

STATISTICS FOR STATE ECONOMIC AREAS

Economic Area Table 1.—FARMS, ACREAGE, VALUE, AND USE OF COMMERCIAL

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	The State (Areas I and A)				
	Total all farms	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE					
1 Farms.....number 1954...	6,291	5,005	676	1,289	1,050
2 .....number 1950...	7,452	5,556	686	1,279	1,007
3 Land in farms.....acres 1954...	813,150	764,573	193,832	215,081	160,830
4 .....acres 1950...	855,410	763,271	127,632	192,030	162,220
5 Average size of farm.....acres 1954...	129.3	152.8	286.7	166.9	153.2
6 .....acres 1950...	114.8	137.4	186.1	150.1	161.1
Value of land and buildings:					
7 Average per farm.....dollars 1954...	18,666	21,360	44,706	25,121	21,080
8 .....dollars 1950...	12,561	14,085	22,964	18,728	15,710
9 Average per acre.....dollars 1954...	152.87	148.16	164.07	166.69	141.09
10 .....dollars 1950...	115.01	107.46	124.18	138.88	99.49
11 Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent 1954...	72	72	71	76	67
Land in farms according to use:					
12 Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1954...	5,528	4,537	578	1,109	990
13 .....farms reporting 1949...	6,503	4,957	532	1,104	917
14 .....acres 1954...	410,503	395,122	105,234	116,233	84,305
15 .....acres 1949...	386,079	361,804	62,127	101,459	79,288
16 1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	740	320	30	75	75
17 10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	572	312	32	60	40
18 20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	628	453	18	85	35
19 30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	860	745	55	140	95
20 50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	1,492	1,472	157	290	405
21 100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	889	889	123	311	310
22 200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	305	304	127	147	25
23 500 acres and over.....farms reporting 1954...	42	42	36	1	5
24 Cropland used only for pasture..farms reporting 1954...	2,788	2,412	292	575	595
25 .....farms reporting 1949...	3,757	3,176	246	722	677
26 .....acres 1954...	60,596	57,720	12,438	15,502	15,480
27 .....acres 1949...	77,846	71,552	6,301	17,522	20,534
28 Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	1,655	1,175	145	260	280
29 .....farms reporting 1949...	2,953	2,103	230	406	325
30 .....acres 1954...	36,145	28,830	4,778	6,667	8,010
31 .....acres 1949...	75,390	57,990	8,703	11,747	7,285
32 Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	450	360	79	66	85
33 .....acres 1954...	9,427	8,302	2,562	1,070	2,975
34 Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting 1954...	1,289	879	74	210	200
35 .....acres 1954...	26,718	20,528	2,216	5,597	5,035
36 Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	547	487	69	113	100
37 .....acres 1954...	24,032	23,172	9,196	4,756	3,325
38 Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	4,012	3,386	424	842	725
39 .....acres 1954...	191,286	176,291	46,603	48,843	31,730
40 Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1954...	1,073	903	97	231	230
41 .....acres 1954...	35,374	32,804	6,064	8,925	7,350
42 Improved (see text).....farms reporting 1954...	365	345	39	111	90
43 .....acres 1954...	9,444	9,039	2,139	1,875	2,290
44 Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1954...	5,921	4,745	626	1,239	1,000
45 .....acres 1954...	55,214	50,634	9,519	14,155	10,630
46 Cropland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	5,846	4,645	601	1,144	1,015
47 .....farms reporting 1949...	6,870	5,144	579	1,179	937
48 .....acres 1954...	507,244	481,672	122,450	138,402	107,795
49 .....acres 1949...	539,315	491,346	77,131	130,728	107,107
50 Land pastured, total.....farms reporting 1954...	3,722	3,141	365	751	760
51 .....farms reporting 1949...	4,557	3,766	309	813	807
52 .....acres 1954...	120,002	113,696	27,698	29,183	26,155
53 .....acres 1949...	119,144	105,890	9,157	27,334	30,544
54 Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	4,332	3,671	459	907	785
55 .....farms reporting 1949...	5,064	3,983	531	838	732
56 .....acres 1954...	215,318	199,463	55,799	53,599	35,055
57 .....acres 1949...	215,895	184,005	35,998	35,696	35,743
58 Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1954...	99	99	54	15	15
59 .....farms reporting 1949...	1	1	1	...	...
60 .....acres 1954...	6,850	6,850	5,450	850	170
61 .....acres 1949...	5	5	5	...	...
62 Cover crops turned under and land planted to another crop.....farms reporting 1954...	1,430	1,289	230	379	250
63 .....farms reporting 1949...	52,928	51,079	22,929	12,940	7,525
64 Cropland used for row or grain crops farmed on contour.....farms reporting 1954...	65	60	14	11	30
65 .....farms reporting 1949...	4,306	4,131	1,691	905	1,460
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER					
Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:					
66 Hay and cropland pastured.....farms reporting...	1,237	1,166	142	344	340
67 .....tons...	5,688	5,522	1,265	2,103	1,203
68 .....acres on which used...	30,955	30,032	5,579	10,458	7,835
69 Other pasture.....farms reporting...	127	117	21	31	40
70 .....tons...	596	566	160	168	174
71 .....acres on which used...	4,385	4,300	2,055	900	820
72 Corn.....farms reporting...	4,278	3,627	404	903	830
73 .....tons...	29,724	28,424	8,440	7,930	5,910
74 .....acres on which used...	148,519	141,202	35,157	40,740	31,005
75 Wheat.....farms reporting...	1,223	1,178	102	331	370
76 .....tons...	5,807	5,755	1,402	1,875	1,504
77 .....acres on which used...	29,605	29,285	5,736	10,139	7,965
78 Fruits, vegetables, potatoes, etc....farms reporting...	1,104	963	173	240	160
79 .....tons...	19,329	19,175	14,314	2,686	1,260
80 .....acres on which used...	36,969	36,538	24,303	6,210	3,065
81 Other crops.....farms reporting...	2,079	1,853	197	456	465
82 .....tons...	13,669	13,184	3,198	3,533	4,159
83 .....acres on which used...	65,086	62,295	13,740	19,655	14,160

FERTILIZER, BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUSES OF 1954 AND 1950

a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)		The State (Areas 1 and A)—Continued					
		Economic class—Continued					
		Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
		Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Residential	Abnormal
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE							
1	Farms.....number	910	740	340	585	700	1
2	1950.....	968	801	815	720	1,170	6
3	Land in farms.....acres	107,505	63,750	23,575	30,420	16,885	1,272
4	1950.....	133,776	83,343	64,270	49,165	41,185	1,789
5	Average size of farm.....acres	118.1	86.1	69.3	52.0	24.1	1,272.0
6	1950.....	138.2	104.0	78.9	68.3	35.2	298.2
7	Value of land and buildings:						
8	Average per farm.....dollars	13,040	10,655	7,164	9,228	7,654	127,200
9	1950.....	11,097	9,721	5,461	8,660	8,131	15,000
10	Average per acre.....dollars	118.22	125.93	97.20	177.36	326.02	100.00
11	1950.....	82.93	92.30	76.14	121.97	234.89	7,500.00
12	Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent	71	74	71	85	66	100
13	Land in farms according to use:						
14	Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	855	685	320	545	445	1
15	1949.....	928	746	730	620	925	1
16	acres	53,340	27,265	8,745	12,135	2,930	316
17	1949.....	61,955	35,385	21,590	14,795	9,200	280
18	1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	55	25	60	60	360	...
19	10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	35	75	70	185	75	...
20	20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	90	150	75	170	5	...
21	30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	160	215	80	115	...	...
22	50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	385	215	20	15	5	...
23	100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	125	5	15	...	...	...
24	200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting	5	...	...	...	...	1
25	500 acres and over.....farms reporting	...	...	...	...	...	...
26	Cropland used only for pasture..farms reporting	470	350	130	200	175	1
27	1949.....	646	460	425	285	295	1
28	acres	8,480	4,755	1,065	1,670	1,050	156
29	1949.....	13,695	7,450	6,050	3,835	2,365	94
30	Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	200	215	75	180	300	...
31	1949.....	386	346	410	330	520	...
32	acres	3,375	5,000	1,000	2,745	4,570	...
33	1949.....	12,655	7,670	9,930	5,980	11,420	...
34	Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	55	65	10	45	45	...
35	acres	450	1,095	150	695	430	...
36	1949.....	160	165	70	140	270	...
37	acres	2,925	3,905	850	2,050	4,140	...
38	Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	105	55	45	35	25	...
39	acres	3,480	1,420	995	290	570	...
40	1949.....	640	510	245	330	295	1
41	acres	24,660	16,265	8,190	8,945	5,300	750
42	Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	185	110	50	90	80	...
43	acres	4,605	3,645	2,215	1,955	615	...
44	Improved (see text).....farms reporting	65	30	10	15	5	...
45	acres	1,000	715	1,020	370	35	...
46	Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	885	685	310	535	640	1
47	acres	9,565	5,400	1,365	2,680	1,850	50
48	1949.....	865	695	325	575	625	1
49	Cropland, total.....farms reporting	943	761	745	655	1,070	1
50	acres	65,195	37,020	10,810	16,550	8,550	472
51	1949.....	88,305	50,505	37,570	24,610	22,985	374
52	Land pastured, total.....farms reporting	640	450	175	305	275	1
53	1949.....	782	565	490	410	380	1
54	acres	16,565	9,820	4,275	3,915	2,235	156
55	1949.....	18,695	11,970	8,190	8,165	4,895	194
56	Woodland, total.....farms reporting	715	535	270	345	315	1
57	1949.....	736	616	530	470	610	1
58	acres	28,140	17,685	9,185	9,235	5,870	750
59	1949.....	37,613	20,330	20,625	19,430	11,060	1,400
60	Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	10	5	...	...	...	...
61	1949.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
62	acres	280	100	...	...	...	...
63	1949.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
64	Cover crops turned under and land planted to another crop.....farms reporting	220	150	60	90	50	1
65	acres	4,480	2,230	975	1,200	405	244
66	Cropland used for row or grain crops farmed on contour.....farms reporting	...	...	5	5	...	...
67	acres	...	...	75	175	...	...
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER							
Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:							
68	Hay and cropland pastured.....farms reporting	210	115	15	55	15	1
69	tons.....	557	286	108	107	10	49
70	acres on which used.....	3,905	1,680	575	750	75	98
71	Other pasture.....farms reporting	20	...	5	10	...	...
72	tons.....	62	...	2	30	...	...
73	acres on which used.....	505	...	20	85	...	...
74	Corn.....farms reporting	695	560	235	415	235	1
75	tons.....	3,484	2,088	572	1,029	226	45
76	acres on which used.....	19,295	11,420	3,585	5,925	1,255	137
77	Wheat.....farms reporting	260	95	20	45	...	...
78	tons.....	740	204	30	52	...	...
79	acres on which used.....	4,150	1,110	185	320	...	...
80	Fruits, vegetables, potatoes, etc....farms reporting	215	120	55	95	45	1
81	tons.....	649	190	76	99	25	30
82	acres on which used.....	1,955	850	155	270	120	41
83	Other crops.....farms reporting	390	265	80	175	50	1
84	tons.....	1,454	686	154	367	102	16
85	acres on which used.....	9,020	4,775	945	2,150	560	81