

AGRICULTURE—MASSACHUSETTS

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STATE TABLE I.—FARMS, FARM ACREAGE AND VALUE, AND PRINCIPAL CLASSES OF LIVESTOCK ON FARMS AND RANCHES WITH VALUE, 1935, 1930, 1925, 1920, AND 1910; AND FARM LAND ACCORDING TO USE, AND ACREAGE, QUANTITY, AND VALUE OF SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED, 1934, 1929, 1924, 1919, AND 1909

ITEM (For definitions: "Farms reporting", etc., see text)		1935 (Jan. 1)	1930 (Apr. 1)	1925 (Jan. 1)	1920 (Jan. 1)	1910 (Apr. 15)
Farms.....total number..		35,094	25,598	33,454	32,001	36,917
Farm operators, by tenure:						
Full owners.....number..		30,158	21,410	29,594	26,515	30,705
Part owners.....number..		1,958	1,788	1,276	1,572	1,370
Managers.....number..		814	958	979	1,627	1,863
Tenants.....number..		2,164	1,442	1,605	2,287	2,979
All land in farms.....total acres..		2,195,714	2,005,461	2,367,629	2,494,477	2,875,941
By tenure of farm operator:						
Full owners.....acres..		1,739,529	1,517,662	1,942,118	1,878,343	(1)
Part owners.....acres..		167,301	172,530	109,210	143,577	(1)
Managers.....acres..		165,917	215,370	212,477	313,095	330,914
Tenants.....acres..		122,967	99,899	103,824	159,462	201,924
Value of farms (land and buildings).....total dollars..		255,676,839	261,222,390	254,602,941	247,587,831	194,168,765
By tenure of farm operator:						
Full owners.....dollars..		192,923,874	188,370,823	201,235,406	166,964,393	(1)
Part owners.....dollars..		16,459,454	22,816,917	12,096,376	15,134,137	(1)
Managers.....dollars..		33,098,247	38,795,792	31,177,832	50,988,024	36,745,090
Tenants.....dollars..		13,195,264	11,238,858	10,093,327	14,501,277	13,181,877
Principal classes of livestock on farms and ranches:						
Horses.....farms reporting..		14,972	(1)	(1)	23,671	28,173
	number..	26,770	2 24,658	43,537	50,605	2 64,109
	value, dollars..	3,535,210	2 2,906,007	5,279,366	7,771,029	2 8,662,507
Mules.....farms reporting..		138	(1)	(1)	177	155
	number..	201	2 266	525	332	2 264
	value, dollars..	20,632	2 29,765	53,675	44,251	2 43,270
Cattle.....farms reporting..		20,174	17,442	(1)	23,900	27,532
	number..	188,686	2 184,369	188,157	216,099	2 226,845
	value, dollars..	10,281,438	2 16,562,535	11,699,999	20,093,098	2 9,180,876
Sheep.....farms reporting..		582	473	510	939	1,028
	number..	8,216	12,716	10,114	18,880	32,708
	value, dollars..	36,972	110,114	100,484	237,023	156,498
Swine.....farms reporting..		4,767	3,710	6,010	15,489	11,005
	number..	90,238	104,768	57,821	104,192	103,018
	value, dollars..	739,952	1,469,410	980,309	2,339,114	978,989
		1934	1929	1924	1919	1909
Farm land according to use:						
Crop land harvested.....acres..		547,560	474,167	625,068	(1)	(1)
Crop failure (see text).....acres..		7,474	9,917	4,793	(1)	(1)
Crop land, idle or fallow.....acres..		68,403	79,970	47,496	(1)	(1)
Flowable pasture.....acres..		132,842	161,685	95,162	(1)	(1)
Woodland pasture.....acres..		389,564	344,719	452,453	(1)	(1)
Other pasture.....acres..		217,121	246,684	299,277	(1)	(1)
Woodland not pastured.....acres..		638,160	517,850	637,469	(1)	(1)
All other land in farms.....acres..		194,530	170,469	175,911	(1)	(1)
Specified crops harvested:						
Wheat threshed.....farms reporting..		19	38	(1)	703	81
	acres..	97	172	215	1,876	109
	bushels..	1,295	3,625	4,028	33,253	2,404
	value, dollars..	1,554	4,959	6,567	76,484	2,515
Oats threshed.....farms reporting..		295	252	(1)	2,214	2,181
	acres..	1,906	1,341	2,250	9,533	7,927
	bushels..	66,562	39,704	82,668	287,881	268,500
	value, dollars..	42,600	26,998	57,870	302,276	157,381
Barley threshed.....farms reporting..		21	25	54	260	197
	acres..	56	63	205	509	349
	bushels..	1,894	1,504	5,118	11,832	9,021
	value, dollars..	1,420	1,430	5,886	18,930	7,177
Rye threshed.....farms reporting..		95	117	198	1,192	1,304
	acres..	215	300	599	3,062	3,476
	bushels..	3,232	5,364	9,947	46,261	59,183
	value, dollars..	2,909	6,089	15,319	87,896	52,396
Mixed grains threshed.....farms reporting..		19	47	(1)	30	(1)
	acres..	70	203	(1)	124	(1)
	bushels..	2,250	4,767	(1)	3,209	(1)
	value, dollars..	1,462	3,909	(1)	4,815	(1)
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..		7,744	7,736	9,076	(1)	(1)
	acres..	36,798	37,857	39,454	(1)	(1)
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..		3,111	2,790	3,758	10,937	14,755
	acres..	8,553	8,050	9,454	28,953	41,755
	bushels..	357,329	349,387	425,780	1,515,933	2,029,381
	value, dollars..	323,743	387,430	574,804	2,880,274	1,372,144
Tobacco.....farms reporting..		520	1,033	1,372	1,293	910
	acres..	3,280	8,095	10,035	9,109	5,521
	pounds..	5,411,107	11,610,993	14,074,156	14,282,589	9,549,306
	value, dollars..	1,417,710	4,701,028	3,940,764	4,713,255	1,218,060
Irish potatoes (all varieties).....farms reporting..		19,486	11,785	15,865	22,813	24,757
	acres..	18,688	9,719	12,909	21,558	24,459
	bushels..	2,584,184	992,273	1,636,390	1,885,655	2,946,178
	value, dollars..	1,757,245	1,770,470	1,618,936	4,619,855	1,993,923
All hay, and sorghums for forage.....total acres..		374,265	325,400	477,827	3 421,715	4 408,024
	total tons..	458,525	421,206	501,423	3 546,356	4 643,823
	value, dollars..	8,405,794	6,681,190	10,780,599	3 16,947,457	4 10,343,734

1 Not available.

2 Figures exclude young animals born between Jan. 1 of the census year and the date of enumeration.

3 Does not include sorghums for silage.

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