

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1940

TABLE 17.—NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING VALUE OF SPECIFIED CLASSES OF FARM PROPERTY WITH AVERAGE VALUES PER FARM REPORTING, BY DIVISIONS AND STATES: 1940 AND 1930

| DIVISION AND STATE | FARMS REPORTING VALUE OF— | | | | | | | | | | AVERAGE VALUE PER FARM REPORTING (DOLLARS) | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|-------|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------|--|-------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Land and buildings ¹ | | Buildings | | | | Implements and machinery | | | | Buildings | | Implements and machinery | |
| | 1940 | 1930 | 1940 | 1930 | Percent of all farms | | 1940 | 1930 | Percent of all farms | | 1940 | 1930 | 1940 | 1930 |
| | | | | | 1940 | 1930 | | | 1940 | 1930 | | | | |
| United States | 6,096,799 | 6,288,648 | 5,898,400 | 5,971,535 | 96.7 | 95.0 | 5,015,252 | 5,529,424 | 82.5 | 87.9 | 1,764 | 2,189 | 610 | 597 |
| GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| New England | 185,190 | 124,925 | 152,454 | 122,079 | 98.0 | 97.7 | 104,219 | 109,414 | 77.1 | 87.6 | 3,187 | 4,094 | 707 | 840 |
| Middle Atlantic | 548,100 | 357,603 | 342,899 | 349,228 | 98.4 | 97.7 | 296,555 | 320,213 | 85.2 | 89.5 | 5,381 | 4,397 | 988 | 1,110 |
| East North Central | 1,006,095 | 986,502 | 985,549 | 945,079 | 98.0 | 97.6 | 859,452 | 879,319 | 88.3 | 90.7 | 2,776 | 3,558 | 816 | 714 |
| West North Central | 1,090,574 | 1,112,755 | 1,050,486 | 1,075,232 | 96.3 | 96.6 | 975,896 | 1,044,277 | 89.5 | 93.8 | 2,355 | 3,269 | 894 | 1,045 |
| South Atlantic | 1,019,451 | 1,059,488 | 985,354 | 999,466 | 96.7 | 94.4 | 798,505 | 904,322 | 73.7 | 82.7 | 1,151 | 1,276 | 258 | 224 |
| East South Central | 1,023,349 | 1,062,214 | 987,785 | 989,435 | 96.5 | 95.1 | 753,824 | 878,324 | 73.7 | 82.7 | 728 | 819 | 213 | 179 |
| West South Central | 984,370 | 1,105,154 | 928,601 | 1,019,878 | 96.3 | 92.5 | 797,807 | 983,184 | 82.7 | 87.3 | 827 | 971 | 417 | 349 |
| Mountain | 253,497 | 241,514 | 219,750 | 225,028 | 94.1 | 93.3 | 200,747 | 213,779 | 86.0 | 88.6 | 1,592 | 1,688 | 899 | 987 |
| Pacific | 276,173 | 261,735 | 265,744 | 248,108 | 96.2 | 94.8 | 221,258 | 218,995 | 80.1 | 83.7 | 2,444 | 2,972 | 1,055 | 1,045 |
| NEW ENGLAND: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Maine | 59,980 | 59,006 | 58,247 | 58,131 | 98.1 | 97.8 | 30,321 | 34,138 | 77.8 | 87.5 | 1,777 | 2,587 | 647 | 851 |
| New Hampshire | 16,554 | 14,906 | 16,232 | 14,480 | 98.1 | 97.1 | 12,432 | 13,041 | 75.1 | 87.5 | 2,445 | 3,120 | 544 | 695 |
| Vermont | 24,898 | 24,898 | 25,270 | 24,801 | 98.7 | 98.8 | 19,875 | 22,759 | 84.3 | 91.3 | 2,853 | 3,346 | 788 | 915 |
| Massachusetts | 51,897 | 25,598 | 30,976 | 24,826 | 97.1 | 97.0 | 22,947 | 22,034 | 71.9 | 86.1 | 3,899 | 5,781 | 724 | 850 |
| Rhode Island | 5,014 | 3,322 | 2,929 | 3,217 | 97.2 | 96.8 | 2,783 | 2,783 | 79.3 | 85.8 | 4,951 | 5,562 | 913 | 977 |
| Connecticut | 21,165 | 17,195 | 20,800 | 16,924 | 98.3 | 97.8 | 16,254 | 14,679 | 76.8 | 85.4 | 5,297 | 6,897 | 795 | 845 |
| MIDDLE ATLANTIC: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| New York | 153,239 | 159,806 | 150,722 | 156,519 | 98.4 | 97.9 | 133,402 | 145,063 | 87.1 | 90.8 | 3,574 | 4,575 | 1,037 | 1,197 |
| New Jersey | 25,885 | 25,378 | 25,274 | 24,484 | 97.8 | 96.5 | 20,878 | 22,051 | 80.8 | 86.6 | 4,714 | 5,978 | 1,228 | 1,229 |
| Pennsylvania | 169,027 | 172,419 | 166,703 | 168,225 | 98.6 | 97.6 | 142,285 | 153,119 | 84.2 | 88.8 | 3,005 | 4,003 | 907 | 1,011 |
| EAST NORTH CENTRAL: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ohio | 233,783 | 219,296 | 228,511 | 215,127 | 97.7 | 97.2 | 186,824 | 195,173 | 80.8 | 88.1 | 2,735 | 3,101 | 637 | 534 |
| Indiana | 184,549 | 181,570 | 181,025 | 175,788 | 98.1 | 96.8 | 156,436 | 159,628 | 84.8 | 87.9 | 2,341 | 2,599 | 681 | 544 |
| Illinois | 213,439 | 214,497 | 207,898 | 209,069 | 97.4 | 97.5 | 188,394 | 198,038 | 88.3 | 92.3 | 3,079 | 3,785 | 981 | 810 |
| Michigan | 187,589 | 169,372 | 183,551 | 165,818 | 97.8 | 97.9 | 162,102 | 155,069 | 86.4 | 91.6 | 2,476 | 3,152 | 750 | 681 |
| Wisconsin | 186,735 | 181,767 | 184,566 | 179,279 | 98.8 | 98.6 | 172,676 | 171,010 | 92.5 | 94.1 | 3,210 | 4,161 | 1,007 | 996 |
| WEST NORTH CENTRAL: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Minnesota | 197,551 | 185,255 | 192,239 | 181,602 | 97.4 | 98.0 | 160,829 | 174,773 | 91.7 | 94.3 | 2,858 | 3,696 | 1,069 | 1,040 |
| Iowa | 213,318 | 214,928 | 209,040 | 209,443 | 98.0 | 97.4 | 195,455 | 202,295 | 91.6 | 94.1 | 3,803 | 4,954 | 1,239 | 1,337 |
| Missouri | 256,100 | 255,940 | 250,177 | 247,812 | 97.7 | 96.8 | 214,710 | 254,228 | 83.9 | 91.5 | 1,377 | 1,979 | 405 | 404 |
| North Dakota | 75,962 | 77,975 | 68,620 | 74,455 | 92.8 | 95.5 | 67,446 | 74,588 | 91.2 | 95.4 | 2,046 | 3,105 | 1,140 | 1,596 |
| South Dakota | 72,454 | 83,157 | 68,677 | 79,298 | 94.8 | 95.4 | 66,476 | 79,116 | 91.7 | 95.1 | 1,948 | 3,176 | 902 | 1,357 |
| Nebraska | 121,062 | 129,458 | 116,084 | 124,634 | 95.9 | 96.3 | 112,684 | 123,183 | 93.1 | 95.2 | 2,212 | 3,583 | 867 | 1,225 |
| Kansas | 156,327 | 166,042 | 145,649 | 157,988 | 95.2 | 95.1 | 138,196 | 156,296 | 88.4 | 94.1 | 1,770 | 2,447 | 834 | 1,074 |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Delaware | 8,994 | 9,707 | 8,652 | 9,269 | 98.4 | 95.5 | 7,049 | 8,874 | 78.4 | 91.4 | 3,170 | 3,421 | 815 | 821 |
| Maryland | 42,110 | 43,205 | 41,257 | 42,010 | 98.0 | 97.2 | 34,066 | 36,523 | 80.9 | 86.7 | 3,134 | 3,754 | 631 | 670 |
| Dist. of Columbia | 65 | 104 | 61 | 104 | 93.8 | 100.0 | 42 | 92 | 64.6 | 88.6 | 9,733 | 9,645 | 1,945 | 1,009 |
| Virginia | 174,885 | 170,610 | 170,166 | 164,405 | 97.3 | 96.4 | 128,539 | 145,893 | 75.5 | 85.4 | 1,648 | 1,958 | 295 | 304 |
| West Virginia | 99,282 | 82,641 | 97,900 | 80,496 | 98.6 | 97.4 | 73,631 | 66,334 | 74.2 | 80.3 | 1,080 | 1,481 | 202 | 250 |
| North Carolina | 278,276 | 279,708 | 268,264 | 266,041 | 96.4 | 95.1 | 209,198 | 240,671 | 75.2 | 85.0 | 924 | 1,016 | 217 | 175 |
| South Carolina | 187,558 | 157,351 | 133,528 | 148,727 | 97.1 | 94.2 | 111,267 | 135,734 | 80.9 | 85.9 | 849 | 800 | 217 | 158 |
| Georgia | 216,033 | 255,598 | 210,395 | 238,697 | 97.4 | 95.4 | 188,348 | 223,843 | 87.2 | 87.6 | 765 | 764 | 189 | 139 |
| Florida | 62,248 | 58,966 | 54,911 | 49,717 | 88.2 | 84.3 | 44,565 | 44,758 | 71.3 | 75.9 | 1,242 | 1,418 | 459 | 345 |
| EAST SOUTH CENTRAL: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kentucky | 252,894 | 246,499 | 246,052 | 229,308 | 97.3 | 95.0 | 192,184 | 195,455 | 76.0 | 79.3 | 1,042 | 1,206 | 216 | 187 |
| Tennessee | 247,617 | 245,657 | 237,994 | 230,070 | 96.1 | 95.7 | 187,450 | 207,362 | 75.7 | 84.4 | 899 | 989 | 262 | 221 |
| Alabama | 231,746 | 257,395 | 224,688 | 242,729 | 97.0 | 94.3 | 186,681 | 224,507 | 80.6 | 87.2 | 522 | 611 | 159 | 149 |
| Mississippi | 291,092 | 312,665 | 279,081 | 287,328 | 95.9 | 91.9 | 167,509 | 251,002 | 64.4 | 80.3 | 464 | 549 | 215 | 166 |
| WEST SOUTH CENTRAL: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Arkansas | 216,674 | 242,334 | 210,040 | 225,204 | 96.9 | 92.9 | 167,909 | 205,159 | 77.5 | 83.8 | 554 | 621 | 223 | 165 |
| Louisiana | 150,007 | 161,445 | 145,128 | 151,278 | 96.7 | 93.7 | 122,631 | 140,329 | 81.8 | 88.9 | 630 | 692 | 292 | 201 |
| Oklahoma | 179,687 | 205,866 | 178,510 | 190,847 | 96.6 | 93.6 | 152,735 | 183,581 | 85.0 | 90.0 | 616 | 1,108 | 514 | 506 |
| Texas | 418,002 | 495,489 | 399,923 | 452,549 | 95.7 | 91.3 | 354,532 | 436,115 | 84.8 | 88.0 | 1,046 | 1,181 | 510 | 418 |
| MOUNTAIN: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Montana | 41,823 | 47,495 | 40,146 | 45,860 | 96.0 | 96.6 | 38,134 | 44,486 | 91.2 | 93.7 | 1,659 | 1,846 | 1,133 | 1,395 |
| Idaho | 43,683 | 41,674 | 41,952 | 39,452 | 96.1 | 94.7 | 37,941 | 37,343 | 86.9 | 89.6 | 1,723 | 1,952 | 1,111 | 1,064 |
| Wyoming | 15,018 | 16,011 | 14,548 | 15,455 | 96.9 | 96.5 | 13,320 | 14,742 | 88.7 | 92.1 | 2,017 | 2,098 | 1,149 | 1,195 |
| Colorado | 51,436 | 59,956 | 49,060 | 56,568 | 95.4 | 94.3 | 44,829 | 55,496 | 87.2 | 89.2 | 1,729 | 2,095 | 870 | 839 |
| New Mexico | 34,105 | 31,404 | 31,491 | 28,559 | 92.3 | 90.9 | 28,222 | 26,515 | 82.8 | 84.4 | 897 | 950 | 539 | 490 |
| Arizona | 18,468 | 14,173 | 17,260 | 12,172 | 93.5 | 85.9 | 14,388 | 10,969 | 77.9 | 77.4 | 1,338 | 1,921 | 692 | 949 |
| Utah | 25,411 | 27,159 | 23,684 | 25,684 | 96.5 | 97.2 | 20,775 | 23,143 | 81.8 | 85.2 | 1,641 | 1,979 | 575 | 589 |
| Nevada | 3,573 | 3,442 | 3,325 | 3,278 | 93.1 | 95.2 | 3,139 | 3,085 | 87.8 | 89.6 | 2,809 | 3,187 | 1,186 | 1,368 |
| PACIFIC: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Washington | 81,886 | 70,904 | 80,610 | 69,081 | 98.7 | 97.4 | 68,357 | 60,404 | 83.7 | 85.2 | 1,917 | 2,385 | 821 | 866 |
| Oregon | 81,829 | 55,153 | 60,489 | 53,599 | 97.8 | 97.2 | 51,449 | 48,701 | 83.2 | 88.3 | 1,905 | 2,405 | 867 | 874 |
| California | 132,658 | 135,876 | 124,645 | 125,428 | 94.0 | 92.4 | 101,452 | 109,890 | 78.5 | 81.0 | 3,046 | 3,534 | 1,304 | 1,255 |

¹ Number of farms reporting value of land and buildings equivalent to total number of farms. For 1940, includes 489 farms having no land owned or leased for which a value was not given; for 1930, a nominal value of \$5 was given for each such farm.