

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1945

Table 6.—CORN FOR ALL PURPOSES—FARMS REPORTING AND ACREAGE, 1924 TO 1944;

[Sweet corn (except for silage primarily), popcorn,

REGION, DIVISION, AND STATE	FARMS REPORTING									ACREAGE					Percent increase or decrease (-)		
	1944	1939	1934	1929	1924	Percent of all farms			1944	1939	1934	1929	1924	1939- 1944	1934- 1939	1929- 1934	
						1944	1939	1934									
United States.....	3,922,854	4,456,259	4,849,724	4,597,949	4,760,457	67.0	73.1	71.2	92,259,098	86,989,626	87,476,444	97,740,740	98,401,627	6.1	-0.6	-10.5	
The North.....	1,745,384	1,900,055	2,005,805	1,961,155	2,122,630	70.3	73.6	71.1	82,879,782	52,107,655	51,904,599	64,772,029	64,959,212	20.7	0.4	-19.9	
The South.....	2,118,021	2,464,287	2,765,802	2,543,187	2,534,480	73.5	81.9	80.8	27,933,873	33,425,127	34,438,435	30,547,053	30,963,871	16.4	-2.9	12.4	
The West.....	59,449	91,917	78,117	93,607	103,347	12.0	18.0	13.7	1,445,443	1,456,844	1,133,410	2,321,658	2,476,544	-0.8	26.5	-51.2	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:																	
New England.....	27,909	33,360	42,874	35,810	44,269	13.6	24.7	27.1	187,944	190,382	202,633	175,849	201,166	-1.3	-6.1	15.2	
Middle Atlantic.....	214,060	237,399	273,988	236,958	278,515	61.6	68.2	68.9	2,316,078	2,180,098	2,201,746	1,957,962	2,123,487	6.2	-1.0	12.5	
East North Central.....	733,736	810,248	882,961	782,790	863,961	76.9	80.5	81.5	21,748,767	18,956,982	19,430,573	19,407,946	20,205,134	14.7	-2.4	0.1	
West North Central.....	769,679	819,048	805,982	905,597	935,885	74.6	75.1	68.3	38,626,993	30,780,243	30,069,647	43,230,273	42,429,425	25.5	2.4	-30.4	
South Atlantic.....	836,557	993,795	905,508	960,059	960,059	60.2	66.2	66.6	9,882,941	11,545,829	11,874,728	9,977,864	10,597,156	-14.4	-2.8	19.0	
East South Central.....	774,496	898,308	1,016,049	881,899	864,751	80.7	87.3	89.3	10,046,666	11,523,356	12,389,732	10,293,675	10,787,355	-12.8	-7.0	20.4	
West South Central.....	506,968	692,428	755,958	755,720	709,670	57.8	71.8	66.4	8,004,266	10,358,942	10,173,975	10,375,514	9,579,360	-22.7	1.8	-1.9	
Mountain.....	47,597	65,267	53,061	67,585	80,042	22.4	28.0	19.6	1,330,913	1,262,629	989,059	2,145,448	2,300,617	5.4	27.7	-53.9	
Pacific.....	11,852	26,650	25,056	26,022	23,305	4.2	9.6	8.4	114,530	194,215	144,351	176,210	177,927	-41.0	34.5	-18.1	
NEW ENGLAND:																	
Maine.....	2,702	5,652	5,272	4,281	4,215	6.4	14.5	12.6	9,761	17,169	12,887	12,294	11,329	-43.1	33.2	4.8	
New Hampshire.....	2,640	3,199	4,707	3,319	3,319	14.1	19.3	26.6	13,060	14,423	15,835	12,054	12,998	-9.5	-8.9	31.4	
Vermont.....	8,571	10,402	13,871	10,576	14,195	32.4	44.1	51.3	64,641	67,573	76,426	59,567	79,495	-4.6	-13.8	31.7	
Massachusetts.....	6,657	6,341	7,744	7,736	9,076	18.0	19.9	22.1	43,707	40,369	36,798	37,857	39,454	8.3	9.7	-2.8	
Rhode Island.....	874	919	1,254	1,419	1,650	24.3	30.5	29.0	8,638	7,455	7,264	8,089	8,077	15.9	2.6	-10.2	
Connecticut.....	6,465	6,847	10,026	8,479	11,322	29.1	32.4	31.2	48,317	43,943	51,423	45,988	49,813	11.5	-15.7	11.8	
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:																	
New York.....	77,108	92,458	108,091	89,491	109,883	51.6	60.3	61.1	690,068	683,644	698,360	557,873	652,716	0.9	-2.1	25.2	
New Jersey.....	14,072	13,763	17,176	14,579	17,619	53.7	53.3	56.5	204,918	175,003	165,115	169,306	190,549	17.1	-5.5	9.3	
Pennsylvania.....	122,880	131,178	148,719	132,888	151,013	71.5	77.6	77.7	1,421,092	1,321,451	1,318,271	1,230,783	1,280,222	7.5	0.2	7.1	
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:																	
Ohio.....	166,715	186,486	208,442	182,103	197,463	75.6	79.8	79.7	3,609,323	3,352,020	3,316,816	3,473,143	3,362,926	7.7	1.1	-4.5	
Indiana.....	132,183	149,552	164,771	150,714	165,170	75.1	81.0	82.0	4,553,915	4,033,822	4,060,646	4,220,981	4,361,021	12.9	-0.7	-3.8	
Illinois.....	170,126	184,007	195,012	188,204	199,988	83.3	86.2	84.3	9,140,190	7,765,681	7,804,612	8,574,608	8,778,334	17.4	-0.2	-9.0	
Michigan.....	119,731	135,642	148,391	116,059	144,743	68.3	72.3	75.5	1,777,871	1,564,602	1,587,601	1,197,434	1,560,789	13.6	-1.4	32.6	
Wisconsin.....	144,981	154,561	171,345	145,710	156,597	81.6	82.8	85.7	2,667,469	2,220,857	2,660,898	1,941,830	2,142,064	20.1	-16.5	37.0	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:																	
Minnesota.....	144,393	153,032	160,512	142,552	151,380	75.9	77.5	79.0	5,772,879	4,425,113	4,757,503	4,358,576	4,594,745	30.5	-7.0	9.2	
Iowa.....	189,663	196,190	200,491	197,095	198,313	90.8	92.0	90.3	10,992,766	9,330,820	9,357,848	11,047,539	10,906,696	17.8	-0.3	-15.3	
Missouri.....	163,513	189,513	201,505	209,093	216,385	67.3	74.0	72.4	4,657,617	4,222,344	4,848,383	5,566,045	6,054,554	10.3	-12.9	-12.9	
North Dakota.....	36,128	42,591	42,072	36,096	47,629	52.0	57.5	49.7	1,244,979	1,073,905	1,330,045	1,004,606	1,320,302	15.9	-19.3	32.4	
South Dakota.....	55,139	52,700	39,285	72,162	70,898	60.3	72.7	47.2	3,899,307	2,684,166	2,238,394	5,094,809	4,815,162	43.0	19.9	-56.1	
Nebraska.....	97,288	101,779	75,611	116,982	116,329	87.1	84.1	56.6	8,680,668	6,304,968	4,515,528	9,516,194	8,717,542	37.2	39.6	-52.5	
Kansas.....	84,555	83,243	86,506	131,617	135,001	59.9	53.2	49.5	3,468,757	2,738,927	3,021,406	6,642,501	6,020,524	26.6	-9.4	-54.5	
SOUTH ATLANTIC:																	
Delaware.....	7,015	7,523	8,807	8,465	8,904	75.5	83.6	84.8	141,654	137,583	138,783	133,012	136,214	3.0	-0.9	4.3	
Maryland.....	30,284	32,116	35,544	35,245	38,470	73.4	76.3	80.0	501,382	468,655	480,601	498,868	515,538	2.6	1.7	-3.7	
District of Columbia.....	7	11	14	27	38	17.5	16.9	15.7	198	254	321	376	279	-22.0	-20.9	-14.6	
Virginia.....	125,986	140,771	161,994	146,469	164,052	72.8	80.5	82.0	1,213,006	1,331,691	1,415,903	1,453,676	1,435,149	-9.9	-5.9	-2.6	
West Virginia.....	63,978	77,760	89,070	67,019	65,617	65.6	78.3	85.0	332,452	430,532	528,847	434,426	436,286	-22.8	-18.7	22.0	
North Carolina.....	253,897	254,028	275,396	248,309	254,431	82.3	91.3	91.5	2,275,760	2,458,076	2,429,049	1,985,111	2,009,048	-7.4	1.2	22.4	
South Carolina.....	131,310	130,169	152,918	139,470	158,280	88.9	94.6	92.4	1,499,984	1,761,480	1,764,166	1,392,388	1,529,397	-14.8	-0.2	26.4	
Georgia.....	192,933	202,586	232,038	226,962	230,770	85.4	93.8	92.6	3,251,140	4,233,352	4,398,659	3,431,902	3,871,084	-23.2	-3.8	28.2	
Florida.....	31,145	33,587	38,014	33,548	35,507	50.9	54.0	52.2	687,365	704,206	717,399	648,085	592,161	-5.2	-1.8	10.7	
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:																	
Kentucky.....	183,605	210,833	238,927	204,567	220,808	77.0	83.4	85.8	2,422,405	2,532,427	2,658,066	2,843,222	2,898,307	-4.3	-11.4	0.5	
Tennessee.....	180,168	203,768	235,462	209,755	217,910	76.9	82.3	86.0	2,379,734	2,523,607	2,658,517	2,816,275	2,984,027	-7.9	-9.6	1.5	
Alabama.....	190,698	216,188	256,409	232,755	222,167	85.4	93.3	98.0	2,818,111	3,449,824	3,648,657	2,635,362	2,788,773	-18.3	-5.5	30.4	
Mississippi.....	220,025	262,519	285,231	234,622	204,166	89.5	90.2	91.5	2,426,416	2,957,498	3,024,492	1,998,796	2,116,248	-18.0	-2.2	51.3	
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:																	
Arkansas.....	127,929	174,397	203,168	175,726	173,773	64.4	80.5	80.3	1,588,921	2,236,908	2,373,257	1,865,763	1,990,762	-29.0	-5.7	27.2	
Louisiana.....	94,360	129,629	145,070	122,996	98,637	73.0	86.4	85.2	1,110,518	1,630,715	1,596,078	1,189,359	1,172,362	-31.9	2.2	34.2	
Oklahoma.....	84,978	108,810	99,981	141,861	140,743	51.6	60.6	46.9	1,580,192	1,787,844	1,567,203	3,069,645	2,729,635	-11.6	14.1	-48.9	
Texas.....	199,701	279,592	307,739	315,197	296,497	51.9	66.9	61.4	3,724,635	4,700,475	4,637,435	4,250,747	3,686,581	-20.8	1.4	9.1	
MOUNTAIN:																	
Montana.....	4,618	7,788	5,164	6,360	17,091	12.2	18.5	10.2	157,000	144,384	105,649	133,851	398,420	8.7	36.7	-21.1	
Idaho.....	2,898	6,546	4,514	4,856	7,361	6.8	15.0	10.0	23,713	45,427	26,736	31,844	63,324	-47.8	69.9	-16.0	
Wyoming.....	2,143	3,899	3,357	4,546	5,866	16.4	26.0	19.2	68,206	119,953	104,442	158,919	179,523	-43.1	14.9	-34.3	
Colorado.....	20,198	19,785	18,424	28,628	28,151	42.4	38.5	28.9	842,817	715,321	624,272	1,528,539	1,396,019	17.8	14.6	-59.2	
New Mexico.....	13,117	17,239	12,867	16,559	15,878	44.2	50.5	31.1	182,774	176,559	80,932	248,357	215,811	8.5	118.2	-67.4	

FIELD CROPS AND VEGETABLES

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AND VALUE, 1944 AND 1939; BY DIVISIONS AND STATES

"Egyptian corn," kafir, and milo maize not included

REGION, DIVISION, AND STATE	ACREAGE--Continued												VALUE (DOLLARS)						
	Rank				Percent of crop-land harvested				Percent harvested for grain				1944	1939	Average per acre		Percent of total value of specified crops		
	1944	1939	1934	1929	1924	1944	1939	1934	1944	1939	1934	1929			1924	1944	1939	1944	1939
United States.....	---	---	---	---	---	26.1	27.1	29.6	91.4	89.0	71.2	85.1	83.7	3,291,109,143	1,475,003,617	35.67	16.96	22.8	26.2
The North.....	1	1	1	1	2	29.6	27.9	31.3	89.7	85.0	54.6	80.5	78.3	2,554,363,950	1,094,424,307	40.62	21.00	36.7	38.5
The South.....	2	2	2	2	1	27.3	32.4	33.8	96.5	96.5	97.1	95.7	96.7	705,994,527	364,577,220	25.27	10.91	13.8	18.0
The West.....	3	3	3	3	3	3.8	4.6	4.1	67.9	61.2	43.6	73.1	61.5	30,750,666	16,002,090	21.27	10.98	1.3	2.1
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:																			
New England.....	8	9	8	9	8	4.7	5.6	5.0	12.7	17.3	22.4	17.7	20.9	10,603,410	8,944,049	56.42	46.99	3.8	7.2
Middle Atlantic.....	6	6	6	7	6	15.0	16.2	14.8	59.8	63.1	63.9	60.8	62.9	110,184,251	70,734,985	47.57	32.45	14.0	18.4
East North Central.....	2	2	2	2	4	35.6	34.2	34.6	89.5	89.4	81.7	80.7	76.4	982,689,789	483,859,210	45.18	25.52	39.8	44.5
West North Central.....	1	1	1	1	2	29.1	26.9	32.1	92.0	84.2	36.5	81.5	80.3	1,450,886,500	530,826,063	37.56	17.25	42.3	42.6
South Atlantic.....	4	3	4	5	1	35.9	40.8	42.4	94.4	96.4	98.1	95.3	96.3	279,100,315	134,666,960	28.24	11.66	14.1	17.1
East South Central.....	3	4	3	4	3	42.2	45.2	48.2	98.0	98.1	99.4	96.3	96.5	276,444,264	137,173,695	27.52	11.90	20.1	25.7
West South Central.....	5	5	5	3	5	15.7	20.9	21.1	97.3	94.4	93.0	95.6	97.3	150,449,948	92,736,565	18.80	8.95	8.5	13.1
Mountain.....	7	7	7	6	7	5.8	6.8	6.7	69.4	63.1	42.2	75.6	63.1	26,179,566	11,236,912	19.67	8.90	3.4	4.2
Pacific.....	9	8	9	8	9	0.8	1.5	1.1	50.6	49.0	53.0	42.0	40.2	4,571,100	4,765,178	39.91	24.54	0.3	0.9
NEW ENGLAND:																			
Maine.....	46	45	46	45	43	0.7	1.5	0.9	19.8	29.1	26.7	12.8	12.3	649,891	649,358	66.58	37.82	0.7	1.7
New Hampshire.....	45	46	44	46	44	3.0	3.9	3.5	23.3	21.8	25.8	18.4	21.8	757,940	658,812	59.04	45.68	4.1	7.6
Vermont.....	36	38	36	38	34	5.6	6.6	7.0	5.4	10.9	16.7	9.4	10.1	3,022,410	2,907,113	46.89	43.02	7.5	15.5
Massachusetts.....	39	41	40	40	37	7.5	8.8	6.7	13.7	18.9	23.2	21.3	24.0	2,688,656	1,965,599	61.52	48.69	4.5	6.8
Rhode Island.....	47	47	47	47	47	14.0	15.3	10.9	10.8	18.7	31.5	22.9	34.8	596,336	306,870	69.04	41.16	8.3	9.8
Connecticut.....	38	40	39	39	35	11.1	12.0	10.6	17.6	19.3	27.2	25.8	35.0	2,888,177	2,456,297	59.78	56.67	5.4	9.7
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:																			
New York.....	27	28	27	28	23	10.0	10.4	9.5	19.9	27.4	24.0	19.8	25.5	32,480,423	25,477,692	47.07	37.27	9.1	14.3
New Jersey.....	31	32	31	32	31	22.4	22.5	21.4	65.5	70.6	82.2	77.1	82.9	9,689,462	5,173,075	47.28	29.56	9.4	11.7
Pennsylvania.....	22	24	25	23	18	21.5	21.7	19.9	78.4	80.6	82.4	77.2	78.9	66,014,366	40,084,218	47.86	30.33	20.7	24.7
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:																			
Ohio.....	9	10	10	10	11	33.3	34.3	31.9	94.9	94.5	93.9	83.8	80.1	163,952,965	91,298,358	45.42	27.24	35.2	41.9
Indiana.....	6	8	8	9	13	41.7	41.5	40.2	95.9	96.7	94.8	87.1	82.5	198,869,822	98,962,363	43.67	24.53	47.7	53.5
Illinois.....	2	2	2	3	9	45.0	42.6	44.4	96.3	96.5	88.3	90.7	88.6	436,526,449	204,960,750	47.76	26.33	52.2	57.3
Michigan.....	16	22	21	24	19	20.9	19.9	19.0	78.8	79.7	64.9	48.2	50.1	64,995,840	35,620,356	36.56	22.77	18.2	22.1
Wisconsin.....	13	18	15	18	16	25.3	22.6	27.2	53.7	60.5	37.6	36.9	27.0	118,324,713	53,017,403	44.36	23.87	80.1	31.9
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:																			
Minnesota.....	4	5	4	7	17	31.1	23.5	27.7	78.2	37.6	65.7	57.8	224,217,358	101,046,694	38.84	22.83	44.2	39.5	
Iowa.....	1	1	1	1	10	51.0	46.5	49.4	95.7	95.4	68.9	87.7	80.3	556,496,038	261,553,211	50.62	28.03	65.5	68.7
Missouri.....	5	7	3	5	7	36.1	34.1	41.2	98.5	97.0	31.4	86.9	90.5	165,381,517	70,473,530	35.51	16.69	39.7	38.4
North Dakota.....	23	25	24	26	27	6.0	5.9	14.2	42.6	32.3	1.2	13.7	19.2	25,711,294	7,843,025	20.65	7.30	6.2	8.2
South Dakota.....	7	13	18	6	25	23.2	21.8	46.0	90.1	73.2	22.8	68.6	71.9	113,753,006	24,266,912	29.63	9.04	39.4	33.1
Nebraska.....	3	3	6	2	22	44.1	36.4	37.0	97.6	80.2	22.1	90.3	91.5	269,208,671	44,379,352	31.12	7.04	61.2	37.8
Kansas.....	10	12	12	4	21	15.2	15.4	18.1	97.1	76.4	5.7	85.0	90.8	96,116,616	21,329,349	27.71	7.79	18.6	15.1
SOUTH ATLANTIC:																			
Delaware.....	34	34	32	35	38	34.0	36.4	35.7	97.9	98.0	98.0	97.2	97.6	4,586,319	2,436,080	32.38	17.71	25.0	26.7
Maryland.....	29	29	30	29	28	28.7	30.4	28.7	90.0	93.4	93.9	92.9	93.3	22,479,832	10,918,735	44.84	22.34	21.3	24.3
District of Columbia.....	49	49	49	49	49	22.8	25.0	21.5	16.2	14.6	22.1	20.5	46.6	10,162	7,528	51.32	29.54	3.1	2.7
Virginia.....	24	23	23	21	14	30.8	34.7	36.9	93.3	95.3	96.0	93.1	93.1	46,764,291	26,410,842	38.55	19.83	17.7	23.1
West Virginia.....	30	30	29	30	26	22.3	27.5	31.0	95.2	96.2	97.2	94.4	92.0	14,312,188	9,604,953	43.05	22.31	19.5	25.6
North Carolina.....	17	16	16	17	2	37.1	40.1	40.7	98.2	98.0	98.7	95.3	96.1	78,259,671	34,948,916	34.39	14.22	12.4	14.5
South Carolina.....	21	20	19	22	15	36.2	40.8	42.2	98.6	98.3	99.2	96.2	96.7	36,752,150	17,004,302	24.50	9.65	13.2	14.7
Georgia.....	11	6	7	11	3	41.6	48.1	50.9	94.1	96.5	99.0	96.4	98.0	63,703,514	28,854,127	19.59	6.82	17.2	19.0
Florida.....	28	27	26	27	29	36.9	41.9	45.4	77.3	89.7	95.5	94.6	98.1	12,232,188	4,481,477	18.33	6.36	5.1	6.3
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:																			
Kentucky.....	15	15	14	13	5	45.5	48.0	52.8	98.0	97.9	99.3	93.0	94.9	77,256,503	43,623,493	31.89	17.23	21.3	31.5
Tennessee.....	16	14	13	14	6	40.7	42.0	45.2	97.5	97.4	99.2	95.6	96.3	74,373,451	41,920,774	31.25	16.23	24.3	30.8
Alabama.....	12	9	9	15	4	45.7	48.5	50.4	97.7	98.3	99.5	98.3	98.8	66,101,090	26,579,929	23.46	7.70	22.3	24.4
Mississippi.....	14	11	11	16	8	37.5	42.5	44.9	99.1	98.5	99.7	99.0	96.2	58,713,220	25,049,499	24.20	8.47	14.4	16.5
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:																			
Arkansas.....	19	17	17	19	12	26.5	33.8	36.9	96.7	97.7	85.9	94.2	96.4	34,087,105	22,543,472	21.45	10.08	10.2	15.9
Louisiana.....	25	21	20	25	24	31.8	40.2	40.1	97.6	98.3	99.3	98.3	95.5	21,459,016	14,571,497	19.32	8.94	10.0	13.8
Oklahoma.....	20	19	22	12	20	11.2	14.0	12.7	97.0	96.1	86.3	94.9	97.7	30,411,499	15,312,655	19.25	8.56	6.7	12.4
Texas.....	8	4	5	8	1	19.6	18.0	18.2	97.7	92.0	96.6	95.9	98.1	64,492,328	40,309,001	17.32	8.58	7.4	12.0
MOUNTAIN:																			
Montana.....	33	33	39	34	32	2.1	2.5	2.3	16.1	33.7	12.5	16.5	20.1	3,064,824	1,407,274	19.52	9.75	1.8	2.8
Idaho.....	42	39	43	42	40	0.7	1.5	1.0	53.2	73.3	68.9	61.9	57.7	1,294,139	1,236,614	54.57	27.22	0.7	1.9
Wyoming.....	35	35	34	33	41	3.7	7.8	8.6	43.9	46.6	37.4	47.8	46.1	1,174,464	637,341	17.22	6.98	2.8	4.7
Colorado.....	26	26	28	20	30	14.0	15.0	16.2	79.7	67.3	39.7	82.6	76.1	15,852,528	4,821,016	18.81	6.74	8.9	7.8
New Mexico.....	32	31	35	31	38	9.3	11.2	10.9	84.5	80.3	86.5	87.2	76.6	3,657,055	1,863,494	20.01	10.57	6.5	8.4
Arizona.....	41	43	42	43	46	4.9	6.6	6.2	75.7	70.1	75.8	62.8	55.2	492,251	385,580	15.58	11.04	0.7	1.6
Utah.....	43	44	45	44	45	1.8	2.3	1.9	20.3	41.5	34.5	50.6	48.3	573,987	585,375	25.45	25.02	0.9	2.5
Nevada.....	48	48	48	48	48	0.4	0.9	0.4	42.8	50.7	60.7	69.0	33.3	70,318	110,218	32.57	28.42	0.5	2.2
PACIFIC:																			
Washington.....	44	42	41	41	39	0.4	1.1	0.8	41.6	39.									