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Table 40.—ALFALFA CUT FOR HAY—FARMS REPORTING, ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, BY DIVISIONS AND STATES: 1944, 1939, AND 1934

REGION, DIVISION, AND STATE	FARMS REPORTING			ACREAGE			Percent increase or decrease (-)		PRODUCTION (TONS)			Average per acre			VALUE, 1944 (DOLLARS)	
	1944	1939	1934	1944	1939	1934	1939- 1944	1934- 1939	1944	1939	1934	1944	1939	1934	Total	Average per ton
United States.....	933,987	946,545	877,453	14,977,223	12,802,733	11,669,135	17.0	9.7	32,669,569	25,653,221	18,742,098	2.18	2.00	1.61	605,966,181	18.55
The North.....	675,857	691,084	634,844	8,914,876	7,657,728	6,859,917	16.4	12.0	17,426,277	13,573,029	8,446,784	1.95	1.77	1.23	323,337,818	18.55
The South.....	101,660	89,670	78,305	1,166,101	895,254	736,760	30.3	21.5	2,407,903	1,839,668	1,229,047	2.06	2.05	1.67	59,266,397	24.61
The West.....	156,470	165,791	164,304	4,896,546	4,249,751	4,092,458	15.2	3.8	12,835,389	10,240,524	9,066,267	2.62	2.41	2.22	223,361,966	17.40
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:																
New England.....	5,045	5,129	4,731	64,127	49,502	34,965	29.5	41.6	126,908	93,906	69,097	1.98	1.90	1.98	4,248,482	33.48
Middle Atlantic.....	58,642	60,707	51,107	824,824	637,344	501,934	29.4	27.0	1,559,716	1,123,896	899,919	1.89	1.76	1.79	41,072,280	26.33
East North Central.....	270,369	327,233	271,723	3,429,038	3,630,961	2,697,019	-5.6	34.6	6,188,177	6,484,561	3,616,415	1.80	1.79	1.34	129,046,047	20.85
West North Central.....	341,801	298,015	307,283	4,596,787	3,339,921	3,605,999	37.6	-7.4	9,551,476	5,870,666	3,861,353	2.08	1.76	1.07	148,971,009	15.60
South Atlantic.....	25,507	21,137	19,010	182,473	139,351	126,914	30.9	9.8	348,355	282,434	238,810	1.91	2.03	1.88	10,693,396	30.70
East South Central.....	50,718	38,318	29,327	425,356	285,591	215,602	48.9	32.5	824,611	623,867	370,185	1.94	2.18	1.72	23,898,550	28.98
West South Central.....	27,435	30,215	29,968	556,272	470,312	394,244	18.7	19.3	1,234,937	933,367	620,052	2.21	1.98	1.57	24,674,451	19.98
Mountain.....	105,585	107,505	107,810	3,374,256	2,938,384	2,948,825	14.8	-0.4	7,279,855	5,849,939	5,271,732	2.16	1.99	1.79	115,316,982	15.84
Pacific.....	50,885	56,266	56,494	1,522,290	1,311,367	1,143,633	16.1	14.7	5,555,334	4,390,585	3,794,535	3.65	3.35	3.32	108,044,984	19.45
NEW ENGLAND:																
Maine.....	97	302	373	925	4,661	3,615	-80.2	28.9	1,361	5,878	4,506	1.47	1.26	1.25	36,329	26.69
New Hampshire.....	386	549	555	2,869	3,108	2,703	-7.7	15.0	5,754	5,260	4,688	2.01	1.69	1.73	182,244	31.67
Vermont.....	1,362	1,021	1,107	26,212	13,525	10,609	95.8	27.5	50,621	27,412	18,564	1.93	2.03	1.75	1,417,883	28.01
Massachusetts.....	936	1,233	840	9,307	10,058	4,851	-7.5	107.3	19,446	18,156	9,734	2.09	1.81	2.01	731,161	37.60
Rhode Island.....	66	109	116	726	902	919	-19.5	-1.8	1,266	1,936	2,136	1.74	2.15	2.32	48,569	38.21
Connecticut.....	2,198	2,115	1,740	24,088	17,248	12,268	39.7	40.6	48,460	35,264	29,469	2.01	2.04	2.40	1,832,496	37.81
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:																
New York.....	25,818	28,157	26,800	432,632	331,670	290,333	30.4	14.2	858,033	566,442	461,044	1.98	1.71	1.59	20,594,637	24.00
New Jersey.....	5,023	4,566	4,111	75,041	53,023	42,410	41.5	25.0	140,701	102,635	94,960	1.87	1.94	2.24	4,953,543	35.21
Pennsylvania.....	27,801	27,984	20,396	316,951	252,651	169,191	25.5	49.3	560,982	454,819	343,915	1.77	1.80	2.03	15,524,100	27.67
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:																
Ohio.....	45,541	53,917	44,364	431,690	448,716	384,263	-3.8	16.8	770,278	895,775	657,364	1.78	2.00	1.71	18,598,148	24.14
Indiana.....	41,514	46,128	35,925	402,181	394,925	309,265	2.0	27.5	686,926	756,445	449,885	1.71	1.92	1.45	15,823,058	23.03
Illinois.....	47,408	50,497	47,852	492,229	437,930	407,120	12.4	7.6	1,068,876	1,054,701	740,110	2.17	2.41	1.82	23,004,748	21.52
Michigan.....	72,007	88,593	77,276	1,179,987	1,212,561	936,989	-2.7	29.4	1,802,236	1,789,934	983,743	1.53	1.48	1.05	35,750,748	18.84
Wisconsin.....	63,899	68,096	66,306	922,951	1,137,461	659,362	-18.9	72.5	1,659,661	1,987,706	785,313	2.02	1.75	1.19	35,869,345	19.29
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:																
Minnesota.....	91,725	107,041	74,718	1,147,394	1,184,082	671,346	-3.1	76.4	2,090,180	2,235,109	571,752	1.82	1.89	0.85	32,109,304	15.36
Iowa.....	81,766	80,022	74,601	886,249	790,568	720,782	12.1	9.7	1,923,130	1,617,589	1,072,596	2.17	2.05	1.49	31,978,004	16.63
Missouri.....	32,624	25,270	28,462	309,326	193,666	221,122	59.7	-12.4	771,187	473,293	328,789	2.49	2.44	1.49	15,885,212	20.60
North Dakota.....	10,577	6,377	5,546	200,493	105,421	90,290	90.2	16.8	302,289	109,364	48,448	1.51	1.04	0.54	3,033,029	10.07
South Dakota.....	20,396	12,865	14,026	348,817	188,547	205,055	85.0	-24.6	632,471	205,871	185,636	1.81	1.08	0.74	8,029,366	12.70
Nebraska.....	53,123	35,105	54,510	877,632	501,906	903,062	74.9	-44.4	1,962,149	644,158	1,009,316	2.24	1.28	1.12	29,044,529	14.80
Kansas.....	51,590	31,335	55,420	826,876	375,751	749,342	120.1	-49.9	1,870,090	587,282	644,816	2.26	1.56	0.86	28,881,569	15.44
SOUTH ATLANTIC:																
Delaware.....	701	509	834	5,835	3,467	5,578	68.3	-37.8	12,565	7,302	12,639	2.15	2.11	2.27	379,011	30.16
Maryland.....	4,926	4,537	4,467	48,386	37,105	34,166	30.4	8.6	95,024	78,660	72,435	1.96	2.12	2.12	2,944,813	30.99
District of Columbia.....	2	5	9	60	100	178	-40.0	-43.8	158	354	599	2.63	3.54	3.37	5,066	32.00
Virginia.....	8,329	7,790	7,869	65,791	50,927	54,122	25.3	-5.9	126,035	101,611	92,162	1.98	2.00	1.70	3,971,694	31.51
West Virginia.....	7,177	5,600	2,823	51,954	34,825	18,438	49.2	88.9	93,013	72,967	34,334	1.79	2.10	0.86	2,715,026	29.19
North Carolina.....	1,827	1,754	1,666	8,315	7,480	6,997	11.2	6.9	16,279	13,450	14,098	1.96	1.80	2.01	513,403	31.54
South Carolina.....	139	281	255	842	1,742	1,548	-51.7	12.5	1,076	2,354	2,813	1.28	1.35	1.82	35,370	32.87
Georgia.....	393	625	1,055	2,929	3,531	5,737	-17.0	-38.5	3,956	5,645	9,592	1.35	1.60	1.67	121,784	30.78
Florida.....	13	36	32	361	174	150	107.5	16.0	249	91	138	0.69	0.52	0.92	7,239	29.07
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:																
Kentucky.....	29,988	24,105	20,625	237,935	154,767	133,555	53.7	15.9	448,120	333,750	212,487	1.88	2.16	1.59	12,247,553	27.33
Tennessee.....	17,366	9,797	5,561	122,017	60,679	37,566	101.1	61.5	238,078	131,255	60,996	1.95	2.16	1.62	7,645,679	32.11
Alabama.....	534	758	569	4,844	4,802	3,354	0.9	43.2	7,975	6,896	4,608	1.65	1.44	1.37	237,049	29.72
Mississippi.....	2,830	3,658	2,572	60,560	65,343	41,127	-7.3	58.9	130,438	151,966	92,094	2.15	2.33	2.24	3,768,269	28.89
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:																
Arkansas.....	7,320	8,728	7,916	110,719	94,939	71,330	16.6	33.1	274,794	213,593	108,967	2.46	2.25	1.53	7,204,246	26.22
Louisiana.....	981	1,733	1,571	19,595	17,708	13,708	-29.8	57.6	34,388	67,889	31,157	1.75	2.43	1.76	826,131	24.02
Oklahoma.....	14,794	13,680	16,223	312,336	233,712	239,665	33.6	-2.5	638,233	381,492	351,170	2.04	1.63	1.47	10,545,299	16.52
Texas.....	4,340	6,074	4,258	115,622	113,747	65,541	1.6	73.6	267,522	270,393	128,758	2.49	2.38	1.96	6,096,775	21.21
MOUNTAIN:																
Montana.....	15,684	14,898	14,734	694,492	533,804	599,487	30.1	-11.0	1,126,426	902,211	855,550	1.62	1.69	1.43	14,970,386	13.29
Idaho.....	28,987	30,078	29,325	798,758	774,034	758,466	3.2	2.1	1,921,298	1,796,219	1,701,658	2.41	2.32	2.24	29,927,336	15.58
Wyoming.....	6,883	6,650	6,186	359,602	286,912	300,598	25.3	-4.6	606,335	451,125	410,818	1.89	1.57	1.37	8,273,869	13.65
Colorado.....	21,648	21,085	22,282	687,560	578,773	600,708	15.3	-3.7	1,478,711	1,024,391	944,840	2.22	1.77	1.57	23,650,883	15.98
New Mexico.....	8,908	9,835	8,364	140,475	125,564	82,142	11.9	52.9	395,531	317,693	185,540	2.62	2.53	2.26	7,848,592	19.84
Arizona.....	2,740	3,754	4,240	164,530	124,524	127,495	32.1	-2.3	459,479	304,174						