

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS,

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Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators					
	Total all farms	Tenure of operator ¹			Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms.....number..	176,949	34,660	19,395	429	40,623	7,731
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	116,285	34,660	19,395	xxx	264	45
Land owned by farm operators.....acres..	16,502,686	7,847,583	3,405,253	xxx	24,517	6,839
Land rented from others by farm operators....farms reporting..	88,437	282	19,395	xxx	40,623	7,731
Land rented from others by farm operators....acres..	6,268,282	23,179	2,026,697	xxx	3,140,828	788,021
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	537	xxx	xxx	429	xxx	xxx
Land managed by farm operators.....acres..	788,217	xxx	xxx	642,916	xxx	xxx
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	35,129	10,224	4,349	159	1,806	545
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres..	2,727,762	1,015,259	482,729	72,561	117,508	40,035
Land in farms.....acres..	20,831,423	6,855,503	4,949,221	570,355	3,047,837	754,825
Average size of farm.....acres..	117.7	197.8	255.2	1,329.5	75.0	97.6
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars..	6,208	9,359	13,825	64,076	4,572	4,128
Average per acre.....dollars..	58.52	53.51	56.73	53.93	62.62	44.42
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	77	81	65	63	78	80
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	70	71	62	57	76	76
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	152,065	31,968	19,080	367	40,323	7,615
Cropland harvested.....acres..	4,755,308	1,223,808	1,275,826	69,426	1,481,740	237,262
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	39,470	3,320	573	27	2,624	732
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	36,544	7,470	2,194	7	9,548	2,671
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	26,511	7,581	3,012	22	9,420	1,743
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	25,158	7,318	4,885	34	10,150	1,389
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	17,704	4,567	5,446	71	6,872	825
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	4,878	1,183	2,103	97	1,432	206
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	1,526	455	726	75	259	40
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	274	74	141	34	18	9
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	46,510	13,311	7,408	234	5,780	1,367
Cropland used only for pasture.....acres..	1,670,367	622,862	446,743	69,675	148,664	52,429
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting..	54,030	12,179	5,936	68	7,957	2,428
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...acres..	1,025,065	280,408	140,414	10,307	121,160	35,041
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting..	12,165	3,087	2,138	37	2,419	724
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....acres..	149,950	47,404	36,493	2,956	21,216	5,599
Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting..	46,410	10,275	4,588	46	6,262	1,903
Cropland lying idle.....acres..	875,115	233,004	103,921	7,351	99,944	29,442
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	80,230	21,800	12,115	261	11,909	3,364
Woodland pastured.....acres..	4,592,166	1,664,021	1,158,192	124,918	434,810	169,925
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	74,076	19,818	10,713	183	9,630	2,119
Woodland not pastured.....acres..	5,786,241	1,967,790	1,100,834	175,084	566,676	170,695
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	64,678	18,198	10,382	222	9,523	2,052
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres..	2,449,451	939,151	725,021	109,758	210,415	72,522
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	151,019	32,280	18,187	399	28,712	6,154
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres..	552,825	157,463	102,191	11,187	84,372	16,951
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	165,746	33,296	19,231	398	40,435	7,665
Cropland, total.....acres..	7,450,740	2,127,078	1,862,983	149,408	1,751,564	324,732
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	124,891	31,893	17,684	397	19,470	4,910
Land pastured, total.....acres..	8,711,984	3,226,034	2,329,956	304,351	793,889	294,876
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	115,566	29,940	16,358	324	16,447	4,280
Woodland, total.....acres..	10,378,407	3,631,811	2,259,026	300,002	1,001,486	340,620
FARM OPERATORS						
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	163,150	32,641	18,324	351	36,669	7,072
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	8,586	1,382	823	60	1,802	442
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	64,207	4,570	2,125	59	2,073	394
Off-farm work:						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	86,488	10,630	7,180	70	13,654	2,704
Working off their farms, total.....1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	32,080	6,064	4,556	22	11,243	2,180
Working off their farms, total.....100 days or more.....operators reporting..	54,408	4,566	2,624	48	2,411	524
Not working off their farms.....operators reporting..	90,413	24,027	12,210	354	26,964	5,027
By age:						
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	3,395	226	129	3	1,715	157
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	20,375	2,461	2,111	60	6,164	956
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	41,057	6,363	5,791	130	10,755	1,779
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	44,472	8,763	6,116	119	10,619	2,105
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	32,372	8,593	3,374	55	5,707	1,386
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	30,542	7,767	1,660	34	3,697	1,261
By year began operation of present farm:						
1954.....operators reporting..	11,579	571	485	48	5,475	586
1953.....operators reporting..	10,663	859	610	40	4,533	530
1952.....operators reporting..	10,561	971	673	54	4,359	599
1951.....operators reporting..	10,262	1,172	894	43	3,581	666
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	42,989	7,574	5,573	102	9,917	2,011
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	25,063	5,518	3,525	38	4,069	1,099
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	60,204	17,378	7,319	69	6,593	2,098
Farms by class of work power:						
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	57,490	5,010	1,328	34	13,188	753
No tractor, horses, or mules.....acres..	32,463	5,091	1,467	3	5,052	1,797
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	35,014	8,869	3,893	43	12,195	3,777
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....acres..	23,916	8,042	6,627	255	4,078	720
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	28,066	7,648	6,080	94	6,110	684
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....acres..						

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BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954

a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms.....number..	735	13,819	655	13,360	4,323	81,842
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	6	113	4	40	56	61,966
Land owned by farm operators.....acres..	680	7,415	741	1,405	7,437	5,225,333
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	735	13,819	655	13,360	4,323	28,137
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres..	107,023	1,115,907	114,800	605,289	409,788	1,077,578
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	108
Land managed by farm operators.....acres..	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	145,301
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	71	741	45	125	279	18,591
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres..	3,429	30,040	2,674	4,690	36,640	1,039,705
Land in farms.....acres..	104,274	1,093,282	112,867	602,004	380,585	5,408,507
Average size of farm.....acres..	141.9	79.1	172.3	45.1	88.0	66.1
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars..	7,544	5,679	13,529	3,164	4,412	3,890
Average per acre.....dollars..	60.74	72.63	81.40	69.80	51.24	64.18
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	78	78	82	81	70	78
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	68	77	79	81	69	71
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	735	13,789	644	13,335	4,205	60,327
Cropland harvested.....acres..	46,559	580,697	54,118	428,380	134,724	704,508
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	35	635	5	870	347	32,926
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	80	2,292	40	3,221	1,244	17,325
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	70	2,978	40	3,442	1,147	6,476
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	161	3,949	135	3,633	883	2,771
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	262	3,157	239	1,947	442	748
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	114	683	146	192	91	63
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	12	94	37	27	49	11
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	1	1	2	3	2	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	171	2,464	251	813	714	19,777
Cropland used only for pasture.....acres..	3,510	46,089	8,395	15,769	22,472	382,423
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting..	214	3,013	111	1,029	1,162	27,890
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....acres..	4,458	39,300	4,123	15,869	22,369	472,776
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting..	40	914	28	392	321	4,484
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....acres..	485	8,847	923	2,323	3,039	41,881
Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting..	184	2,417	96	708	954	25,239
Cropland lying idle.....acres..	3,973	30,453	3,200	13,546	19,330	430,895
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	307	4,562	351	1,605	1,720	34,145
Woodland pastured.....acres..	14,028	115,557	18,372	46,211	70,717	1,210,225
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	271	4,391	211	1,349	1,289	33,732
Woodland not pastured.....acres..	27,933	213,777	14,242	53,673	86,356	1,975,857
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	192	4,298	255	1,542	1,184	26,353
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres..	5,434	63,955	9,367	26,401	32,736	465,106
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	625	10,617	554	7,598	3,164	71,441
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres..	2,352	33,907	4,250	15,701	11,211	197,612
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	735	13,804	649	13,340	4,242	72,386
Cropland, total.....acres..	54,527	666,086	66,636	460,018	179,565	1,559,707
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	450	8,058	515	2,956	2,581	55,447
Land pastured, total.....acres..	22,972	225,601	36,134	88,381	125,925	2,057,754
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	420	6,586	425	2,415	2,321	52,497
Woodland, total.....acres..	41,961	329,334	32,614	99,884	157,073	3,186,082
FARM OPERATORS						
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	664	12,657	635	11,939	3,702	75,165
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	51	557	10	556	186	4,519
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	51	716	28	621	263	55,380
Off-farm work:						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	266	4,334	213	4,806	1,331	54,954
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	230	3,570	178	4,033	1,052	10,195
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	36	764	35	773	279	44,759
Not working off their farms.....operators reporting..	469	9,485	442	8,549	2,992	26,858
By age:						
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	30	610	21	780	117	1,322
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	116	2,136	118	2,170	668	9,579
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	233	3,736	236	3,927	844	18,018
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	213	3,722	207	3,313	1,059	18,855
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	103	1,919	52	1,588	659	14,643
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	35	1,161	11	732	497	17,384
By year began operation of present farm:						
1954.....operators reporting..	125	1,815	126	2,414	409	5,000
1953.....operators reporting..	65	1,747	46	1,820	325	4,621
1952.....operators reporting..	71	1,602	77	1,661	349	4,504
1951.....operators reporting..	55	1,377	48	1,164	271	4,572
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	264	3,389	209	3,050	994	19,823
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	57	1,360	53	1,053	447	11,913
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	88	2,004	76	1,338	989	28,845
Farms by class of work power:						
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	66	2,665	86	8,682	936	37,930
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	75	1,390	20	1,035	735	20,850
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	220	4,494	197	1,892	1,615	10,014
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	183	2,074	152	481	468	4,914
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	191	3,196	200	1,270	569	8,134

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		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	176,949	34,660	19,395	429	40,623	7,731	
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT							
Telephone.....farms reporting..	28,138	6,683	3,864	215	1,683	367	
Electricity.....farms reporting..	155,114	32,614	18,342	408	32,386	4,867	
Television set.....farms reporting..	32,261	7,232	4,307	146	3,127	417	
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	68,056	18,307	10,292	324	6,811	1,031	
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	29,147	8,168	5,041	172	2,531	481	
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	795	224	172	10	201	45	
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	5,785	2,308	1,903	169	471	123	
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	2,538	1,158	811	41	293	100	
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	4,618	1,661	1,809	163	613	106	
number..	5,086	1,816	2,032	207	647	119	
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	2,942	803	1,251	65	672	85	
number..	2,974	814	1,268	69	672	85	
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	2,962	1,183	1,051	135	326	77	
number..	3,016	1,206	1,066	143	331	82	
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	769	294	259	19	78	20	
number..	803	299	275	21	89	25	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	59,347	16,976	11,888	301	10,124	1,995	
number..	65,359	18,859	14,045	480	10,628	2,120	
Tractors.....farms reporting..	53,875	15,921	12,862	350	10,386	1,439	
number..	65,175	19,746	17,329	811	11,980	1,694	
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	51,982	15,690	12,707	349	10,188	1,404	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	51,643	15,641	12,648	347	10,107	1,399	
number..	61,548	18,935	16,714	758	11,634	1,645	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	2,569	474	304	7	229	37	
number..	2,649	499	347	7	230	37	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	891	271	234	42	116	12	
number..	978	312	268	46	116	12	
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	75,503	15,059	9,174	278	13,433	2,204	
number..	83,371	17,339	11,132	602	13,998	2,291	
FARM LABOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 24-30							
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	141,432	30,825	17,793	406	34,954	6,708	
persons..	302,375	68,632	55,733	2,256	88,069	15,988	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	139,865	30,304	17,481	388	34,815	6,680	
persons..	232,949	50,655	32,506	479	69,417	12,937	
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	135,815	29,633	17,145	387	34,284	6,569	
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	54,126	12,568	7,900	62	16,661	3,004	
persons..	97,134	21,022	15,361	92	35,133	6,368	
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	17,577	5,502	4,865	261	3,744	651	
persons..	69,426	17,977	23,227	1,777	18,652	3,051	
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	4,781	1,937	1,815	186	493	184	
persons..	11,785	4,418	5,033	709	965	383	
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	14,337	4,120	3,740	142	3,431	530	
persons..	57,641	13,559	18,194	1,068	17,687	2,668	
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,240	1,382	1,125	119	313	121	
Farms by kind of workers:							
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	16,010	4,981	4,553	243	3,605	623	
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	123,859	25,323	12,928	145	31,210	6,057	
Operators only.....farms reporting..	76,560	14,710	6,959	119	16,465	3,351	
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	3,585	523	205	...	478	100	
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	1,567	521	312	18	139	28	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954							
Specified farm expenditures ².....farms reporting..	170,047	34,593	19,380	424	40,198	7,716	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	110,750	26,392	16,403	366	33,046	5,777	
dollars..	37,992,450	12,035,414	13,231,930	1,264,779	8,273,920	1,458,383	
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	78,870	18,668	11,107	178	23,542	4,161	
dollars..	8,453,232	2,363,461	2,192,111	115,014	2,572,042	382,910	
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	72,530	18,518	13,616	355	22,074	3,749	
dollars..	29,539,218	9,671,953	11,039,819	1,149,765	5,701,878	1,075,473	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	115,328	24,780	13,793	374	19,959	4,887	
dollars..	52,248,195	27,585,518	12,352,739	1,098,948	4,405,342	1,224,137	
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	76,471	20,043	14,214	358	15,739	2,435	
dollars..	15,783,391	5,245,012	5,541,989	379,665	2,974,460	504,832	
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	144,296	31,382	18,817	352	38,795	7,413	
dollars..	40,319,911	11,596,269	11,804,438	790,486	10,845,185	1,773,342	
tons..	962,434	276,660	281,470	20,692	258,577	41,570	
acres on which used..	4,780,271	1,336,222	1,318,409	87,556	1,357,402	221,609	
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	6,793	2,338	1,855	105	911	140	
dollars..	1,163,425	428,549	360,406	61,045	151,520	34,999	
tons..	203,221	76,189	63,262	13,064	24,231	5,945	
acres on which used..	229,006	85,200	71,323	12,109	27,004	6,634	

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BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

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	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
Farms.....number..	735	13,819	655	13,360	4,323	81,842
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT						
Telephone.....farms reporting..	60	621	56	279	300	15,693
Electricity.....farms reporting..	615	12,003	605	11,157	3,139	71,364
Television set.....farms reporting..	66	1,387	50	877	330	17,449
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	188	2,543	332	1,762	955	32,322
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	90	1,121	72	459	308	13,235
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	5	66	12	50	23	188
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	15	150	36	61	86	934
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	9	78	18	54	34	235
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	30	245	39	105	88	372
number..	31	256	41	112	88	384
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	28	337	47	101	74	151
number..	28	337	47	101	74	151
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	15	112	17	71	34	267
number..	15	112	17	71	34	270
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	1	21	1	19	16	119
number..	1	21	1	19	22	119
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	308	4,206	346	2,104	1,165	20,058
number..	353	4,378	364	2,182	1,231	21,347
Tractors.....farms reporting..	375	5,335	357	1,812	1,068	14,356
number..	477	5,904	450	2,218	1,237	15,309
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	374	5,270	352	1,751	1,037	13,048
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	369	5,250	337	1,726	1,026	12,900
number..	469	5,801	429	2,095	1,195	13,507
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	3	76	5	77	31	1,555
number..	3	77	5	77	31	1,566
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	5	26	16	46	11	228
number..	5	26	16	46	11	236
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	277	4,794	265	4,578	1,315	37,559
number..	286	5,020	278	4,748	1,375	40,300
FARM LABOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 24-30						
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	645	12,263	624	11,094	3,620	57,454
persons..	2,209	32,619	1,668	26,653	8,932	87,685
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	645	12,202	623	11,047	3,618	56,877
persons..	1,316	24,894	1,083	22,314	6,873	79,892
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	640	12,012	621	10,896	3,546	54,366
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	281	6,225	249	5,133	1,769	16,935
persons..	676	12,882	462	11,418	3,327	25,526
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	131	1,539	134	871	418	3,205
persons..	893	7,725	585	4,339	2,059	7,793
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	14	114	46	70	65	350
persons..	27	190	84	161	120	660
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	120	1,476	98	839	368	2,904
persons..	866	7,535	501	4,178	1,939	7,133
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	11	63	36	32	50	301
Farms by kind of workers:						
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	131	1,478	133	824	416	2,628
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	514	10,724	490	10,223	3,202	54,249
Operators only.....farms reporting..	272	5,335	282	5,624	1,601	38,307
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	5	160	...	141	72	2,379
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	...	61	1	47	2	577
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954						
Specified farm expenditures ².....farms reporting..	730	13,794	655	13,025	4,278	75,452
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	645	11,360	605	11,295	3,364	34,543
dollars..	332,281	3,044,551	389,227	2,186,573	862,905	3,186,407
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	514	8,423	465	7,609	2,370	25,375
dollars..	93,063	966,824	97,545	814,646	217,054	1,210,604
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	509	7,772	509	7,324	2,211	17,967
dollars..	239,218	2,077,727	291,682	1,371,927	645,851	1,975,803
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	474	7,247	509	4,474	2,368	56,422
dollars..	123,804	1,153,711	404,926	529,143	969,621	6,805,648
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	465	7,108	451	3,700	1,580	26,117
dollars..	162,074	1,358,907	180,951	452,171	315,525	1,642,265
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	720	13,274	617	12,764	4,007	54,950
dollars..	320,473	4,188,452	379,053	3,183,979	999,886	5,283,533
tons..	7,677	98,685	9,139	78,004	23,502	125,035
acres on which used..	41,671	524,301	49,580	400,590	119,651	680,682
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	61	309	96	213	92	1,584
dollars..	8,050	51,122	10,226	22,380	24,743	161,905
tons..	1,295	8,592	2,406	3,315	2,678	26,475
acres on which used..	1,515	8,574	2,687	3,770	3,824	33,370

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State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS.

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators					
	Total all farms	Tenure of operator ¹			Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash
Farms.....number..	176,949	34,660	19,395	429	40,623	7,731
LIVESTOCK						
Livestock on hand:						
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	136,377	31,198	17,821	409	27,624	6,177
.....number..	1,777,802	670,866	308,258	74,157	185,718	61,265
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	132,288	30,678	17,632	395	26,910	6,031
.....number..	984,628	374,856	284,842	39,783	104,091	35,722
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	111,101	26,047	15,213	253	23,140	4,602
.....number..	318,110	104,801	72,363	3,914	53,111	14,900
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	91,393	22,002	11,987	301	21,325	6,294
.....number..	166,059	43,707	27,469	1,452	41,371	12,336
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	103,595	23,537	14,770	248	26,051	5,790
.....number..	871,566	275,409	233,396	8,159	194,099	42,789
* Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	137,431	28,139	16,078	269	30,723	6,310
.....number..	5,763,965	2,162,752	925,331	66,080	863,394	169,059
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	61,947	19,270	11,539	379	9,679	2,371
.....number..	655,580	270,107	198,335	30,625	58,337	20,575
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	42,937	13,017	9,290	151	10,089	2,034
.....number..	613,233	220,700	187,141	6,773	119,288	24,109
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	15,202	5,562	2,193	61	2,091	259
.....dollars..	26,305,810	19,592,816	4,901,064	149,228	1,450,357	61,060
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	30,817	9,695	4,551	57	4,776	866
.....dozens..	23,327,005	14,211,558	4,635,532	451,572	1,580,213	327,338
CROPS						
Specified crops harvested in 1954:						
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	-134,051	28,620	18,091	270	37,252	7,237
.....acres..	2,282,520	563,435	373,385	17,769	721,312	113,520
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	129,688	27,600	17,614	251	36,455	7,031
.....acres..	2,051,754	490,350	497,335	14,979	664,950	101,420
bushels harvested..	25,548,896	6,776,453	6,674,993	265,706	7,657,012	1,043,212
bushels sold..	5,426,849	966,012	1,433,046	28,630	2,495,766	150,775
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	8,661	3,316	2,466	152	1,081	260
.....acres..	171,372	61,272	69,102	8,901	18,605	5,390
bushels harvested..	5,169,596	1,856,557	2,136,235	285,862	550,220	150,040
bushels sold..	1,374,004	382,817	680,745	29,312	233,969	58,620
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting..	23,249	5,436	3,802	18	9,363	2,205
.....acres grown alone..	190,875	40,855	47,922	543	90,963	13,681
acres grown with other crops..	135	20	15	..	45	10
pounds harvested..	100,476,130	22,208,100	27,113,882	248,801	47,502,297	6,547,571
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting..	106,332	24,070	16,105	132	38,998	7,331
.....acres..	1,142,480	218,383	283,945	7,834	507,999	71,991
bales harvested..	698,019	141,214	181,524	4,699	310,510	41,024
Hay cut.....acres..	507,184	198,633	143,981	22,300	60,209	15,159
.....tons..	418,628	167,874	119,524	22,442	46,086	11,320

¹Data are given by tenure of operator for commercial farms only.²Excludes farms reporting commercial fertilizer and lime.

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a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
Farms.....number..	735	13,819	655	13,360	4,323	81,842
LIVESTOCK						
Livestock on hand:						
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	585	10,664	580	6,533	3,085	59,325
.....number..	4,784	53,018	10,699	27,908	28,044	338,803
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	570	10,428	559	6,303	3,019	56,673
.....number..	2,399	29,209	5,255	15,807	15,699	181,056
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	520	9,546	524	5,561	2,387	46,448
.....number..	1,399	18,397	2,375	10,139	5,901	83,921
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	478	7,958	369	3,408	2,818	35,778
.....number..	931	15,446	729	6,343	5,586	52,060
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	573	9,382	569	6,954	2,783	38,989
.....number..	8,736	66,814	16,922	41,052	17,786	160,503
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	604	11,234	563	8,897	3,115	62,222
.....number..	17,922	360,451	16,302	209,947	89,713	1,746,408
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	269	3,830	340	1,672	1,197	21,080
.....number..	1,713	15,217	3,867	7,169	9,796	98,176
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	351	4,056	477	2,174	997	10,390
.....number..	5,730	40,838	13,703	22,486	12,422	79,331
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	56	1,018	60	462	236	5,295
.....dollars..	1,040	344,658	312,270	23,197	708,132	212,345
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	169	2,135	94	959	553	11,738
.....dozens..	18,977	768,819	24,265	243,384	197,430	2,448,130
CROPS						
Specified crops harvested in 1954:						
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	719	13,165	627	11,628	3,876	49,818
.....acres..	22,292	302,484	26,675	191,767	64,574	406,619
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	694	12,863	586	11,506	3,775	47,768
.....acres..	18,366	284,452	18,548	180,850	61,314	384,140
.....bushels harvested..	209,550	3,386,945	228,720	2,132,582	656,003	4,174,732
.....bushels sold..	58,155	1,245,765	52,600	815,785	172,686	503,395
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	34	440	92	122	133	1,646
.....acres..	690	6,760	1,645	1,418	2,702	13,492
.....bushels harvested..	23,250	204,752	54,938	43,760	73,480	340,722
.....bushels sold..	8,625	96,995	24,750	25,495	19,484	47,161
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting..	328	2,622	341	2,986	881	4,630
.....acres grown alone..	5,919	26,708	5,607	34,458	4,590	10,592
.....acres grown with other crops..	...	35	...	...	...	55
.....pounds harvested..	3,237,820	14,905,751	3,535,790	17,285,825	1,989,540	3,403,050
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting..	709	13,434	602	13,029	3,893	27,027
.....acres..	12,528	189,860	11,486	177,213	44,921	124,319
.....bales harvested..	8,201	119,097	7,430	109,187	25,571	60,072
Hay cut.....acres..	1,493	21,840	3,979	8,278	9,460	82,061
.....tons..	1,060	15,458	3,207	7,766	7,275	62,702

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State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS,

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	White operators						
	Total all farms of white operators	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE							
Farms.....number..	130,747	29,997	16,144	385	22,771	2,555	
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	97,777	29,997	16,144	xxx	194	35	
.....acres..	15,372,001	7,384,369	3,197,949	xxx	20,392	6,014	
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	54,565	247	16,144	xxx	22,771	2,555	
.....acres..	4,887,586	20,684	1,846,665	xxx	2,244,284	475,793	
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	729,599	xxx	xxx	385	xxx	xxx	
.....acres..	31,724	9,365	3,869	594,901	xxx	xxx	
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	2,610,430	983,701	462,593	71,541	104,271	35,512	
.....acres..	18,378,756	6,421,352	4,582,021	523,360	2,160,405	446,295	
Average size of farm.....acres..	140.6	214.1	283.8	1,359.4	94.9	174.7	
Value of land and buildings:							
Average per farm.....dollars..	7,689	10,317	15,630	69,588	6,483	8,684	
Average per acre.....dollars..	60.32	54.37	57.34	54.73	69.38	51.87	
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	75	79	64	61	76	78	
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	68	70	62	57	75	75	
Land in farms according to use:							
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	107,775	27,366	15,835	328	22,487	2,444	
.....acres..	3,879,547	1,114,156	1,153,580	65,827	1,025,732	124,095	
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	25,702	2,715	383	26	698	72	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	22,250	5,705	1,396	7	3,388	50	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	6,581	18,669	2,211	14	4,826	381	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	19,551	6,425	4,107	25	6,653	664	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	15,292	4,264	4,945	56	5,369	553	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	4,557	1,160	1,958	95	1,282	196	
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	1,483	452	695	72	253	39	
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	271	74	140	33	18	9	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	39,387	11,849	6,541	207	4,011	669	
.....acres..	1,542,717	590,406	426,451	62,958	117,402	41,965	
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting..	41,662	10,301	4,745	65	4,318	757	
.....acres..	864,296	251,428	121,550	10,185	76,544	15,280	
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting..	8,252	2,491	1,706	35	1,075	151	
.....acres..	123,320	42,184	31,278	2,934	13,235	1,943	
Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting..	36,675	8,758	3,621	45	3,635	644	
.....acres..	740,966	209,244	90,272	7,251	63,309	13,337	
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	64,887	18,834	7,394	233	1,385	1,385	
.....acres..	4,103,915	1,558,161	1,078,931	117,295	294,753	100,396	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	62,523	17,721	9,267	174	7,008	1,147	
.....acres..	5,260,977	1,871,814	1,022,515	154,974	425,572	106,073	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	55,499	16,351	9,333	202	6,756	786	
.....acres..	2,260,422	891,757	687,457	101,317	163,187	50,892	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	114,986	27,994	15,209	367	16,464	2,060	
.....acres..	466,882	143,630	91,537	10,804	57,215	7,594	
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	120,322	28,659	15,985	365	22,593	2,494	
.....acres..	6,286,560	1,955,990	1,701,581	138,970	1,219,878	181,340	
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	101,454	27,790	15,169	363	12,425	1,894	
.....acres..	7,907,054	3,040,324	2,192,839	281,570	575,342	193,253	
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	94,104	26,118	13,963	294	10,504	1,849	
.....acres..	9,364,892	3,429,975	2,101,446	272,269	720,325	206,469	
FARM OPERATORS							
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	120,056	28,132	15,230	318	20,091	2,208	
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	6,822	1,309	712	50	1,234	305	
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting..	50,450	4,384	1,999	57	1,586	288	
Off-farm work:							
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	65,579	9,501	6,017	68	7,650	966	
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	20,742	5,107	3,600	21	5,921	623	
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	44,837	4,394	2,417	47	1,729	343	
Not working off their farms.....operators reporting..	65,130	20,493	10,127	312	15,116	1,589	
By age:							
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	2,505	201	124	3	1,250	87	
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	15,780	2,299	1,959	58	3,871	444	
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	31,315	5,766	5,206	118	6,293	703	
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	32,735	7,652	4,874	111	5,800	654	
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	23,953	7,315	2,627	43	2,747	364	
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	20,663	6,328	1,151	24	1,314	271	
By year began operation of present farm:							
1954.....operators reporting..	9,003	521	420	46	4,122	400	
1953.....operators reporting..	8,189	768	504	33	3,338	295	
1952.....operators reporting..	7,473	901	523	53	2,759	259	
1951.....operators reporting..	7,383	1,072	734	40	2,115	261	
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	31,445	6,636	4,734	99	5,148	689	
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	18,563	4,758	3,000	33	1,756	323	
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	44,233	14,820	5,939	46	2,008	282	
Farms by class of work power:							
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	43,830	4,675	1,151	34	7,187	363	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	19,209	3,736	867	...	1,742	437	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	19,070	6,568	2,258	30	4,869	602	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	21,854	7,600	6,060	229	3,434	519	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	26,784	7,438	5,808	92	5,539	634	

See footnotes at end of table.

BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	White operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms.....number..	525	9,960	560	7,012	2,159	61,450
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	6	73	4	30	41	51,442
Land owned by farm operators.....acres..	680	5,615	741	1,300	6,042	4,769,291
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	525	9,960	560	7,012	2,159	15,403
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres..	84,903	918,212	103,960	382,845	278,571	775,953
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	xxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxx	98
Land managed by farm operators.....acres..	xxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxx	134,698
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	66	646	40	94	198	16,924
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres..	3,294	27,160	2,619	3,720	31,966	988,324
Land in farms.....acres..	82,289	896,667	102,082	380,425	252,647	4,691,618
Average size of farm.....acres..	156.7	90.0	182.3	54.3	117.0	76.3
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars..	8,757	6,859	14,664	4,084	7,119	4,722
Average per acre.....dollars..	64.50	76.78	86.44	73.40	59.78	67.10
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	78	77	86	77	63	76
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	68	77	80	79	64	70
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..						
Cropland harvested.....acres..	38,529	9,930	549	6,992	2,047	41,759
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	...	474,436	49,018	254,839	84,815	520,252
1 to 9 acres.....acres..	...	220	...	280	126	21,880
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	35	1,080	35	1,290	423	11,754
10 to 19 acres.....acres..	45	2,042	30	1,797	526	5,037
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	111	3,103	105	2,157	513	2,351
20 to 29 acres.....acres..	217	2,767	209	1,296	327	658
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	104	623	131	147	81	62
30 to 49 acres.....acres..	12	94	37	49	22	11
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	1	1	2	3	2	6
50 to 99 acres.....acres..	131	1,957	226	618	410	16,779
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	2,845	34,944	7,735	11,459	18,454	345,500
100 to 199 acres.....acres..	139	2,208	101	558	555	22,233
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	2,703	29,675	3,998	10,569	14,319	404,589
200 to 499 acres.....acres..	20	574	28	197	105	2,945
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	350	6,702	923	1,163	2,154	33,699
500 acres and over.....acres..	119	1,877	86	407	502	20,616
Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting..	2,353	22,973	3,075	9,406	12,165	370,890
Cropland lying idle.....acres..	247	3,550	316	1,099	797	28,082
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	11,653	90,337	15,047	31,568	45,752	1,054,775
Woodland pastured.....acres..	211	3,714	196	988	752	28,353
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	20,663	185,300	13,027	41,488	59,031	1,786,102
Woodland not pastured.....acres..	157	3,674	250	1,201	688	22,857
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	4,249	54,136	9,307	20,817	23,786	416,704
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres..	430	7,848	469	4,116	1,541	54,952
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	1,647	27,839	3,960	9,685	6,490	163,696
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres..	525	9,945	554	6,992	2,083	52,720
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	44,077	539,055	60,751	276,867	117,588	1,270,341
Cropland, total.....acres..	355	6,339	460	2,100	1,277	45,717
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	18,747	179,417	32,089	63,844	87,992	1,816,979
Land pastured, total.....acres..	325	5,203	390	1,669	1,168	43,125
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	32,316	275,637	28,064	73,056	104,783	2,840,877
Woodland, total.....acres..	FARM OPERATORS					
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	469	9,039	540	6,131	1,704	56,285
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	41	441	10	306	131	3,517
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	36	600	28	431	203	42,424
Off-farm work:						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	191	3,141	173	2,535	644	42,343
Working off their farms, total.....acres..	155	2,508	148	2,037	450	6,093
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	36	633	25	498	194	36,250
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	334	6,819	387	4,472	1,515	19,082
By age:						
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	25	530	21	480	107	927
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	106	1,711	103	1,155	352	7,593
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	168	2,760	181	2,052	429	13,932
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	133	2,666	182	1,758	407	14,298
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	73	1,212	52	747	299	11,221
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	20	636	11	195	181	11,846
By year began operation of present farm:						
1954.....operators reporting..	100	1,519	111	1,694	298	3,894
1953.....operators reporting..	45	1,467	36	1,250	245	3,546
1952.....operators reporting..	51	1,212	57	961	219	3,237
1951.....operators reporting..	40	1,001	43	609	161	3,422
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	194	2,449	184	1,228	404	14,828
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	42	855	43	367	126	9,016
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	48	1,022	66	293	297	21,420
Farms by class of work power:						
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	51	1,850	76	4,236	611	30,783
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	35	665	15	395	195	12,864
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	95	2,561	132	1,026	453	5,345
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	163	1,869	142	370	371	4,531
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	181	3,015	195	985	529	7,927

State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS,

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	White operators						
	Total all farms of white operators	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	130,747	29,997	16,144	385	22,771	2,555	
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT							
Telephone.....farms reporting..	26,822	6,543	3,713	208	1,500	315	
Electricity.....farms reporting..	125,701	29,116	15,793	372	21,671	2,346	
Television set.....farms reporting..	30,550	7,049	4,173	145	2,777	332	
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	64,466	17,828	9,853	303	5,881	864	
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	27,478	7,898	4,817	166	2,135	391	
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	670	209	167	10	170	35	
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	5,619	2,261	1,859	159	437	110	
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	2,405	1,151	798	40	237	94	
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	4,479	1,646	1,766	155	562	105	
.....number..	4,943	1,800	1,987	198	596	118	
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	2,882	797	1,219	64	657	80	
.....number..	2,914	808	1,236	68	657	80	
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	2,855	1,168	1,003	123	305	72	
.....number..	2,908	1,191	1,017	131	310	77	
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	722	276	257	72	62	19	
.....number..	756	281	273	21	73	24	
Mototrucks.....farms reporting..	53,025	15,840	10,880	288	8,040	1,306	
.....number..	58,758	17,688	12,945	458	8,502	1,424	
Tractors.....farms reporting..	50,456	15,244	12,008	322	9,131	1,178	
.....number..	61,319	19,027	16,316	761	10,542	1,427	
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	48,638	15,018	11,868	321	8,973	1,153	
.....number..	48,324	14,969	11,809	319	8,917	1,153	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	57,835	18,236	15,717	709	10,271	1,393	
.....number..	2,478	469	289	7	184	27	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	2,553	494	332	7	185	27	
.....number..	854	266	233	41	86	7	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	931	297	267	45	86	7	
.....number..							
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	63,868	13,784	8,102	263	8,993	1,035	
.....number..	71,361	15,964	9,991	585	9,483	1,107	
FARM LABOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 24-30							
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	104,346	26,717	14,871	363	19,989	2,302	
.....persons..	224,300	59,591	46,488	2,160	53,650	5,927	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	102,874	26,207	14,576	346	19,865	2,274	
.....persons..	164,290	42,980	26,055	425	38,811	3,543	
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	99,815	25,661	14,290	345	19,580	2,258	
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	38,210	10,683	6,379	54	9,545	731	
.....persons..	64,475	17,319	11,765	80	19,231	1,285	
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	15,258	5,080	4,387	245	2,874	458	
.....persons..	60,010	16,611	20,433	1,735	14,839	2,384	
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	4,649	1,922	1,763	179	456	172	
.....persons..	11,537	4,389	4,923	685	923	366	
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	12,115	3,706	3,297	133	2,587	348	
.....persons..	48,473	12,222	15,510	1,050	13,916	2,018	
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	3,143	1,374	1,090	112	287	110	
Farms by kind of workers:							
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	13,786	4,570	4,092	228	2,750	430	
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	89,088	21,637	10,484	118	17,115	1,844	
Operators only.....farms reporting..	56,410	12,711	5,756	95	8,910	1,256	
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	2,654	408	170	...	242	10	
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	1,472	510	295	17	124	28	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954							
Specified farm expenditures ².....farms reporting..	125,768	29,945	16,139	380	22,636	2,555	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	80,722	22,805	13,831	339	19,031	2,141	
.....dollars..	34,569,754	11,580,762	12,543,347	1,231,019	6,448,687	1,131,071	
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	57,087	15,946	9,396	167	13,362	1,482	
.....dollars..	7,082,197	2,212,425	2,008,263	112,674	1,734,084	227,143	
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	55,650	16,468	11,754	329	13,808	1,634	
.....dollars..	27,487,557	9,368,337	10,535,084	1,118,345	4,714,603	903,928	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	87,863	21,727	11,597	334	11,260	1,609	
.....dollars..	50,290,268	27,294,338	12,035,403	1,061,023	3,823,452	1,017,952	
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	67,022	18,682	13,023	334	11,932	1,533	
.....dollars..	14,794,860	5,032,987	5,245,267	366,645	2,630,959	437,751	
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	103,282	26,935	15,620	321	21,814	2,422	
.....dollars..	34,694,634	10,926,529	10,975,292	756,199	7,805,096	1,055,779	
.....tons..	829,223	261,020	262,785	19,823	185,053	24,955	
.....acres on which used..	4,011,521	1,240,312	1,209,937	81,995	950,399	121,883	
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	6,408	2,254	1,769	103	764	114	
.....dollars..	196,345	74,973	61,652	13,010	21,270	5,760	
.....tons..	1,120,521	421,188	351,221	60,693	132,654	33,684	
.....acres on which used..	220,812	83,308	69,848	12,050	23,596	6,334	

See footnotes at end of table.

BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	White operators--Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
Farms.....number..	525	9,960	560	7,012	2,159	61,450
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT						
Telephone.....farms reporting..	60	591	56	214	264	14,858
Electricity.....farms reporting..	510	9,555	540	6,654	2,066	58,749
Television set.....farms reporting..	56	1,302	50	742	295	16,406
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	163	2,338	317	1,367	832	30,601
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	75	966	67	369	267	12,462
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	...	51	12	30	8	148
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	15	140	36	56	80	903
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	4	63	18	24	24	179
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	30	245	39	60	83	350
number.....	31	256	41	67	83	362
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	28	327	47	101	74	145
number.....	28	327	47	101	74	145
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	15	112	17	55	34	256
number.....	15	112	17	55	34	259
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	1	16	1	9	16	108
number.....	1	16	1	9	22	108
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	263	3,680	321	1,643	827	17,977
number.....	308	3,842	339	1,706	883	19,165
Tractors.....farms reporting..	345	4,944	342	1,401	921	13,751
number.....	437	5,497	435	1,672	1,074	14,673
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	344	4,884	337	1,355	900	12,458
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	339	4,864	322	1,350	889	12,310
number.....	429	5,399	414	1,594	1,042	12,902
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	3	71	5	57	21	1,529
number.....	3	72	5	57	21	1,535
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	5	26	16	21	11	228
number.....	5	26	16	21	11	236
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	217	3,759	230	2,823	929	32,726
number.....	226	3,980	243	2,938	989	35,338
FARM LABOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 24-30						
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	470	8,990	534	5,897	1,796	42,406
persons.....	1,769	24,876	1,353	14,732	4,993	62,411
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	470	8,934	533	5,860	1,794	41,880
persons.....	986	18,306	928	11,831	3,217	56,019
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	465	8,774	531	5,794	1,758	39,939
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	211	4,700	219	2,877	807	11,549
persons.....	521	9,532	397	6,037	1,459	16,080
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	111	1,299	109	565	332	2,672
persons.....	783	6,570	425	2,901	1,776	6,392
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	14	114	41	50	65	329
persons.....	27	190	79	141	120	617
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	100	1,236	78	543	282	2,392
persons.....	756	6,380	346	2,760	1,656	5,775
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	11	63	31	22	50	280
Farms by kind of workers:						
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	111	1,243	108	528	330	2,146
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	359	7,691	425	5,332	1,464	39,734
Operators only.....farms reporting..	177	3,682	242	2,783	770	28,938
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	5	130	...	61	36	1,834
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	...	56	1	37	2	526
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954						
Specified farm expenditures ².....farms reporting..	525	9,950	560	6,922	2,124	56,668
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	465	8,297	520	5,908	1,700	24,716
dollars.....	304,356	2,600,561	363,727	1,370,401	678,471	2,765,939
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	384	6,151	385	3,888	1,072	18,216
dollars.....	81,748	769,739	83,265	430,889	141,300	1,014,751
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	419	5,931	459	4,067	1,298	13,291
dollars.....	222,608	1,830,922	280,462	939,512	537,171	1,751,188
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	364	5,073	439	2,671	1,104	42,945
dollars.....	116,229	1,010,596	395,556	416,083	867,036	6,076,052
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	400	6,113	411	2,309	1,166	23,051
dollars.....	144,324	1,254,497	174,296	340,491	279,600	1,519,002
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	515	9,615	527	6,806	1,929	38,592
dollars.....	267,888	3,515,391	342,933	1,942,059	681,046	4,231,518
tons.....	6,425	82,199	8,171	46,998	16,305	100,542
acres on which used.....	34,656	429,471	45,075	241,394	77,920	528,878
Line and liming material.....farms reporting..	51	284	96	143	76	1,518
dollars.....	1,095	6,867	2,406	2,715	2,427	25,440
tons.....	7,450	40,767	10,226	17,435	23,092	154,765
acres on which used.....	1,315	6,864	2,687	2,830	3,566	32,010

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS.

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	White operators						
	Total all farms of white operators	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	130,747	29,997	16,144	385	22,771	2,555	
LIVESTOCK							
Livestock on hand:							
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	105,043	26,970	15,062	367	16,358	2,021	
.....number..	1,610,633	637,268	481,733	68,778	132,461	39,565	
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	102,014	26,540	14,923	353	15,989	1,960	
.....number..	892,061	357,060	270,025	36,812	73,581	23,318	
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	87,285	22,600	12,860	234	14,515	1,568	
.....number..	266,824	94,783	65,421	3,873	35,172	8,173	
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	60,133	17,904	9,185	259	10,045	1,558	
.....number..	110,139	35,897	21,617	1,256	18,726	2,798	
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	72,371	19,780	12,073	213	13,703	1,645	
.....number..	734,454	252,425	214,177	7,897	136,884	24,589	
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	100,553	23,976	13,131	232	17,309	1,953	
.....number..	5,068,251	2,065,542	852,139	64,857	628,845	88,870	
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:							
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	53,317	17,492	10,290	338	6,623	1,049	
.....number..	620,011	261,081	191,594	28,615	47,541	15,465	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	35,571	11,672	8,200	138	7,125	1,064	
.....number..	561,303	209,553	177,800	6,662	98,205	18,029	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	14,334	5,422	2,105	58	1,835	183	
.....dollars..	26,222,015	19,590,471	4,896,016	149,086	1,383,892	59,595	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	27,606	9,020	4,091	55	3,774	424	
.....dozens..	23,036,882	14,152,978	4,569,572	448,102	1,509,220	301,925	
CROPS							
Specified crops harvested in 1954:							
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	93,851	24,256	14,945	241	21,078	2,293	
.....acres..	1,864,345	508,230	516,066	16,960	519,320	56,843	
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	90,844	23,372	14,551	224	20,651	2,212	
.....acres..	1,652,127	438,250	443,126	14,215	470,923	46,995	
.....bushels harvested..	21,815,542	6,278,673	6,118,508	257,555	5,760,869	583,287	
.....bushels sold..	4,850,059	941,967	1,340,781	28,630	2,079,621	122,185	
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	7,803	3,043	2,327	147	839	153	
.....acres..	166,102	59,972	67,827	8,667	17,025	5,050	
.....bushels harvested..	5,048,996	1,824,187	2,104,523	277,762	518,220	144,185	
.....bushels sold..	1,360,199	382,817	676,445	28,312	227,489	58,140	
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting..	14,009	4,055	2,870	13	4,751	876	
.....acres grown alone..	142,015	36,496	42,977	497	55,448	8,189	
.....acres grown with other crops..	65	15	5	...	30	...	
.....pounds harvested..	77,904,335	20,594,310	24,715,002	227,671	29,850,372	4,192,731	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting..	67,545	19,660	12,899	124	21,330	2,173	
.....acres..	810,949	185,170	240,215	7,713	313,194	28,380	
.....bales harvested..	521,585	123,479	156,894	4,637	201,951	19,099	
Hay cut.....acres..	471,762	188,825	136,207	20,389	51,226	11,911	
.....tons..	395,141	161,243	114,235	21,237	40,283	9,501	

¹Data are given by tenure of operator for commercial farms only.

²Excludes farms reporting commercial fertilizer and lime.

BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	White operators—Continued					Other farms
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
Farms.....number..	525	9,960	560	7,012	2,159	61,450
LIVESTOCK						
Livestock on hand:						
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	425	7,960	490	3,996	1,466	46,286
.....number..	4,079	41,653	9,749	18,844	18,571	290,393
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	415	7,794	469	3,901	1,450	44,209
.....number..	2,049	22,906	4,685	10,391	10,232	154,583
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	390	7,340	434	3,570	1,213	37,076
.....number..	1,124	13,901	2,115	6,458	3,401	67,575
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	293	5,095	289	1,791	1,019	22,740
.....number..	541	9,580	534	3,399	1,874	32,643
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	393	6,581	474	3,461	1,149	26,602
.....number..	7,411	53,528	15,012	25,702	10,642	123,071
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	439	8,112	478	4,880	1,447	45,905
.....number..	14,997	304,475	14,792	143,934	61,777	1,456,868
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	234	3,132	305	1,195	708	18,574
.....number..	1,618	13,461	3,552	5,583	7,862	91,180
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	291	3,366	412	1,378	614	8,436
.....number..	5,270	35,733	12,498	17,015	9,660	69,083
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	46	943	60	412	191	4,914
.....dollars..	960	34,333	31,270	22,087	645,647	202,550
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	129	1,925	94	779	423	10,666
.....dozens..	17,932	754,799	24,265	229,934	180,365	2,357,010
CROPS						
Specified crops harvested in 1954:						
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	519	9,631	532	6,250	1,853	33,331
.....acres..	18,822	253,599	24,225	124,415	41,416	303,769
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	499	9,479	496	6,173	1,792	32,046
.....acres..	15,046	238,392	17,048	114,901	38,541	285,613
.....bushels harvested..	180,755	2,909,855	209,915	1,411,962	465,095	3,399,937
.....bushels sold..	56,725	1,122,830	50,025	582,320	145,536	459,060
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	24	365	82	102	113	1,447
.....acres..	570	6,120	1,510	1,288	2,487	12,611
.....bushels harvested..	19,250	194,372	48,438	41,270	70,705	324,307
.....bushels sold..	8,625	96,995	19,750	24,495	19,484	45,136
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting..	233	1,641	286	1,354	361	2,320
.....acres grown alone..	4,809	18,391	4,602	16,587	2,870	6,597
.....acres grown with other crops..	...	30	...	...	...	15
.....pounds harvested..	2,742,730	10,551,321	2,829,240	8,173,590	1,360,760	2,516,980
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting..	499	9,600	512	6,776	1,770	13,532
.....acres..	9,618	146,212	10,161	94,835	23,988	64,657
.....bales harvested..	6,461	94,086	6,665	60,545	15,095	34,624
Hay cut.....acres..	1,403	19,820	3,939	6,603	7,550	75,115
.....tons..	1,010	14,244	3,192	6,386	5,950	58,143

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State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS,

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Nonwhite operators						
	Total all farms of nonwhite operators	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE							
Farms.....number..	46,202	4,663	3,251	44	17,852	5,176	
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	18,508	4,663	3,251	xxx	70	10	
Land owned by farm operators.....acres..	1,130,685	463,214	207,304	xxx	4,125	825	
Land rented from others by farm operators....farms reporting..	33,872	35	3,251	xxx	17,852	5,176	
Land rented from others by farm operators....acres..	1,380,696	2,495	180,032	xxx	896,544	312,228	
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	54	xxx	xxx	44	xxx	xxx	
Land managed by farm operators.....acres..	58,618	xxx	xxx	48,015	xxx	xxx	
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	3,405	859	480	7	392	175	
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres..	117,332	31,558	20,136	1,020	13,237	4,523	
Land in farms.....acres..	2,452,667	434,151	367,200	46,995	887,432	308,530	
Average size of farm.....acres..	53.1	93.1	112.9	1,068.0	49.7	59.6	
Value of land and buildings:							
Average per farm.....dollars..	2,357	3,844	5,345	31,147	2,282	1,961	
Average per acre.....dollars..	46.68	43.01	49.52	45.09	47.02	34.11	
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	82	89	68	89	81	81	
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	78	85	65	57	79	78	
Land in farms according to use:							
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	44,290	4,602	3,245	39	17,836	5,171	
Cropland harvested.....acres..	875,761	109,652	122,246	3,599	456,008	113,167	
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	13,768	605	190	1	1,926	660	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	14,294	1,765	798	...	6,160	2,141	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	7,842	1,000	801	8	4,594	1,362	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	5,607	903	778	9	3,497	725	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	2,412	303	501	15	1,503	272	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	321	23	145	2	150	10	
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	43	3	31	3	6	1	
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	3	...	1	1	...	...
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	7,123	1,462	867	27	1,769	698	
Cropland used only for pasture.....acres..	127,650	32,456	20,292	6,717	31,262	10,464	
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting..	12,368	1,878	1,191	3	3,639	1,671	
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...acres..	160,769	28,980	18,864	122	44,616	19,761	
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting..	3,913	596	432	2	1,344	573	
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....acres..	26,620	5,220	5,215	22	7,981	3,656	
Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting..	9,735	1,517	967	1	2,627	1,259	
Cropland lying idle.....acres..	134,149	23,760	13,649	100	36,635	16,105	
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	15,343	2,966	1,771	28	4,515	1,979	
Woodland pastured.....acres..	488,251	105,860	79,261	7,623	140,057	69,529	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	11,553	2,097	1,446	9	2,622	972	
Woodland not pastured.....acres..	525,264	95,976	78,319	20,110	141,104	64,622	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	9,179	1,847	1,049	20	2,767	1,266	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres..	189,029	47,394	37,564	8,441	47,228	21,630	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	36,033	4,286	2,978	32	12,248	4,094	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres..	85,943	13,833	10,654	383	27,157	9,357	
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	45,424	4,637	3,246	33	17,842	5,171	
Cropland, total.....acres..	1,164,180	171,088	161,402	10,438	531,886	143,392	
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	23,437	4,103	2,515	44	7,045	3,016	
Land pastured, total.....acres..	804,930	185,710	137,117	22,781	218,547	101,623	
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	21,462	3,822	2,395	30	5,843	2,431	
Woodland, total.....acres..	1,013,515	201,836	157,580	27,733	281,161	134,151	
FARM OPERATORS							
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	43,094	4,509	3,094	33	16,578	4,864	
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	1,764	73	111	10	568	137	
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting..	13,757	186	126	2	487	106	
Off-farm work:							
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	20,909	1,129	1,163	2	6,004	1,738	
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	11,338	957	956	1	5,322	1,557	
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	9,571	172	207	1	682	181	
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	25,283	3,534	2,083	42	11,848	3,438	
By age:							
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	890	25	5	...	465	70	
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	4,595	162	152	2	2,293	512	
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	9,742	597	585	12	4,462	1,076	
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	11,737	1,111	1,242	8	4,819	1,451	
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	8,419	1,278	747	12	2,960	1,022	
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	9,879	1,439	509	10	2,383	990	
By year began operation of present farm:							
1954.....operators reporting..	2,576	50	65	2	1,353	186	
1953.....operators reporting..	2,474	91	106	7	1,195	235	
1952.....operators reporting..	3,088	70	150	1	1,600	340	
1951.....operators reporting..	2,879	100	160	3	1,466	405	
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	11,544	938	839	3	4,769	1,322	
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	6,500	760	525	5	2,313	776	
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	15,971	2,558	1,380	23	4,585	1,816	
Farms by class of work power:							
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	13,660	335	177	...	6,001	390	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	13,254	1,355	600	3	3,310	1,360	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	15,944	2,301	1,635	13	7,326	3,175	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	2,062	442	567	26	644	201	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	1,282	230	272	2	571	50	

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BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Nonwhite operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms.....number..	210	3,859	95	6,348	2,164	20,392
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	...	35	...	10	15	10,524
.....acres..	...	1,800	...	105	1,395	456,042
Land rented from others by farm operators....farms reporting..	210	3,859	95	6,348	2,164	12,734
.....acres..	22,120	197,695	10,840	222,444	131,217	301,625
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	10
.....acres..	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	10,603
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	5	95	5	31	81	1,667
.....acres..	135	2,880	55	970	4,674	51,381
Land in farms.....acres..	21,985	196,615	10,785	221,579	127,938	716,889
Average size of farm.....acres..	104.7	50.9	113.5	34.9	59.1	35.2
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars..	4,431	2,720	3,607	2,229	2,200	1,606
Average per acre.....dollars..	46.85	54.12	26.51	63.95	37.18	47.50
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	76	79	58	84	77	83
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	69	78	69	84	77	80
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	210	3,859	95	6,343	2,158	18,568
.....acres..	8,030	106,261	5,100	173,541	49,909	184,256
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	35	415	5	590	221	11,046
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	45	1,212	10	1,931	821	5,571
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	25	936	5	1,645	621	1,439
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	50	846	30	1,476	370	420
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	45	390	30	651	115	90
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	10	60	15	45	10	1
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	5	...	...
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	...	...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	40	507	25	195	304	2,998
.....acres..	665	11,145	660	4,310	4,018	36,923
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting..	75	805	10	471	607	5,657
.....acres..	1,755	9,625	125	5,300	8,050	68,187
Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting..	20	340	...	195	216	1,539
.....acres..	135	2,145	...	1,160	885	8,182
Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting..	65	540	10	301	452	4,623
.....acres..	1,620	7,480	125	4,140	7,165	60,005
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	60	1,012	35	506	923	6,063
.....acres..	2,375	25,220	3,325	14,643	24,965	155,450
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	60	677	15	361	537	5,379
.....acres..	7,270	28,477	1,225	12,185	27,325	189,755
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	35	624	5	341	496	3,496
.....acres..	1,185	9,819	60	5,584	8,950	48,402
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	195	2,769	85	3,482	1,623	16,489
.....acres..	705	6,068	290	6,016	4,721	33,916
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	210	3,859	95	6,348	2,159	19,666
.....acres..	10,450	127,031	5,885	183,151	61,977	289,366
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	95	1,719	55	856	1,304	9,730
.....acres..	4,225	46,184	4,045	24,537	37,933	240,775
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	95	1,383	35	746	1,153	9,372
.....acres..	9,645	53,697	4,550	26,828	52,290	345,205
FARM OPERATORS						
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	195	3,618	95	5,808	1,998	18,880
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	10	116	...	250	55	1,002
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	15	116	...	190	60	12,956
Off-farm work:						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	75	1,193	40	2,271	687	12,611
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	75	1,062	30	1,996	602	4,102
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	...	131	10	275	85	8,509
Not working off their farms.....operators reporting..	135	2,666	55	4,077	1,477	7,776
By age:						
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	5	80	...	300	10	395
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	10	425	15	1,015	316	1,986
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	65	976	55	1,875	415	4,086
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	80	1,056	25	1,555	652	4,557
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	30	707	...	841	360	3,422
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	15	525	...	537	316	5,538
By year began operation of present farm:						
1954.....operators reporting..	25	296	15	720	111	1,106
1953.....operators reporting..	20	280	10	570	80	1,075
1952.....operators reporting..	20	390	20	700	130	1,267
1951.....operators reporting..	15	376	5	555	110	1,150
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	70	940	25	1,822	590	4,995
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	15	505	10	686	321	2,897
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	40	982	10	1,045	692	7,425
Farms by class of work power:						
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	15	815	10	4,446	325	7,147
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	40	725	5	640	540	7,986
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	125	1,933	65	866	1,162	4,669
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	20	205	10	111	97	383
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	10	181	5	285	40	207

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State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS,

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Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Nonwhite operators						
	Total all farms of nonwhite operators	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	46,202	4,663	3,251	44	17,852	5,176	
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT							
Telephone.....farms reporting..	1,316	140	151	7	183	52	
Electricity.....farms reporting..	29,413	3,498	2,549	36	10,715	2,521	
Television set.....farms reporting..	1,711	183	134	1	350	85	
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	3,590	479	439	21	930	167	
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	1,669	270	224	6	396	90	
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	125	15	5	...	65	10	
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	166	47	44	10	34	13	
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	133	7	13	1	56	6	
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	139	15	43	8	51	1	
.....number..	143	16	45	9	51	1	
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	60	6	32	1	15	5	
.....number..	60	6	32	1	15	5	
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	107	15	48	12	21	5	
.....number..	108	15	49	12	21	5	
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	47	18	2	...	16	1	
.....number..	47	18	2	...	16	1	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	6,322	1,136	1,008	13	2,084	689	
.....number..	6,601	1,171	1,100	22	2,126	696	
Tractors.....farms reporting..	3,419	677	854	28	1,255	261	
.....number..	3,856	719	1,013	50	1,438	267	
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	3,344	672	839	28	1,215	251	
.....number..	3,319	672	839	28	1,190	246	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	3,713	699	997	49	1,363	252	
.....number..	91	5	15	...	45	10	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	96	5	15	...	45	10	
.....number..	37	5	1	1	30	5	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	47	15	1	1	30	5	
.....number..	47	15	1	1	30	5	
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	11,635	1,275	1,072	15	4,440	1,169	
.....number..	12,010	1,375	1,141	17	4,515	1,184	
FARM LABOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 24-30							
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	37,086	4,108	2,922	43	14,965	4,406	
.....persons..	78,075	9,041	9,245	96	34,419	10,061	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	36,991	4,097	2,905	42	14,950	4,406	
.....persons..	68,659	7,675	6,451	54	30,606	9,394	
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	36,000	3,972	2,855	42	14,704	4,311	
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	15,916	1,885	1,521	8	7,116	2,273	
.....persons..	32,659	3,703	3,596	12	15,902	5,083	
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,319	422	478	16	870	193	
.....persons..	9,416	1,366	2,794	42	3,813	667	
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	132	15	52	7	37	12	
.....persons..	248	29	110	24	42	17	
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	2,222	414	443	9	844	182	
.....persons..	9,168	1,337	2,684	18	3,771	650	
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	97	8	35	7	26	11	
Farms by kind of workers:							
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	2,224	411	461	15	855	193	
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	34,767	3,686	2,444	27	14,095	4,213	
Operators only.....farms reporting..	20,150	1,999	1,203	24	7,555	2,095	
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	931	115	35	...	236	90	
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	95	11	17	1	15	...	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954							
Specified farm expenditures ².....farms reporting..	44,279	4,648	3,241	44	17,562	5,161	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	30,028	3,587	2,572	27	14,015	3,636	
.....dollars..	3,422,696	454,652	688,583	33,760	1,825,233	327,312	
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	21,783	2,722	1,711	11	10,180	2,679	
.....dollars..	1,371,035	151,036	183,848	2,340	837,958	155,767	
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	16,880	2,050	1,866	26	8,266	2,115	
.....dollars..	2,051,661	303,616	504,735	31,420	987,275	171,545	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	27,465	3,053	2,196	40	8,699	3,278	
.....dollars..	1,957,927	291,180	317,336	37,925	581,890	206,185	
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	9,449	1,361	1,191	24	3,807	902	
.....dollars..	988,531	212,025	296,722	13,020	343,501	67,081	
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	41,014	4,447	3,197	31	16,981	4,991	
.....dollars..	5,625,277	669,740	829,146	34,287	3,040,089	717,563	
.....tons..	133,211	15,640	18,685	869	73,324	16,615	
.....acres on which used..	768,750	95,910	108,472	5,561	407,003	99,726	
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	385	84	86	2	147	26	
.....dollars..	6,876	1,216	1,610	54	2,961	185	
.....tons..	42,904	7,361	9,185	352	18,866	1,315	
.....acres on which used..	8,194	1,892	1,475	59	3,408	300	

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BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Nonwhite operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
Farms.....number..	210	3,859	95	6,348	2,164	20,392
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT						
Telephone.....farms reporting..	...	30	...	65	36	835
Electricity.....farms reporting..	105	2,448	65	4,503	1,073	12,615
Television set.....farms reporting..	10	85	...	135	35	1,043
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	25	205	15	395	123	1,721
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	15	155	5	90	41	773
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	5	15	...	20	15	40
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	...	10	...	5	6	31
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	5	15	...	20	10	56
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	45	5	22
number.....	...	...	...	45	5	22
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	...	10	...	...	...	6
number.....	...	10	...	...	...	6
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	16	...	11
number.....	...	...	...	16	...	11
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	...	5	...	10	...	11
number.....	...	5	...	10	...	11
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	45	526	25	461	338	2,081
number.....	45	536	25	476	348	2,182
Tractors.....farms reporting..	30	391	15	411	147	605
number.....	40	407	15	546	163	636
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	30	386	15	396	137	590
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	30	386	15	376	137	590
number.....	40	402	15	501	153	605
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	...	5	...	20	10	26
number.....	...	5	...	20	10	31
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	...	...	...	25	...	...
number.....	...	...	...	25	...	...
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	60	1,035	35	1,755	386	4,833
number.....	60	1,040	35	1,810	386	4,962
FARM LABOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 24-30						
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	175	3,273	90	5,197	1,824	15,048
persons.....	440	7,743	315	11,921	3,939	25,274
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	175	3,268	90	5,187	1,824	14,997
persons.....	330	6,588	155	10,483	3,656	23,873
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	175	3,238	90	5,102	1,788	14,427
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	70	1,525	30	2,256	962	5,386
persons.....	155	3,350	65	5,381	1,868	9,446
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	20	240	25	306	86	533
persons.....	110	1,155	160	1,438	283	1,401
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	...	...	5	20	...	21
persons.....	...	...	5	20	...	43
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	20	240	20	296	86	512
persons.....	110	1,155	155	1,418	283	1,358
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	...	...	5	10	...	21
Farms by kind of workers:						
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	20	235	25	296	86	482
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	155	3,033	65	4,891	1,738	14,515
Operators only.....farms reporting..	95	1,653	40	2,841	831	9,369
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	...	30	...	80	36	545
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	...	5	...	10	...	51
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954						
Specified farm expenditures ².....farms reporting..	205	3,844	95	6,103	2,154	18,784
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	180	3,063	85	5,387	1,664	9,827
dollars.....	27,925	443,890	25,500	816,172	184,434	420,468
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	130	2,272	80	3,721	1,298	7,159
dollars.....	11,315	197,085	14,280	383,757	75,754	195,853
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	90	1,841	50	3,257	913	4,676
dollars.....	16,610	246,805	11,220	432,415	108,680	224,615
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	110	2,174	70	1,803	1,264	13,477
dollars.....	7,575	143,115	9,370	113,060	102,585	729,596
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	65	995	40	1,391	414	3,066
dollars.....	17,750	104,410	6,655	111,680	35,925	123,263
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	205	3,659	90	5,958	2,078	16,358
dollars.....	52,585	673,061	36,120	1,241,920	318,840	1,052,015
tons.....	1,252	16,486	968	31,006	7,197	24,493
acres on which used.....farms reporting..	7,015	94,830	4,505	159,196	41,731	151,804
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	10	25	70	16	...	66
tons.....	200	1,725	...	600	...	1,035
acres on which used.....	600	10,355	...	4,945	1,651	7,140
tons.....	200	1,710	...	940	258	1,360

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS.

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Nonwhite operators						
	Total all farms of nonwhite operators	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	46,202	4,663	3,251	44	17,852	5,176	
LIVESTOCK							
Livestock on hand:							
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	31,334	4,228	2,759	42	11,266	4,156	
.....number..	167,169	33,598	26,525	5,379	53,257	21,700	
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	30,274	4,138	2,709	42	10,921	4,071	
.....number..	92,567	17,796	14,817	2,971	30,510	12,404	
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	25,816	3,447	2,353	19	8,625	3,034	
.....number..	51,286	10,018	6,942	41	17,939	6,727	
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	31,260	4,098	2,802	42	11,280	4,736	
.....number..	55,920	7,810	5,852	196	22,645	9,538	
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	31,224	3,757	2,697	35	12,348	4,145	
.....number..	137,112	22,984	19,219	262	57,215	18,200	
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	36,878	4,163	2,947	37	13,414	4,357	
.....number..	695,714	97,210	73,192	1,223	234,549	80,189	
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:							
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	8,630	1,778	1,249	41	3,056	1,322	
.....number..	35,569	9,026	6,741	2,010	10,796	5,110	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	7,366	1,345	1,090	13	2,964	970	
.....number..	51,930	11,147	9,341	111	21,083	6,080	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	868	140	88	3	256	76	
.....dollars..	83,795	2,345	5,048	142	66,465	1,465	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	3,211	675	460	2	1,002	442	
.....dozens..	290,123	58,580	65,960	3,470	70,993	25,413	
CROPS							
Specified crops harvested in 1954:							
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	40,200	4,364	3,146	29	16,174	4,944	
.....acres..	418,175	55,205	57,319	809	201,992	56,677	
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	38,844	4,228	3,063	27	15,804	4,819	
.....acres..	399,627	52,100	54,209	764	194,027	54,425	
.....bushels harvested..	3,733,354	497,780	556,485	8,151	1,896,143	459,925	
.....bushels sold..	576,790	24,045	92,265	...	416,145	28,590	
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	858	273	139	5	242	107	
.....acres..	5,270	1,300	1,275	234	1,580	340	
.....bushels harvested..	120,600	32,370	31,715	8,100	32,000	5,855	
.....bushels sold..	13,805	...	4,300	1,000	6,480	480	
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting..	9,240	1,381	932	5	4,612	1,329	
.....acres grown alone..	48,860	4,359	4,945	46	35,515	5,492	
.....acres grown with other crops..	70	5	10	...	15	10	
.....pounds harvested..	22,571,795	1,613,790	2,398,880	21,130	17,651,925	2,354,840	
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting..	38,787	4,410	3,206	8	17,668	5,158	
.....acres..	331,531	33,213	43,730	121	194,805	43,611	
.....bales harvested..	176,434	17,735	24,630	62	108,559	21,925	
Hay cut.....acres..	35,422	9,808	7,774	1,911	8,983	3,248	
.....tons..	23,487	6,631	5,289	1,205	5,803	1,819	

¹Data are given by tenure of operator for commercial farms only.²Excludes farms reporting commercial fertilizer and lime.

BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Nonwhite operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator—Continued					Other farms
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share	Livestock-share	Croppers	Other and unspecified	
Farms.....number..	210	3,859	95	6,348	2,164	20,392
LIVESTOCK						
Livestock on hand:						
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	160	2,704	90	2,537	1,619	13,039
.....number..	705	11,365	950	9,064	9,473	48,410
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	155	2,634	90	2,402	1,569	12,464
.....number..	350	6,303	570	5,416	5,467	26,473
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	130	2,206	90	1,991	1,174	9,372
.....number..	275	4,496	260	3,681	2,500	16,346
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	185	2,863	80	1,617	1,799	13,038
.....number..	390	5,866	195	2,944	3,712	19,417
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	180	2,801	95	3,493	1,634	12,387
.....number..	1,325	13,286	1,910	15,350	7,144	37,432
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	165	3,122	85	4,017	1,668	16,317
.....number..	2,925	55,976	1,510	66,013	27,936	289,540
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	35	698	35	477	489	2,506
.....number..	95	1,756	315	1,586	1,934	6,996
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	60	690	65	796	383	1,954
.....number..	460	5,105	1,205	5,471	2,762	10,248
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	10	75	...	50	45	381
.....dollars..	80	1,325	...	1,110	62,485	9,795
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	40	210	...	180	130	1,072
.....dozens..	1,045	14,020	...	13,450	17,065	91,120
CROPS						
Specified crops harvested in 1954:						
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	200	3,534	95	5,378	2,023	16,487
.....acres..	3,470	48,885	2,450	67,352	23,158	102,850
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	195	3,384	90	5,333	1,983	15,722
.....acres..	3,320	46,060	1,500	65,949	22,773	98,527
.....bushels harvested..	28,795	477,090	18,805	720,620	190,908	774,795
.....bushels sold..	1,430	122,935	2,575	233,465	27,150	44,335
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	10	75	10	20	20	199
.....acres..	120	640	135	130	215	881
.....bushels harvested..	4,000	10,380	6,500	2,490	2,775	16,415
.....bushels sold..	...	...	5,000	1,000	...	2,025
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....farms reporting..	95	981	55	1,632	520	2,310
.....acres grown alone..	1,110	8,317	1,005	17,871	1,720	3,995
.....acres grown with other crops..	...	5	...	...	...	40
.....pounds harvested..	495,090	4,354,430	706,550	9,112,235	628,780	886,070
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting..	210	3,834	90	6,253	2,123	13,495
.....acres..	2,910	43,648	1,325	82,378	20,933	59,662
.....bales harvested..	1,740	25,011	765	48,642	10,476	25,448
Hay out.....acres..	90	2,020	40	1,675	1,910	6,946
.....tons..	50	1,214	15	1,380	1,325	4,559