount of mortgage debt..... | 9,690 | 7,195 | (*) | 9,390 | 3 7,195 | (*) |
| Average debt per farm..... | 1,211 | 600 | (*) | 1,341 | 600 | (*) |
| Ratio of debt to value..... | 3.6 | (*) | (*) | 3.5 | (*) | (*) |

| Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | St. John | | | St. Thomas | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) |
| All farms operated by owners..... | 78 | 19 | 38 | 132 | 121 | 48 |
| Reported free from mortgage..... | 60 | 19 | 34 | 112 | 93 | 30 |
| Reported mortgaged..... | 3 | ..... | 3 | 12 | 27 | 10 |
| Proportion mortgaged..... | 3.8 | ..... | 7.9 | 9.1 | 22.3 | 20.8 |
| Land owned ¹ | 239 | ..... | 3 358 | 462 | 959 | 3 1,170 |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 32,500 | ..... | 3 5,000 | 79,210 | 3 46,975 | 3 175,150 |
| Average value per farm..... | 10,833 | ..... | 1,667 | 6,601 | 1,740 | 17,515 |
| Amount of mortgage debt..... | 7,000 | ..... | 2,007 | 18,650 | 15,791 | 24,980 |
| No mortgage report..... | 15 | ..... | 1 | 8 | 1 | 8 |
| Farms operated by full owners..... | 68 | 14 | 29 | 125 | 106 | 28 |
| Reported free from mortgage..... | 53 | 14 | (*) | 106 | 78 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 2,887 | 952 | (*) | 6,858 | 3,279 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 243,231 | 14,018 | (*) | 65,802 | 170,096 | (*) |
| Average value per farm..... | 4,589 | 1,001 | (*) | 621 | 2,161 | (*) |
| Reported mortgaged..... | 3 | ..... | (*) | 11 | 27 | (*) |
| Proportion mortgaged..... | 4.4 | ..... | (*) | 8.8 | 25.5 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 239 | ..... | (*) | 459 | 959 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 32,500 | ..... | (*) | 78,810 | 46,975 | (*) |
| Average value per farm..... | 10,833 | ..... | (*) | 7,165 | 1,740 | (*) |
| Amount of mortgage debt..... | 7,000 | ..... | (*) | 18,350 | 15,791 | (*) |
| Average equity per farm..... | 8,500 | ..... | (*) | 5,496 | 1,155 | (*) |
| Average debt per farm..... | 2,333 | ..... | (*) | 1,668 | 585 | (*) |
| Ratio of debt to value..... | 21.5 | ..... | (*) | 23.3 | 33.6 | (*) |
| Farms operated by part owners..... | 10 | 5 | 9 | 7 | 15 | 20 |
| Reported free from mortgage..... | 7 | 5 | (*) | 6 | 15 | (*) |
| Land owned ¹ | 124 | 205 | (*) | 90 | 260 | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | 9,380 | 3 5,716 | (*) | 15,650 | 3 20,620 | (*) |
| Average value per farm..... | 1,340 | 3 1,143 | (*) | 2,608 | 3 1,375 | (*) |
| Reported mortgaged..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... | ..... | (*) |
| Proportion mortgaged..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | 14.3 | ..... | (*) |
| Land owned ¹..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | 3 | ..... | (*) |
| Value of land and buildings..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | 400 | ..... | (*) |
| Amount of mortgage debt..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | 300 | ..... | (*) |
| Average debt per farm..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | 300 | ..... | (*) |
| Ratio of debt to value..... | ..... | ..... | (*) | 75.0 | ..... | (*) |

*Not available.

¹For 1950, figures relate to total land owned, including land rented to others; for 1940 and 1930, figures relate only to owned land retained by the operator.²Includes land rented from others, as well as land owned, for part-owner farms.³Value of all land in farms, i.e., for part-owner farms, the figures include the value of the portion rented from others as well as the value of the owned portion.

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Table 8.—AUTOMOBILES, MOTORTRUCKS, AND TRACTORS—FARMS REPORTING AND NUMBER, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR; AND FARMS BY KIND OF ROAD ON WHICH LOCATED; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1940

| Item | Virgin Islands, total | | St. Croix | | St. John | | St. Thomas | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) |
| Automobiles: | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 80 | 59 | 64 | 48 | 2 | ..... | 14 | 11 |
| farms reporting.. | 80 | 59 | 64 | 48 | 2 | ..... | 14 | 11 |
| number of automobiles.. | 96 | 77 | 77 | 64 | 2 | ..... | 17 | 13 |
| White operators..... | 33 | 24 | 25 | 22 | 2 | ..... | 6 | 2 |
| farms reporting.. | 33 | 24 | 25 | 22 | 2 | ..... | 6 | 2 |
| number of automobiles.. | 45 | 39 | 34 | 35 | 2 | ..... | 9 | (¹) |
| Nonwhite operators..... | 77 | 35 | 69 | 26 | ..... | ..... | 8 | 9 |
| farms reporting.. | 77 | 35 | 69 | 26 | ..... | ..... | 8 | 9 |
| number of automobiles.. | 51 | 38 | 43 | 29 | ..... | ..... | 8 | (¹) |
| Owners..... | 61 | 40 | 49 | 32 | 1 | ..... | 11 | 8 |
| farms reporting.. | 61 | 40 | 49 | 32 | 1 | ..... | 11 | 8 |
| number of automobiles.. | 73 | 46 | 58 | 38 | 1 | ..... | 14 | 8 |
| Full owners..... | 58 | 39 | 46 | 31 | 1 | ..... | 11 | 8 |
| farms reporting.. | 58 | 39 | 46 | 31 | 1 | ..... | 11 | 8 |
| number of automobiles.. | 69 | 246 | 54 | 238 | 1 | ..... | 14 | 28 |
| Part owners..... | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| number of automobiles.. | 4 | (²) | 4 | (²) | ..... | ..... | ..... | (²) |
| Managers..... | 10 | 12 | 8 | 9 | 1 | ..... | 1 | 3 |
| farms reporting.. | 10 | 12 | 8 | 9 | 1 | ..... | 1 | 3 |
| number of automobiles.. | 13 | 24 | 11 | 19 | 1 | ..... | 1 | 5 |
| Tenants..... | 9 | 7 | 7 | 7 | ..... | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 9 | 7 | 7 | 7 | ..... | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| number of automobiles.. | 10 | 7 | 8 | 7 | ..... | ..... | 2 | ..... |
| Motortrucks: | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 78 | 37 | 60 | 32 | ..... | ..... | 18 | 5 |
| farms reporting.. | 78 | 37 | 60 | 32 | ..... | ..... | 18 | 5 |
| number of motortrucks.. | 97 | 69 | 72 | 60 | ..... | ..... | 25 | 9 |
| White operators..... | 27 | 9 | 18 | 8 | ..... | ..... | 9 | 1 |
| farms reporting.. | 27 | 9 | 18 | 8 | ..... | ..... | 9 | 1 |
| number of motortrucks.. | 35 | 19 | 22 | 15 | ..... | ..... | 13 | (¹) |
| Nonwhite operators..... | 51 | 28 | 42 | 24 | ..... | ..... | 9 | 4 |
| farms reporting.. | 51 | 28 | 42 | 24 | ..... | ..... | 9 | 4 |
| number of motortrucks.. | 62 | 50 | 50 | 45 | ..... | ..... | 12 | (¹) |
| Owners..... | 64 | 23 | 49 | 20 | ..... | ..... | 15 | 3 |
| farms reporting.. | 64 | 23 | 49 | 20 | ..... | ..... | 15 | 3 |
| number of motortrucks.. | 71 | 26 | 55 | 22 | ..... | ..... | 16 | 4 |
| Full owners..... | 55 | 19 | 41 | 16 | ..... | ..... | 14 | 3 |
| farms reporting.. | 55 | 19 | 41 | 16 | ..... | ..... | 14 | 3 |
| number of motortrucks.. | 59 | 22 | 44 | 18 | ..... | ..... | 15 | 4 |
| Part owners..... | 9 | 4 | 8 | 4 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 9 | 4 | 8 | 4 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| number of motortrucks.. | 12 | 4 | 11 | 4 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| Managers..... | 7 | 8 | 5 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 2 | 2 |
| farms reporting.. | 7 | 8 | 5 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 2 | 2 |
| number of motortrucks.. | 18 | 37 | 10 | 32 | ..... | ..... | 8 | 5 |
| Tenants..... | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| number of motortrucks.. | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| Tractors: | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 13 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 2 | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 13 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 2 | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 29 | 14 | 26 | 14 | 2 | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| White operators..... | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 8 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Nonwhite operators..... | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 21 | 9 | 20 | 9 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| Owners..... | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 11 | (*) | 9 | (*) | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Full owners..... | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 5 | (*) | 4 | (*) | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Part owners..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 2 | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 6 | ..... | 5 | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Managers..... | 7 | 9 | 6 | 9 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 7 | 9 | 6 | 9 | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | 18 | (*) | 17 | (*) | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... |
| Tenants..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| number of tractors.. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Farms by kind of road on which located: | | | | | | | | |
| Total..... | 742 | (*) | 501 | (*) | 89 | (*) | 152 | (*) |
| farms reporting.. | 742 | (*) | 501 | (*) | 89 | (*) | 152 | (*) |
| Hard surface..... | 133 | (*) | 80 | (*) | ..... | (*) | 53 | (*) |
| farms reporting.. | 133 | (*) | 80 | (*) | ..... | (*) | 53 | (*) |
| Gravel, shell, shale..... | 53 | (*) | 36 | (*) | 16 | (*) | 1 | (*) |
| farms reporting.. | 53 | (*) | 36 | (*) | 16 | (*) | 1 | (*) |
| Dirt or unimproved..... | 436 | (*) | 319 | (*) | 67 | (*) | 50 | (*) |
| farms reporting.. | 436 | (*) | 319 | (*) | 67 | (*) | 50 | (*) |
| Not located on a road..... | 120 | (*) | 66 | (*) | 6 | (*) | 48 | (*) |
| farms reporting.. | 120 | (*) | 66 | (*) | 6 | (*) | 48 | (*) |

*Not available.

¹Data are included with those for total number of units only.²Data for part owners are included with those for full owners.

Table 9.—AUTOMOBILES, MOTORTRUCKS, AND TRACTORS—NUMBER OF UNITS ON FARMS AND FARMS REPORTING BY AGE OF NEWEST MODEL, FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1950 AND 1940

| Item | Automobiles | | Motortrucks | | Tractors | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) |
| Total..... | 80 | 59 | 78 | 37 | 13 | 10 |
| farms reporting.. | 80 | 59 | 78 | 37 | 13 | 10 |
| number of units.. | 96 | 77 | 97 | 69 | 29 | 14 |
| Age of newest model: | | | | | | |
| less than 1 year..... | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | ..... |
| 1 year..... | 17 | 7 | 14 | 4 | 2 | 4 |
| farms reporting.. | 17 | 7 | 14 | 4 | 2 | 4 |
| 2 years..... | 7 | 5 | 15 | 4 | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 7 | 5 | 15 | 4 | ..... | ..... |
| 3 years..... | 7 | 8 | 4 | 10 | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 7 | 8 | 4 | 10 | ..... | ..... |
| 4 years..... | 5 | 8 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 1 |
| farms reporting.. | 5 | 8 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 1 |
| 5 years..... | ..... | 8 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 2 |
| farms reporting.. | ..... | 8 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 2 |
| 6 years..... | 1 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 1 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 | ..... |
| 7 years..... | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 8 years..... | 2 | 3 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 2 | 3 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 9 years..... | 7 | 1 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| farms reporting.. | 7 | 1 | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 10 years old and over..... | 26 | 6 | 22 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| farms reporting.. | 26 | 6 | 22 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| Average age of newest model..... | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 |

Table 10.—LIVESTOCK ON FARMS—SPECIFIED LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

| Item | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) ¹ | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) ¹ |
| LIVESTOCK | | | | | | | | |
| Any livestock..... farms reporting.. | 671 | 695 | 261 | 381 | 461 | 505 | 137 | 297 |
| Horses and colts..... farms reporting.. | 411 | 415 | 173 | 275 | 354 | 341 | 115 | (*) |
| number.. | 1,077 | 2,954 | 862 | 1,827 | 849 | 2,715 | 610 | 1,527 |
| Mules and mule colts..... farms reporting.. | 154 | 221 | 100 | 138 | 126 | 191 | 82 | (*) |
| number.. | 268 | 2,623 | 994 | 1,568 | 213 | 2,573 | 950 | 1,482 |
| Asses and burros..... farms reporting.. | 218 | 310 | 150 | 244 | 104 | 166 | 65 | (*) |
| number.. | 399 | 2,544 | 523 | 748 | 150 | 2,233 | 200 | 470 |
| Cattle and calves, total..... farms reporting.. | 259 | 190 | 179 | 166 | 154 | 100 | .85 | (*) |
| number.. | 11,355 | 28,796 | 12,252 | 12,187 | 8,521 | 25,979 | 8,391 | 8,968 |
| Cows..... farms reporting.. | 257 | 179 | 153 | (*) | 152 | 93 | 3.65 | (*) |
| number.. | 5,331 | 47,306 | 34,726 | (*) | 3,735 | 44,824 | 33,098 | (*) |
| Calves under 3 months of age..... farms reporting.. | 148 | (*) | 5142 | (*) | 88 | (*) | 5.63 | (*) |
| number.. | 1,082 | (*) | 52,770 | (*) | 771 | (*) | 51,919 | (*) |
| Heifers and heifer calves 3 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 175 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 108 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 2,617 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 2,070 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Bulls, bull calves, steers 3 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 163 | 133 | (*) | (*) | 106 | 61 | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 2,325 | 41,490 | (*) | (*) | 1,945 | 41,155 | (*) | (*) |
| Hogs and pigs, total..... farms reporting.. | 240 | 6266 | 120 | 140 | 182 | 6194 | 77 | (*) |
| number.. | 978 | 61,124 | 860 | 2,145 | 726 | 6869 | 665 | 1,935 |
| Under 4 months old..... farms reporting.. | 108 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 82 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 498 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 368 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| 4 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 183 | 266 | (*) | (*) | 135 | 194 | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 480 | 1,124 | (*) | (*) | 358 | 869 | (*) | (*) |
| Sheep and lambs..... farms reporting.. | 160 | 758 | 28 | 32 | 121 | 737 | 17 | (*) |
| number.. | 2,786 | 7,819 | 1,533 | 1,046 | 1,875 | 7,506 | 1,262 | 879 |
| Goats and kids..... farms reporting.. | 312 | 6216 | 105 | 142 | 190 | 6165 | 54 | (*) |
| number.. | 3,876 | 2,134 | 1,476 | 1,584 | 1,379 | 9,926 | 399 | 1,122 |
| Chickens 4 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 456 | 389 | 152 | 163 | 339 | 271 | 183 | (*) |
| number.. | 10,074 | 8,046 | 13,331 | 8,6137 | 6,368 | 4,479 | 12,033 | 85,531 |
| Bees owned ¹⁰ farms reporting.. | 7 | 6 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| number of hives.. | 19 | 31 | 345 | 41 | 9 | (⁹) | 1 | 40 |
| LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS¹¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Chickens sold..... farms reporting.. | 186 | 1281 | (*) | (*) | 116 | 1248 | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 10,533 | 12,817 | (*) | (*) | 2,657 | 12,824 | (*) | (*) |
| Chicken eggs sold..... farms reporting.. | 191 | 194 | 79 | (*) | 107 | 111 | 36 | (*) |
| dozens.. | 22,807 | 20,812 | 4,353 | (*) | 5,187 | 9,896 | 1,971 | (*) |
| Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry (except chickens) raised..... farms reporting.. | 73 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 55 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 665 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 530 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Honey produced..... farms reporting.. | 3 | 6 | (*) | 1 | 1 | 2 | (*) | (*) |
| pounds.. | 102 | 1,618 | (*) | 3,000 | 30 | (⁹) | (*) | (*) |

| Item | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) ¹ | Census of 1950 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1940 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1930 (Apr. 1) | Census of 1917 (Nov. 1) ¹ |
| LIVESTOCK | | | | | | | | |
| Any livestock..... farms reporting.. | 84 | 30 | 52 | 26 | 126 | 160 | 72 | 58 |
| Horses and colts..... farms reporting.. | 28 | 15 | 26 | (*) | 29 | 59 | 32 | (*) |
| number.. | 108 | 276 | 140 | 154 | 120 | 2163 | 112 | 191 |
| Mules and mule colts..... farms reporting.. | 8 | 2 | 6 | (*) | 20 | 28 | 12 | (*) |
| number.. | 15 | (¹³) | 23 | 23 | 40 | 13250 | 21 | 63 |
| Asses and burros..... farms reporting.. | 50 | 17 | 35 | (*) | 64 | 127 | 50 | (*) |
| number.. | 126 | 238 | 170 | 63 | 123 | 2273 | 153 | 215 |
| Cattle and calves, total..... farms reporting.. | 46 | 24 | 40 | (*) | 59 | 66 | 54 | (*) |
| number.. | 892 | 2774 | 1,583 | 1,149 | 1,942 | 2,043 | 2,278 | 2,070 |
| Cows..... farms reporting.. | 46 | 24 | 37 | (*) | 59 | 62 | 51 | (*) |
| number.. | 492 | 4571 | 3593 | (*) | 1,104 | 41,911 | 31,035 | (*) |
| Calves under 3 months of age..... farms reporting.. | 24 | (*) | 533 | (*) | 36 | (*) | 546 | (*) |
| number.. | 123 | (*) | 5351 | (*) | 188 | (*) | 5500 | (*) |
| Heifers and heifer calves 3 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 31 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 36 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 147 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 400 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Bulls, bull calves, steers 3 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 26 | 21 | (*) | (*) | 31 | 51 | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 130 | 4203 | (*) | (*) | 250 | 4132 | (*) | (*) |
| Hogs and pigs, total..... farms reporting.. | 33 | 68 | 25 | (*) | 25 | 664 | 18 | (*) |
| number.. | 153 | 653 | 140 | 55 | 99 | 6202 | 55 | 155 |
| Under 4 months old..... farms reporting.. | 17 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 9 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 83 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 47 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| 4 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 26 | 8 | (*) | (*) | 22 | 64 | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 70 | 53 | (*) | (*) | 52 | 202 | (*) | (*) |
| Sheep and lambs..... farms reporting.. | 25 | 74 | 6 | (*) | 14 | 117 | 5 | (*) |
| number.. | 306 | 741 | 64 | 45 | 605 | 7272 | 207 | 122 |
| Goats and kids..... farms reporting.. | 56 | 611 | 29 | (*) | 66 | 639 | 22 | (*) |
| number.. | 1,231 | 6292 | 589 | 297 | 1,266 | 9,976 | 488 | 165 |
| Chickens 4 months old and over..... farms reporting.. | 56 | 18 | 130 | (*) | 61 | 100 | 139 | (*) |
| number.. | 1,164 | 232 | 1,339 | 119 | 2,542 | 3,335 | 1,959 | 8487 |
| Bees owned ¹⁰ farms reporting.. | 4 | 2 | 4 | ..... | ..... | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| number of hives.. | 10 | (⁹) | 206 | ..... | ..... | (⁹) | 138 | 1 |
| LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS¹¹ | | | | | | | | |
| Chickens sold..... farms reporting.. | 27 | 127 | (*) | (*) | 43 | 1226 | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 419 | 12122 | (*) | (*) | 7,457 | 12,871 | (*) | (*) |
| Chicken eggs sold..... farms reporting.. | 36 | 9 | 15 | (*) | 48 | 74 | 28 | (*) |
| dozens.. | 2,287 | 199 | 359 | (*) | 15,333 | 10,717 | 2,023 | (*) |
| Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry (except chickens) raised..... farms reporting.. | 5 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 13 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| number.. | 14 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 121 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Honey produced..... farms reporting.. | 2 | 2 | (*) | (*) | ..... | 2 | (*) | (*) |
| pounds.. | 72 | (⁹) | (*) | (*) | ..... | (⁹) | (*) | (*) |

*Not available. ¹Age not specified. ²Over 3 months old. ³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over kept mainly for milk production. ⁴Included in total for cattle and calves over 3 months old; no other mention made of age. ⁵Under 1 year old. ⁶Over 4 months old. ⁷Over 6 months old. ⁸Poultry of all kinds. ⁹Figures available for Virgin Islands only. ¹⁰For censuses prior to 1950, bees on hand; ownership not specified. ¹¹Produced during calendar year preceding census. ¹²Poultry sold. ¹³Data for St. John are included with those for St. Thomas.

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Table 11.—SPECIFIED FIELD CROPS—FARMS REPORTING, ACRES, AND QUANTITY HARVESTED; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

[Figures for crops harvested relate to the crop year preceding the census.]

| Item | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-------|-------|-------|------------|--------|--------|-------|
| | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 |
| Specified field crops.....farms reporting.. | 450 | 595 | 162 | (*) | 391 | 475 | 109 | (*) | 25 | 10 | 14 | (*) | 34 | 110 | 39 | (*) |
|acres.. | 4,416 | 4,406 | 6,523 | 16,574 | 4,341 | 4,226 | 6,014 | 12,806 | 27 | 11 | 12 | 1,393 | 48 | 169 | 497 | 2,375 |
| Corn.....farms reporting.. | 114 | 46 | 6 | 7 | 101 | 23 | 4 | (*) | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | 13 | 23 | 1 | (*) |
|acres.. | 49 | 25 | 20 | 25 | 42 | 19 | 19 | 24 | ..... | ..... | (1) | ..... | 7 | 6 | 1 | 1 |
|pounds.. | 29,330 | 17,200 | 13,900 | 17,700 | 27,080 | 13,900 | 13,700 | 17,500 | ..... | ..... | 100 | ..... | 2,250 | 3,300 | 100 | 200 |
| Beans, dry.....farms reporting.. | 103 | 49 | 7 | 2 | 75 | 13 | 1 | (*) | 12 | 3 | 4 | (*) | 16 | 33 | 2 | 2 |
|acres.. | 24 | 17 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 5 | 1 | (*) | 4 | 1 | 1 | (*) | 6 | 11 | 1 | 1 |
|pounds.. | 12,441 | 8,343 | 430 | 90 | 8,856 | 1,841 | 50 | (*) | 310 | 70 | 190 | (*) | 3,275 | 6,432 | 190 | 90 |
| Cassava.....farms reporting.. | 102 | 56 | 6 | (*) | 74 | 22 | 2 | (*) | 16 | 3 | ..... | (*) | 12 | 31 | 4 | (*) |
|acres.. | 23 | 21 | 2 | (*) | 12 | 10 | 1 | (*) | 6 | 2 | ..... | (*) | 5 | 9 | 1 | (*) |
|pounds.. | 14,790 | 15,653 | 2,690 | (*) | 7,360 | 9,373 | 900 | (*) | 1,475 | 230 | ..... | (*) | 5,955 | 6,050 | 1,790 | (*) |
| Irish potatoes.....farms reporting.. | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
|acres.. | (1) | ..... | ..... | ..... | (1) | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
|pounds.. | 140 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 140 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Sugarcane ³.....farms reporting.. | 379 | 501 | 115 | 286 | 364 | 469 | 107 | (*) | 6 | 2 | 4 | (*) | 9 | 30 | 4 | ..... |
|acres.. | 4,142 | 4,097 | 5,823 | 8,685 | 4,136 | 4,086 | 5,820 | 8,684 | 2 | (4) | 2 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 11 | 1 |
|tons.. | 49,091 | 42,641 | 56,405 | 84,129 | 49,066 | 42,581 | 56,396 | 84,126 | 9 | (4) | 5 | 3 | 16 | 460 | 4 | ..... |
| Sweetpotatoes.....farms reporting.. | 270 | 200 | 33 | (5) | 224 | 124 | 12 | (5) | 23 | 3 | 12 | ..... | 23 | 73 | 9 | (5) |
|acres.. | 85 | 83 | 22 | (5) | 61 | 43 | 11 | (5) | 11 | 2 | 7 | ..... | 13 | 38 | 4 | (5) |
|pounds.. | 81,186 | 104,900 | 67,700 | (5) | 71,201 | 48,100 | 49,800 | (5) | 4,350 | 2,200 | 5,700 | ..... | 5,635 | 54,600 | 12,200 | (5) |
| Tanya.....farms reporting.. | 130 | 167 | 30 | (*) | 106 | 99 | 7 | (*) | 8 | 3 | 3 | (*) | 16 | 65 | 20 | (*) |
|acres.. | 33 | 85 | 15 | (*) | 23 | 38 | 4 | (*) | 2 | 3 | 1 | (*) | 8 | 44 | 10 | (*) |
|pounds.. | 24,853 | 102,100 | 31,300 | (*) | 18,880 | 41,200 | 9,700 | (*) | 1,323 | 6,200 | 1,100 | (*) | 4,650 | 54,700 | 20,500 | (*) |
| Yams.....farms reporting.. | 210 | 165 | 13 | (5) | 190 | 110 | 6 | (5) | 8 | 1 | 3 | ..... | 12 | 54 | 4 | (5) |
|acres.. | 52 | 43 | 6 | (5) | 46 | 20 | 3 | (5) | 2 | (4) | 1 | ..... | 4 | 28 | 2 | (5) |
|pounds.. | 72,930 | 75,200 | 15,400 | (5) | 69,585 | 35,800 | 6,700 | (5) | 1,220 | ..... | 900 | ..... | 2,125 | 39,400 | 7,800 | (5) |

* Not available.

¹ Reported in small fractions.

² For 1917, 2 farms reporting 1 acre of dry beans harvested included, arbitrarily, with data for St. Thomas Island.

³ For 1929 and 1917, production of sugarcane relates to that harvested during the 12-month periods ending September 30, 1929, and September 30, 1917, respectively.

⁴ Data for St. John are included with those for St. Thomas.

⁵ Included in the total for all vegetables harvested.

Table 12.—VEGETABLES—FARMS REPORTING, ACREAGE, AND VALUE OF VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE AND FARMS REPORTING VEGETABLES FOR HOME USE; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

[Figures for crops harvested relate to the crop year preceding the census.]

| Item | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|---|-----------------------|--------|-------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|--------|----------|-------|-------|-------|------------|--------|-------|-------|
| | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 | 1949 | 1939 | 1929 | 1917 |
| Vegetables harvested for sale (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting.. | 178 | 186 | 40 | 184 | 121 | 80 | 9 | (*) | 11 | 6 | 3 | ..... | 46 | 100 | 28 | (*) |
|acres.. | 269 | 156 | 50 | 1,168 | 193 | 36 | 25 | 1,115 | 10 | 4 | 1 | ..... | 66 | 116 | 24 | 1,53 |
|value..dollars.. | 52,022 | 16,050 | 2,690 | 6,537 | 38,329 | 2,307 | 760 | 14,362 | 2,085 | 62 | 140 | ..... | 11,608 | 13,681 | 1,790 | 2,175 |
| Beans (green).....farms reporting.. | 41 | 54 | 5 | (2) | 23 | 9 | 2 | (2) | (3) | 2 | (4) | ..... | 15 | 43 | 2 | (2) |
|acres.. | 9 | 14 | 2 | (2) | 5 | 2 | 1 | (2) | (3) | (4) | (4) | ..... | 4 | 12 | 1 | (2) |
| Cabbage.....farms reporting.. | 100 | 52 | 14 | (2) | 76 | 14 | 1 | (2) | (3) | 4 | (3) | ..... | 20 | 37 | 11 | (2) |
|acres.. | 20 | 11 | 4 | (2) | 13 | 2 | 1 | (2) | (3) | (3) | (4) | ..... | 7 | 9 | 3 | (2) |
| Carrots.....farms reporting.. | 74 | 67 | 15 | (2) | 43 | 7 | ..... | (2) | (3) | 1 | ..... | ..... | 30 | 60 | 15 | (2) |
|acres.. | 32 | 17 | 3 | (2) | 19 | 1 | ..... | (2) | (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... | 13 | 16 | 3 | (2) |
| Celery.....farms reporting.. | 26 | 24 | (*) | (2) | 12 | 2 | (*) | (2) | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... | 14 | 22 | (*) | (2) |
|acres.. | 5 | 5 | (*) | (2) | 1 | (3) | (*) | (2) | ..... | ..... | (*) | ..... | 4 | 5 | (*) | (2) |
| Cucumbers.....farms reporting.. | 9 | 23 | (*) | (2) | 4 | 3 | (*) | (2) | 1 | ..... | (*) | ..... | 4 | 20 | (*) | (2) |
|acres.. | 1 | 3 | (*) | (2) | 1 | 1 | (*) | (2) | (3) | ..... | (*) | ..... | (3) | 2 | (*) | (2) |
| Eggplant.....farms reporting.. | 90 | 43 | 6 | (2) | 63 | 6 | 2 | (2) | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 24 | 37 | 4 | (2) |
|acres.. | 14 | 7 | 2 | (2) | 9 | 1 | 1 | (2) | (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... | 5 | 6 | 1 | (2) |
| Okra.....farms reporting.. | 126 | 73 | 10 | (2) | 89 | 13 | 1 | (2) | 9 | 3 | 1 | ..... | 28 | 57 | 8 | (2) |
|acres.. | 26 | 21 | 3 | (2) | 14 | 3 | (3) | (2) | 3 | 1 | (3) | ..... | 9 | 17 | 3 | (2) |
| Onions.....farms reporting.. | 17 | 9 | 8 | (2) | 10 | 4 | 4 | (2) | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 7 | 5 | 4 | (2) |
|acres.. | 3 | 2 | 20 | (2) | 1 | 1 | 19 | (2) | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | (2) |
| Peppers.....farms reporting.. | 95 | 58 | 7 | (2) | 66 | 6 | 3 | (2) | 5 | 3 | ..... | ..... | 24 | 49 | 4 | (2) |
|acres.. | 12 | 9 | 2 | (2) | 8 | 1 | 1 | (2) | (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... | 4 | 7 | 1 | (2) |
| Squash ⁵.....farms reporting.. | 17 | 39 | 7 | (2) | 3 | 5 | 1 | (2) | 4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10 | 34 | 6 | (2) |
|acres.. | 14 | 11 | 1 | (2) | 13 | 1 | (3) | (2) | (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | 10 | 1 | (2) |
| Tomatoes.....farms reporting.. | 129 | 95 | 24 | (2) | 91 | 13 | 5 | (2) | 8 | 3 | 1 | ..... | 30 | 79 | 18 | (2) |
|acres.. | 118 | 30 | 10 | (2) | 105 | 2 | 2 | (2) | 3 | 1 | (3) | ..... | 10 | 27 | 8 | (2) |
| Other vegetables.....farms reporting.. | 35 | (*) | 5 | (2) | 15 | 50 | ..... | (2) | 3 | ..... | (*) | ..... | 17 | (*) | 4 | (2) |
|acres.. | 10 | 26 | 3 | (2) | 3 | 21 | ..... | (2) | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 6 | 5 | 2 | (2) |
| Vegetables for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting.. | 323 | (*) | (*) | (2) | 230 | (*) | (*) | (2) | 32 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 61 | (*) | (*) | (2) |

* Not available.

¹ All vegetables including sweetpotatoes and yams, produced for home use and for sale.

² Included in the total of all vegetables harvested.

³ Reported in small fractions.

⁴ Data for St. John are included with data for St. Thomas.

⁵ For 1929, schedule inquiry specified "squashes and pumpkins."

Table 13.—SPECIFIED FRUITS AND NUTS—FARMS REPORTING, ACREAGE, NUMBER OF BEARING AND NONBEARING TREES OR PLANTS, AND QUANTITY HARVESTED; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950

[Figures for acres and number of trees or plants relate to the date of the census; figures for quantity harvested relate to the crop year preceding the census]

| Item | Virgin Islands, total | | | | St. Croix | | | |
|---|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Census of 1950 | Census of 1940 | Census of 1930 | Census of 1917 | Census of 1950 | Census of 1940 | Census of 1930 | Census of 1917 |
| Avocados.....farms reporting.. | 180 | 108 | 19 | (*) | 103 | 31 | 3 | (*) |
|acres.. | 118 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 50 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 5,563 | 2,051 | 247 | (*) | 2,686 | 282 | 116 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 2,193 | 1,827 | 202 | (*) | 1,022 | 330 | 36 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....number of fruits.. | 124,597 | 163,751 | 14,700 | (*) | 82,852 | 11,551 | 3,200 | (*) |
| Cacao.....farms reporting.. | 6 | 21 | 3 | 7 | (¹) | 6 | 2 | (*) |
|acres.. | 2 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 126 | 1,474 | 325 | 6,574 | 7 | 1,425 | 300 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 2 | 2,117 | 970 | (*) | 2 | 2,000 | 960 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....pounds.. | 410 | 2,681 | 160 | 5,265 | 75 | 2,535 | 150 | (*) |
| Coconuts.....farms reporting.. | 126 | 122 | 35 | 19 | 50 | 49 | 7 | (*) |
|acres.. | 110 | 84 | (*) | (*) | 26 | 31 | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 5,146 | 4,291 | 1,152 | 1,070 | 1,961 | 2,222 | 137 | 462 |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 1,813 | 3,067 | 472 | 1,214 | 233 | 269 | 59 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....number of nuts.. | 83,843 | 120,521 | 27,008 | 12,180 | 56,281 | 67,898 | 3,600 | 2,900 |
| Grapefruit.....farms reporting.. | 27 | 20 | 2 | (*) | 12 | 8 | | (*) |
|acres.. | 9 | 4 | (*) | (*) | 4 | 2 | | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 521 | 41 | 12 | (*) | 461 | 29 | | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 181 | 255 | 4 | (*) | 99 | 107 | | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....pounds.. | 22,762 | 1,680 | 1,280 | (*) | 22,206 | 1,360 | | (*) |
| Guavas.....farms reporting.. | 104 | 105 | 30 | (*) | 42 | 14 | 3 | (*) |
|acres.. | 79 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 16 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 4,968 | 8,287 | 11,380 | (*) | 1,962 | 2,939 | 10,007 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 1,818 | 7,519 | 6,746 | (*) | 40 | 1,727 | 5,000 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....pounds.. | 76,129 | 121,560 | 25,800 | (*) | 55,055 | 14,360 | | (*) |
| Limes and lemons.....farms reporting.. | 127 | 121 | 43 | (*) | 53 | 26 | 8 | (*) |
|acres.. | 50 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 18 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 3,274 | 1,251 | 322 | (*) | 2,233 | 131 | 77 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 732 | 927 | 121 | (*) | 253 | 26 | 32 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....pounds.. | 86,068 | 88,080 | 11,640 | (*) | 69,944 | 4,200 | 4,020 | (*) |
| Mangoes.....farms reporting.. | 197 | 170 | 78 | 20 | 80 | 45 | 16 | (*) |
|acres.. | 190 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 57 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 7,313 | 4,436 | 2,335 | 966 | 3,513 | 1,579 | 782 | 200 |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 1,244 | 2,157 | 1,068 | 680 | 205 | 293 | 186 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....number of fruits.. | 959,903 | 442,656 | 407,683 | 2,750 | 762,565 | 79,050 | 83,085 | |
| Oranges.....farms reporting.. | 49 | 61 | 9 | 9 | 28 | 18 | 5 | (*) |
|acres.. | 19 | 19 | (*) | (*) | 12 | 3 | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age.....number.. | 959 | 175 | 51 | 176 | 855 | 70 | 38 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age.....number.. | 301 | 1,311 | 127 | 64 | 158 | 121 | 71 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....pounds.. | 24,178 | 4,800 | 3,840 | 9,480 | 21,293 | 2,940 | 3,180 | (*) |
| Bananas.....farms reporting.. | 186 | 157 | 73 | 24 | 96 | 37 | 21 | (*) |
|acres.. | 195 | 140 | (*) | (*) | 74 | 22 | (*) | (*) |
| Plants of bearing age.....number.. | 21,013 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 6,483 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Plants not of bearing age.....number.. | 13,560 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 6,189 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....bunches.. | 16,424 | 46,545 | 6,790 | 818 | 5,400 | 1,838 | 1,057 | 690 |
| Plantains.....farms reporting.. | 27 | 48 | 16 | (*) | 12 | 9 | 2 | (*) |
|acres.. | 12 | 23 | (*) | (*) | 4 | 3 | (*) | (*) |
| Plants of bearing age.....number.. | 1,259 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 143 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Plants not of bearing age.....number.. | 1,225 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 463 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....bunches.. | 1,223 | 9,130 | 823 | (*) | 149 | 708 | | (*) |
| Pineapples.....farms reporting.. | 39 | 21 | 8 | 2 | 18 | 8 | 2 | (*) |
|acres.. | 15 | 10 | (*) | (*) | 10 | 6 | (*) | (*) |
| Plants of bearing age.....number.. | 6,601 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 5,394 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Plants not of bearing age.....number.. | 1,960 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,648 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Quantity harvested.....boxes.. | 570 | 303 | 2,404 | 2,300 | 433 | 134 | 2,150 | (*) |

*Not available.

¹Reported in small fractions.²For 1929 and 1917, production of pineapples shown as number of fruits.

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Table 13.—SPECIFIED FRUITS AND NUTS—FARMS REPORTING, ACREAGE, NUMBER OF BEARING AND NONBEARING TREES OR PLANTS, AND QUANTITY HARVESTED; BY ISLANDS: CENSUSES OF 1917 TO 1950—Continued
 [Figures for acres and number of trees or plants relate to the date of the census; figures for quantity harvested relate to the crop year preceding the census]

| Item | St. John | | | | St. Thomas | | | |
|--|----------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------|
| | Census of 1950 | Census of 1940 | Census of 1930 | Census of 1917 | Census of 1950 | Census of 1940 | Census of 1930 | Census of 1917 |
| Avocados..... farms reporting.. | 8 | | 1 | (*) | 69 | 77 | 15 | (*) |
| acres.. | 3 | | | (*) | 65 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 49 | | 8 | (*) | 2,828 | 1,769 | 123 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 86 | | 3 | (*) | 1,085 | 1,497 | 163 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... number of fruits.. | 1,910 | | 800 | (*) | 39,835 | 152,200 | 10,700 | (*) |
| Cacao..... farms reporting.. | 2 | | 1 | (*) | 3 | 15 | | (*) |
| acres.. | 1 | | (*) | (*) | 1 | (*) | | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 105 | | 25 | (*) | 14 | 49 | | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | | | 10 | (*) | | 117 | | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... pounds.. | 300 | | 10 | (*) | 35 | 146 | | (*) |
| Coconuts..... farms reporting.. | 27 | 9 | 16 | (*) | 49 | 64 | 12 | (*) |
| acres.. | 60 | 22 | (*) | (*) | 24 | 31 | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 2,132 | 684 | 459 | 390 | 1,053 | 1,385 | 556 | 218 |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 946 | 1,489 | 96 | (*) | 634 | 1,329 | 317 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... number of nuts.. | 16,105 | 12,740 | 5,305 | 8,000 | 11,457 | 39,883 | 18,103 | 1,280 |
| Grapfruit..... farms reporting.. | 5 | 1 | 1 | (*) | 10 | 11 | 1 | (*) |
| acres.. | 2 | (¹) | (*) | (*) | 3 | ¹ 2 | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 39 | (¹) | 4 | (*) | 21 | ¹ 12 | 8 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 57 | | 4 | (*) | 25 | 148 | | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... pounds.. | 196 | (¹) | 960 | (*) | 360 | ¹ 320 | 320 | (*) |
| Guavas..... farms reporting.. | 32 | 4 | 13 | (*) | 30 | 87 | 14 | (*) |
| acres.. | 24 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 39 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 1,017 | 214 | 375 | (*) | 1,989 | 5,134 | 998 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 144 | 225 | 1,008 | (*) | 1,634 | 5,567 | 738 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... pounds.. | 5,437 | 2,440 | 4,640 | (*) | 15,637 | 104,760 | 21,160 | (*) |
| Limes and lemons..... farms reporting.. | 27 | 2 | 18 | (*) | 47 | 93 | 17 | (*) |
| acres.. | 17 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 15 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 449 | (¹) | 140 | (*) | 592 | ¹ 1,120 | 105 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 217 | (¹) | 52 | (*) | 262 | ¹ 901 | 37 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... pounds.. | 7,365 | (¹) | 5,400 | (*) | 8,759 | ¹ 83,880 | 2,220 | (*) |
| Mangoes..... farms reporting.. | 33 | 3 | 23 | (*) | 84 | 122 | 39 | (*) |
| acres.. | 34 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 99 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 1,172 | 127 | 527 | 32 | 2,628 | 2,730 | 1,026 | 734 |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 230 | 50 | 135 | (*) | 809 | 1,814 | 747 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... number of fruits.. | 64,520 | 22,300 | 205,548 | | 132,818 | 341,306 | 119,050 | 2,750 |
| Oranges..... farms reporting.. | 11 | 1 | 2 | (*) | 10 | 42 | 2 | (*) |
| acres.. | 3 | (¹) | (*) | (*) | 4 | ¹ 16 | (*) | (*) |
| Trees of bearing age..... number.. | 38 | (¹) | 3 | (*) | 66 | ¹ 105 | 10 | (*) |
| Trees not of bearing age..... number.. | 60 | | 6 | (*) | 83 | 1,190 | 50 | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... pounds.. | 1,350 | (¹) | 60 | (*) | 1,535 | ¹ 1,860 | 600 | (*) |
| Bananas..... farms reporting.. | 22 | 9 | 17 | (*) | 68 | 111 | 35 | (*) |
| acres.. | 20 | 5 | (*) | (*) | 101 | 113 | (*) | (*) |
| Plants of bearing age..... number.. | 2,018 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 12,512 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Plants not of bearing age..... number.. | 2,020 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 5,351 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... bunches.. | 1,219 | 853 | 358 | 63 | 9,805 | 43,954 | 5,375 | 65 |
| Plantains..... farms reporting.. | 3 | 3 | 2 | (*) | 12 | 36 | 12 | (*) |
| acres.. | 1 | 1 | (*) | (*) | 7 | 19 | (*) | (*) |
| Plants of bearing age..... number.. | 153 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 963 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Plants not of bearing age..... number.. | 182 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 580 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... bunches.. | 116 | 135 | | (*) | 958 | 8,287 | 823 | (*) |
| Pineapples..... farms reporting.. | 6 | 1 | 1 | (*) | 15 | 12 | 5 | (*) |
| acres.. | 1 | (¹) | (*) | (*) | 4 | ¹ 4 | (*) | (*) |
| Plants of bearing age..... number.. | 75 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 1,132 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Plants not of bearing age..... number.. | 98 | (*) | (*) | (*) | 214 | (*) | (*) | (*) |
| Quantity harvested..... boxes.. | 6 | (¹) | ² 50 | (*) | 131 | ¹ 169 | ² 804 | (*) |

*Not available.

¹Figures for St. John included with those for St. Thomas.²For 1929, production of pineapples shown as number of fruits.