

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE—ILLINOIS

STATE TABLE 16.—VEGETABLES HARVESTED FOR SALE, FARM GARDENS, AND HORTICULTURAL SPECIALTIES: 1909 TO 1939

ITEM (For definitions and explanations, see text)	1939	1934	1929	1924	1919	1909 <sup>1</sup>
Vegetables harvested for sale (excluding Irish and sweet potatoes) <sup>2</sup> .....	farms reporting.. 9,486 acres..... 101,181 value, dollars... 4,830,926	( <sup>3</sup> ) 147,519 ( <sup>3</sup> )	14,839 118,597 8,828,301	( <sup>4</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	14,974 59,042 6,179,767	( <sup>5</sup> ) 54,915 3,154,675
Asparagus.....	farms reporting.. 1,452 acres..... 5,019 value, dollars... 534,025	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	2,270 4,664 676,928	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	703 2,128 334,576	609 2,241 181,557
Beans, lima (green).....	farms reporting.. 546 acres..... 1,496 value, dollars... 106,353	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	212 99 17,823	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	( <sup>4</sup> ) ( <sup>4</sup> ) ( <sup>4</sup> )	( <sup>4</sup> ) ( <sup>4</sup> ) ( <sup>4</sup> )
Beans, snap, string, or wax.....	farms reporting.. 1,492 acres..... 1,839 value, dollars... 98,164	3,534 4,893 ( <sup>3</sup> )	3,740 2,976 363,667	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	2,930 1,209 157,160	476 798 49,255
Beets (table).....	farms reporting.. 953 acres..... 756 value, dollars... 67,006	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	277 231 39,057	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	358 219 33,001	146 234 18,693
Cabbage.....	farms reporting.. 1,546 acres..... 3,207 value, dollars... 197,134	2,980 6,099 ( <sup>3</sup> )	3,473 4,491 585,788	3,239 3,844 ( <sup>5</sup> )	3,697 3,782 481,270	1,740 5,207 341,161
Cantaloups, muskmelons, honeydews, etc. <sup>5</sup> .....	farms reporting.. 1,120 acres..... 2,651 value, dollars... 114,950	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	1,551 2,190 173,417	1,410 2,455 ( <sup>5</sup> )	1,278 1,481 193,019	927 2,332 139,165
Carrots.....	farms reporting.. 1,213 acres..... 1,777 value, dollars... 188,332	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	375 396 65,273	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	515 372 81,293	226 370 34,607
Cauliflower.....	farms reporting.. 177 acres..... 159 value, dollars... 19,703	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	41 61 11,363	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	109 159 29,277	112 227 32,690
Corn, sweet.....	farms reporting.. 4,394 acres..... 43,598 value, dollars... 1,086,064	6,992 68,729 ( <sup>3</sup> )	6,183 64,587 2,013,391	5,641 43,965 ( <sup>5</sup> )	4,263 26,643 1,055,497	2,431 19,976 558,746
Cucumbers.....	farms reporting.. 1,711 acres..... 2,088 value, dollars... 164,773	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	2,934 2,395 349,018	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	2,645 2,418 451,608	2,645 2,981 234,203
Eggplant.....	farms reporting.. 370 acres..... 210 value, dollars... 18,061	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	48 37 6,699	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	55 38 7,169	9 11 1,237
Horseradish.....	farms reporting.. 18,061 acres..... 342 value, dollars... 1,731	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	188 908 130,010	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	77 123 29,501	70 123 25,941
Lettuce.....	farms reporting.. 167,802 acres..... 435 value, dollars... 33,527	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	859 373 89,506	937 504 ( <sup>5</sup> )	1,056 533 238,904	114 231 153,784
Onions (dry).....	farms reporting.. 1,051 acres..... 2,021 value, dollars... 213,572	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	2,600 4,246 954,512	2,457 5,286 ( <sup>5</sup> )	3,710 4,499 855,946	1,136 3,315 546,951
Onions (green) and shallots.....	farms reporting.. 161 acres..... 267 value, dollars... 46,472	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	138 183 45,956	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	21 26 5,959	..... ..... .....
Parsnips.....	farms reporting.. 236 acres..... 393 value, dollars... 42,548	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	73 87 17,019	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	128 83 16,856	65 105 8,518
Peas (green).....	farms reporting.. 764 acres..... 11,505 value, dollars... 442,945	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	1,418 8,176 481,118	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	1,453 1,755 156,544	340 2,621 54,626
Peppers, sweet, and pimientos.....	farms reporting.. 844 acres..... 684 value, dollars... 51,668	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	327 289 41,761	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	343 339 48,696	44 101 14,926
Pumpkins.....	farms reporting.. 274 acres..... 2,564 value, dollars... 104,309	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	98 473 20,921	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	51 112 4,855	12 89 1,441
Radishes.....	farms reporting.. 170 acres..... 198 value, dollars... 27,694	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	86 90 21,806	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	176 149 44,726	77 152 23,432
Spinach.....	farms reporting.. 557 acres..... 822 value, dollars... 71,891	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	1,094 1,327 191,251	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	115 124 18,430	71 172 19,393
Squash.....	farms reporting.. 361 acres..... 748 value, dollars... 34,474	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	117 292 26,172	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	97 171 15,139	33 84 6,393
Tomatoes.....	farms reporting.. 3,985 acres..... 9,935 value, dollars... 716,594	6,576 16,975 ( <sup>3</sup> )	6,516 9,568 1,172,577	4,851 8,139 ( <sup>5</sup> )	5,899 6,282 1,052,088	2,339 5,316 343,132
Turnips.....	farms reporting.. 166 acres..... 242 value, dollars... 15,269	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	100 93 6,715	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	92 50 3,809	336 677 28,192
Watermelons.....	farms reporting.. 1,000 acres..... 5,806 value, dollars... 144,865	3,046 10,494 ( <sup>3</sup> )	1,491 4,685 229,472	1,797 6,210 ( <sup>5</sup> )	1,520 3,852 289,606	1,192 6,211 188,869
Mixed vegetables.....	farms reporting.. 190 acres..... 655 value, dollars... 63,784	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	1,452 4,758 914,985	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	779 1,702 388,035	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )
Value of vegetables, excluding Irish and sweet potatoes, grown for home use (see text).....	farms reporting.. 181,152 value, dollars... 6,009,490	162,183 2,187,642	167,778 7,519,164	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	7,209,892 12,405,254	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )
Any horticultural specialties.....	farms reporting.. 1,645	( <sup>3</sup> )	1,249	( <sup>5</sup> )	( <sup>5</sup> )	( <sup>5</sup> )
Crops grown under glass (flowers, plants, and vegetables) and propagated mushrooms.....	farms reporting.. 876 square feet..... 15,957,899 sales, dollars... 6,870,429	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	824 ( <sup>3</sup> ) 7,886,780	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	1,104 19,626,091 9,978,606	10 670 10 15,950,853 10 3,694,801
Nursery products (trees, shrubs, vines, ornamentals, etc.).....	farms reporting.. 280 acres..... 4,289 sales, dollars... 1,656,502	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	11 578 ( <sup>3</sup> ) 11 2,717,336	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	155 1,869 760,092	258 3,454 822,284
Flower and vegetable seeds, bulbs, and flowers and plants grown in the open.....	farms reporting.. 893 acres..... 4,329 sales, dollars... 878,691	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> ) ( <sup>3</sup> )	( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> ) ( <sup>5</sup> )	..... ..... .....	( <sup>5</sup> ) ..... 12 194,626

<sup>1</sup>Vegetables produced on tracts of 1 acre or more for sale or for home use. <sup>2</sup>Including vegetables not shown separately or not included in "Mixed vegetables." <sup>3</sup>Not available. <sup>4</sup>Green lima beans included with snap, string, or wax beans. <sup>5</sup>Honeydews not specified for years prior to 1939. <sup>6</sup>Hot peppers included with sweet peppers and pimientos. <sup>7</sup>Includes Irish and sweet potatoes grown for home use. <sup>8</sup>Includes flowers grown in the open. <sup>9</sup>Mushrooms not included. <sup>10</sup>Flowers and foliage plants in greenhouses and in the open. <sup>11</sup>Trees, plants, vines, etc., in nurseries; flower and vegetable seeds; and bulbs. <sup>12</sup>Value of flower and vegetable seeds.