

Table 2.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)		Total, all farms	Commercial farms by economic class						Other farms		
			Commercial, total	Class						Other, total	
				I	II	III	IV	V	VI		
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE											
1	Farms.....number	1954...	4,783,021	3,327,617	134,003	448,945	706,929	811,965	763,348	462,427	1,455,404
2		1950...	5,379,250	3,706,412	103,231	381,151	721,211	882,302	901,316	717,201	1,672,838
3	Land in farms.....acres	1954...	1,160,043,854	1,032,466,300	259,847,817	241,451,905	220,519,737	163,216,472	102,514,913	44,915,456	127,577,554
4		1950...	1,159,789,020	1,021,354,502	249,989,380	216,033,754	215,075,417	168,696,067	110,682,017	60,877,867	138,434,518
5	Average size of farm.....acres	1954...	242.5	310.3	1,939.1	537.8	311.9	201.0	134.3	97.1	87.7
6		1950...	215.6	275.6	2,421.7	566.8	298.2	191.2	122.8	84.9	82.8
Value of land and buildings:											
7	Average per farm.....dollars	1954...	19,761	25,429	134,169	51,510	27,992	15,880	9,829	6,096	6,787
8		1950...	13,911	17,696	110,008	41,318	22,918	13,162	7,829	4,648	5,406
9	Average per acre.....dollars	1954...	84.82	83.16	73.30	97.03	89.87	79.23	73.89	62.48	102.23
10		1950...	66.75	65.10	45.65	74.85	77.68	68.90	63.57	54.79	82.09
Land in farms according to use:											
11	Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1954...	4,121,154	3,148,407	123,165	429,592	684,384	782,802	716,984	411,480	972,747
12		1949...	4,744,308	3,523,084	92,815	364,133	700,382	852,186	851,320	662,248	1,221,224
13		acres 1954...	334,163,956	321,588,863	48,975,011	86,399,679	88,133,752	59,161,313	29,374,240	9,544,868	12,575,093
14		1949...	345,528,410	328,050,079	41,042,449	76,322,526	91,769,079	66,281,238	36,116,353	16,518,434	17,478,331
15	1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	814,846	254,695	3,777	9,055	14,427	31,326	83,758	112,352	560,151
16		1949...	889,949	258,621	2,888	7,487	14,218	30,560	75,477	127,991	631,328
17	10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	621,155	393,955	2,467	8,494	20,276	78,153	156,096	128,469	227,200
18		1949...	768,361	461,001	1,688	6,921	18,607	65,447	165,781	202,557	307,360
19	20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	427,375	333,140	2,020	8,868	28,107	89,611	128,891	75,643	94,235
20		1949...	574,612	429,565	1,510	7,275	23,063	85,806	159,344	152,567	145,047
21	30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	533,239	470,631	4,212	19,315	68,074	155,475	165,059	58,496	62,608
22		1949...	685,449	588,607	3,261	16,563	62,454	170,023	217,563	118,743	96,842
23	50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	714,888	691,500	11,176	64,250	204,910	249,802	133,281	28,081	23,388
24		1949...	815,017	780,779	8,227	55,457	206,291	290,223	171,935	48,646	34,238
25	100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	603,543	599,617	23,908	162,563	236,927	130,720	38,684	6,815	3,926
26		1949...	624,464	619,481	17,564	127,479	256,080	158,942	49,606	9,810	4,983
27	200 or more acres.....farms reporting	1954...	406,108	404,869	75,605	157,047	111,663	47,715	11,215	1,624	1,239
28		1949...	386,456	385,030	57,677	142,951	119,669	51,185	11,614	1,934	1,426
29	200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	336,534	335,630	47,114	132,405	99,443	44,510	10,633	1,525	904
30	500 or more acres.....farms reporting	1954...	69,574	69,239	28,491	24,642	12,220	3,205	582	99	335
31	Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1954...	1,873,340	1,412,047	58,704	235,119	346,899	337,291	277,077	156,957	461,293
32		1949...	2,142,993	1,577,312	43,607	195,466	364,261	384,872	341,774	247,332	565,681
33		acres 1954...	66,973,530	57,509,620	8,311,293	12,019,610	13,222,044	11,251,852	8,431,436	4,273,385	9,463,910
34		1949...	69,841,001	59,510,758	8,300,766	11,134,566	13,326,984	11,827,229	9,305,400	5,615,813	10,330,243
35	Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1954...	1,303,195	890,043	40,194	118,468	188,977	217,796	201,135	123,473	413,152
36		1949...	1,556,392	1,035,792	31,138	102,205	193,019	249,221	253,066	207,143	520,600
37		acres 1954...	60,800,290	52,487,344	10,385,743	12,542,306	11,624,551	9,076,922	5,904,517	2,953,303	8,312,946
38		1949...	64,001,705	53,659,397	9,032,587	11,505,111	11,750,239	9,851,245	7,055,307	4,464,908	10,342,308
39	Cultivated summer fallow ¹farms reporting	1954...	216,137	203,283	17,215	44,716	60,180	49,902	24,493	6,777	12,854
40		1949...	209,552	194,593	13,310	38,243	57,109	50,432	26,240	9,259	14,959
41		acres 1954...	28,733,719	28,071,704	7,403,497	8,359,745	6,377,678	3,836,351	1,605,921	488,512	662,015
42		1949...	25,602,164	25,118,129	6,204,172	7,403,752	6,023,567	3,572,409	1,468,731	445,498	484,035
43	Other cropland ¹farms reporting	1954...	239,564	194,906	12,792	33,272	51,256	49,587	33,491	14,508	44,658
44		1949...	276,105	218,469	9,412	28,354	54,154	59,697	44,213	22,639	57,636
45		acres 1954...	13,585,149	12,082,624	1,825,338	2,470,774	2,934,362	2,600,128	1,564,992	687,030	1,502,325
46		1949...	13,946,543	12,293,109	1,703,223	2,200,085	2,941,678	2,789,413	1,820,303	838,407	1,653,434
47	Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured ²farms reporting	1954...	314,834	233,186	6,945	26,674	46,223	59,534	60,074	33,736	81,648
48		acres 1954...	5,050,978	4,179,541	421,221	722,486	940,427	936,530	777,072	381,805	871,437
49	Idle cropland ²farms reporting	1954...	702,365	392,905	9,372	32,637	62,101	92,890	112,403	83,502	309,460
50		acres 1954...	13,430,444	8,153,475	735,687	989,301	1,372,084	1,703,915	1,956,532	1,395,956	5,276,969
51	Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1954...	1,510,154	1,056,527	24,961	112,909	214,925	264,339	261,865	177,528	453,627
52		1949...	1,712,385	1,219,796	20,484	98,158	228,287	308,313	314,102	250,452	492,589
53		acres 1954...	121,234,190	94,423,404	16,769,169	16,792,720	18,332,600	18,075,156	15,803,618	8,650,141	26,810,786
54		1949...	135,119,501	110,000,324	23,930,211	19,168,445	20,126,181	20,309,578	16,485,313	9,980,596	25,119,177
55	Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1954...	1,384,383	919,817	26,823	104,367	180,355	228,415	227,516	152,341	464,566
56		1949...	1,658,725	1,068,506	19,861	84,793	177,339	252,812	283,171	250,530	590,219
57		acres 1954...	75,987,976	55,842,284	6,332,226	8,388,579	10,413,690	12,078,105	11,499,205	7,130,479	20,145,692
58		1949...	85,155,253	60,245,206	5,491,654	7,509,480	10,186,637	12,827,071	13,503,861	10,726,503	24,910,047
59	Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1954...	1,996,959	1,490,099	57,729	220,564	361,402	367,874	304,435	178,095	506,860
60		1949...	2,055,493	1,540,810	45,848	184,592	355,387	388,748	328,317	237,918	514,683
61		acres 1954...	459,158,436	415,260,138	163,380,457	97,975,663	70,184,837	46,536,038	26,900,319	10,282,824	43,898,298
62		1949...	414,734,311	371,803,649	157,097,750	83,410,283	58,993,811	39,486,510	22,613,418	10,201,877	42,927,662
63	Improved other pasture.....farms reporting	1954...	401,262	312,176	17,196	54,239	76,909	73,749	60,961	29,122	89,086
64		acres 1954...	17,629,432	16,101,013	4,358,493	3,769,079	3,255,937	2,485,842	1,642,560	589,102	1,528,419
65	Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1954...	4,285,278	2,981,812	122,972	425,779	663,938	724,109	648,137	396,877	1,303,466
66		1949...	4,710,010	3,267,937	93,452	359,059	679,411	755,528	755,702	584,785	1,442,073
67		acres 1954...	41,725,476	35,354,647	5,693,918	7,333,348	8,608,263	7,037,084	4,601,578	2,080,456	6,370,829
68		1949...	45,411,839	38,085,089	5,093,963	6,983,343	8,922,486	8,113,196	5,602,365	3,369,736	7,326,750

See footnotes at end of table.

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text. Data for States in Tables 3 to 13 and in Volume 1]

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GENERAL REPORT

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE—Continued										
Land in farms according to use—Continued										
1	Cropland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	4,429,515	3,223,095	127,164	437,461	693,995	795,520	737,319	431,636	1,206,420
2	1949...	5,057,893	3,600,673	96,563	370,713	709,285	865,093	873,250	685,769	1,457,220
3	acres 1954...	461,937,776	431,585,827	67,672,047	110,961,595	112,980,347	79,490,089	43,710,193	16,771,556	30,351,949
4	1949...	479,371,116	441,220,234	58,375,802	98,962,203	116,846,302	87,959,712	52,477,060	26,599,155	38,150,882
5	Land pastured, total.....farms reporting 1954...	3,615,807	2,603,240	97,138	380,664	607,016	634,492	547,490	336,440	1,012,567
6	1949...	4,065,379	2,920,620	77,776	327,560	636,564	723,343	658,165	497,212	1,144,759
7	acres 1954...	647,366,156	567,193,162	188,460,919	126,787,993	101,739,481	75,863,046	51,135,373	23,206,350	80,172,994
8	1949...	619,694,813	541,314,731	189,328,727	113,713,294	92,446,976	71,623,317	48,404,131	25,798,286	78,377,082
9	Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	2,399,866	1,615,930	43,718	180,329	325,508	401,946	396,565	267,864	783,936
10	1949...	2,753,552	1,845,682	34,119	151,218	332,517	453,881	477,288	396,659	907,870
11	acres 1954...	197,222,166	150,265,688	23,101,395	25,181,299	28,746,290	30,153,261	27,302,823	15,780,620	46,956,478
12	1949...	220,274,754	170,245,530	29,421,865	26,677,925	30,312,818	33,136,649	29,989,174	20,707,099	50,029,224
Average acreage per farm reporting:										
13	Cropland harvested.....acres 1954...	81.1	102.1	397.6	201.1	128.8	75.6	41.0	23.2	12.9
14	1949...	72.8	93.1	442.2	209.6	131.0	77.8	42.4	24.9	14.3
15	Cropland used only for pasture.....acres 1954...	35.8	40.7	141.6	51.1	38.1	33.4	30.4	27.2	20.5
16	1949...	32.6	37.7	190.4	57.0	36.6	30.7	27.2	22.7	18.3
17	Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....acres 1954...	46.7	59.0	258.4	105.9	61.5	41.7	29.4	23.9	20.1
18	1949...	41.1	51.8	290.1	112.6	60.9	39.5	27.9	21.6	19.9
19	Cultivated summer fallow ¹acres 1954...	132.9	138.1	430.1	187.0	106.0	76.9	65.6	72.1	51.5
20	1949...	122.2	129.1	466.1	193.6	105.5	70.8	56.0	48.1	32.4
21	Other cropland ¹acres 1954...	56.7	62.0	142.7	74.3	57.2	52.4	46.7	47.4	33.6
22	1949...	50.5	56.3	181.0	77.6	54.3	46.7	41.2	37.0	28.7
23	Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured ²acres 1954...	16.0	17.9	60.7	27.1	20.3	15.7	12.9	11.3	10.7
24	Idle cropland ²acres 1954...	19.1	20.8	78.5	30.3	22.1	18.3	17.4	16.7	17.1
25	Woodland pastured.....acres 1954...	80.3	89.4	671.8	148.7	85.3	68.4	60.4	48.7	59.1
26	1949...	78.9	90.2	1,168.2	195.3	88.2	65.9	52.5	39.9	51.0
27	Woodland not pastured.....acres 1954...	54.9	60.7	236.1	80.4	57.7	52.9	50.5	46.8	43.4
28	1949...	51.3	56.4	276.5	88.6	57.4	50.7	47.7	42.8	42.2
29	Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....acres 1954...	229.9	278.7	2,830.1	444.2	194.2	126.5	88.4	57.7	86.6
30	1949...	201.8	241.3	3,426.5	451.9	166.0	101.6	68.9	42.9	83.4
31	Improved other pasture.....acres 1954...	43.9	51.6	253.5	69.5	42.3	33.7	26.9	20.2	17.2
32	Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres 1954...	9.7	11.9	46.3	17.2	13.0	9.7	7.1	5.2	4.9
33	1949...	9.6	11.7	54.5	19.4	13.1	10.2	7.4	5.8	5.1
34	Cropland, total.....acres 1954...	104.3	133.9	532.2	253.6	162.8	99.9	59.3	38.9	25.2
35	1949...	94.8	122.5	604.5	267.0	164.7	101.7	60.1	38.8	26.2
36	Land pastured, total.....acres 1954...	179.0	217.9	1,940.1	333.1	167.6	119.6	93.4	69.0	79.2
37	1949...	152.4	185.3	2,434.3	347.2	145.2	99.0	73.5	51.9	68.5
38	Woodland, total.....acres 1954...	82.2	93.0	528.4	139.6	88.3	75.0	68.8	58.9	59.9
39	1949...	80.0	92.2	862.3	176.4	91.2	73.0	62.8	52.2	55.1
IRRIGATION, LAND USE PRACTICES, AND CONSERVATION										
40	Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1954...	324,437	264,712	46,869	65,497	60,035	47,906	33,752	10,653	59,725
41	1949...	306,617	246,463	29,477	50,500	59,073	52,940	39,348	15,125	60,154
42	acres 1954...	29,799,482	29,037,072	14,654,707	7,034,955	3,986,165	2,106,616	1,004,708	249,921	762,410
43	1949...	25,832,480	24,941,641	10,572,940	6,138,394	4,260,028	2,464,502	1,171,470	334,307	890,839
44	Average per farm reporting.....acres 1954...	91.8	109.7	312.7	107.4	66.4	44.0	29.8	23.5	12.8
45	1949...	84.2	101.2	358.7	121.6	72.1	46.6	29.8	22.1	14.8
46	Cover crops turned under and land planted to another crop ³farms reporting 1954...	503,927	454,190	20,486	81,410	115,216	115,970	88,206	32,902	49,737
47	1949...	9,518,764	9,184,614	1,596,508	2,755,426	2,386,071	1,487,664	757,987	200,958	334,150
48	Average per farm reporting.....acres 1954...	18.9	20.2	77.9	33.8	20.7	12.8	8.6	6.1	6.7
49	Land in row or close-seeded crops grown in strips for wind erosion control ⁴farms reporting 1954...	27,758	26,896	1,549	5,862	8,562	6,906	3,153	864	862
50	1949...	5,334,418	5,252,259	723,189	1,586,862	1,542,056	944,806	342,339	113,007	82,159
51	Average per farm reporting.....acres 1954...	192.2	195.3	466.9	270.7	180.1	136.8	108.6	130.8	95.3
52	Cropland used for row or grain crops farmed on contour ⁵farms reporting 1954...	445,441	371,034	14,590	53,954	84,519	88,472	81,232	48,267	74,407
53	1949...	22,859,833	21,743,537	2,780,068	5,226,857	5,678,415	4,413,793	2,648,585	995,819	1,116,296
54	Average per farm reporting.....acres 1954...	51.3	58.6	190.5	96.9	67.2	49.9	32.6	20.6	15.0
FARM OPERATORS										
55	With other income of operator and his family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1954...	1,424,233	359,356	6,194	19,799	45,578	102,295	185,490	...	1,064,877
56	1949...	1,566,154	335,547	4,773	15,855	38,377	90,249	186,293	...	1,230,607
57	Off-farm work:									
58	Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting 1954...	2,153,737	1,113,033	27,021	122,305	220,533	295,021	334,732	113,421	1,040,704
59	1949...	2,089,834	990,387	19,062	82,888	173,149	249,466	316,323	149,499	1,099,447
60	1 to 99 days.....operators reporting 1954...	820,012	679,287	16,543	89,122	148,270	163,771	148,160	113,421	140,725
61	1949...	835,224	653,591	10,697	58,768	122,407	152,303	159,917	149,499	181,633
62	100 or more days.....operators reporting 1954...	1,333,725	433,746	10,478	33,183	72,263	131,250	186,572	...	899,979
63	1949...	1,254,610	336,796	8,365	24,120	50,742	97,163	156,406	...	917,814
64	Not working off their farms.....operators 1954...	2,560,019	2,156,128	104,368	316,471	470,815	503,550	419,849	341,075	403,891
	1949...	3,150,267	2,617,742	80,442	288,950	531,157	612,452	566,307	538,434	532,525

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Other farms—Continued			Percent distribution, by economic class of farm (all farms = 100%)										Proportion of total within each economic class (Data for all farms, or for indicated sub-heading = 100%)													
Part-time	Residential	Abnormal	Com- mer- cial, total	Commercial farms						Other farms			Total all farms	Com- mer- cial, total	Commercial farms						Other farms					
				Class						Other total	Part- time	Resi- den- tial			Class						Other, total	Part- time	Resi- den- tial	Ab- normal		
				I	II	III	IV	V	VI						I	II	III	IV	V	VI						
507,759	696,193	2,468	72.8	2.9	9.9	15.7	18.0	16.6	9.7	27.2	11.5	15.7	0.1	92.6	96.9	94.9	97.4	98.2	96.6	93.3	82.9	88.4	79.3	91.6	1	
584,571	868,805	3,844	71.2	1.9	7.3	14.0	17.1	17.3	13.6	28.8	11.6	17.2	0.1	94.0	97.1	93.5	97.3	98.3	96.9	95.6	87.1	91.4	84.4	91.2	2	
16,392,849	12,921,906	1,037,194	93.4	14.6	24.0	24.5	17.2	9.5	3.6	6.6	3.5	2.8	0.2	39.8	41.8	26.0	46.0	51.2	48.7	42.6	23.8	35.2	30.8	2.7	3	
19,281,472	17,533,326	1,336,084	92.0	12.2	20.6	24.4	18.3	10.9	5.5	8.0	4.0	3.7	0.3	41.3	43.2	23.4	45.8	54.3	52.1	47.4	27.6	39.9	34.1	3.5	4	
415,491	594,935	2,141	72.0	2.7	10.5	16.8	17.5	15.1	9.3	28.0	11.5	16.5	0.1	75.6	78.2	72.5	84.8	85.9	78.1	71.7	69.6	72.3	67.7	79.5	5	
463,785	677,742	3,232	71.8	1.9	8.1	15.7	17.8	16.2	12.2	28.2	11.4	16.7	0.1	75.6	78.8	75.3	85.9	88.3	82.0	73.0	69.3	68.4	72.5	65.8	76.7	6
24,870,559	18,486,799	36,815,606	87.6	29.1	19.6	15.7	11.7	7.9	3.6	12.4	3.8	2.9	5.7	55.8	54.9	72.5	52.5	46.1	49.9	51.7	62.8	53.3	44.1	94.3	7	
21,606,121	19,957,592	36,813,369	87.4	30.6	18.3	14.9	11.6	7.8	4.2	12.6	3.5	3.2	5.9	53.4	53.0	75.7	52.6	43.0	42.5	43.7	56.6	44.7	38.8	95.1	8	
316,245	466,261	1,430	67.3	1.8	7.5	13.6	16.7	16.5	11.2	32.7	13.2	19.4	0.1	50.2	48.6	32.6	40.2	46.0	49.5	52.0	57.9	53.9	55.0	53.1	53.1	9
357,447	548,417	2,006	67.0	1.2	5.5	12.1	16.5	17.3	14.4	33.0	13.0	19.9	0.1	51.2	49.8	33.1	39.7	46.1	51.4	53.0	55.3	54.3	55.9	53.3	47.6	10
17,972,398	19,082,252	9,901,828	76.2	11.7	12.8	14.6	15.3	13.8	8.0	23.8	9.1	9.7	5.0	17.0	14.6	8.9	10.4	13.0	18.5	26.6	35.1	36.8	38.5	45.5	25.4	11
18,010,170	22,756,180	9,262,874	77.3	13.4	12.1	13.8	15.0	13.6	9.4	22.7	8.2	10.3	4.2	19.0	16.7	11.8	12.3	14.1	19.6	27.1	34.0	36.1	37.3	44.2	23.9	12
17.8	7.3	290.1	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	13
19.5	9.2	250.5	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	14
25.7	15.7	201.9	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	15
21.2	15.5	140.3	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	16
20.7	19.5	126.0	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	17
20.2	19.0	165.2	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	18
41.6	62.5	190.9	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	19
31.3	26.8	199.7	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	20
32.7	23.3	233.3	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	21
27.2	26.3	265.2	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	22
11.1	10.0	56.1	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	23
17.2	16.9	55.7	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	24
49.6	29.2	12,151.3	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	25
39.8	28.0	7,859.8	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	26
45.9	40.6	402.2	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	27
42.7	40.8	342.4	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	28
44.7	24.6	19,327.5	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	29
36.8	24.2	14,112.0	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	30
20.6	9.8	276.4	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	31
4.8	3.6	459.7	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	32
5.4	4.5	90.1	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	33
32.3	18.6	420.3	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	34
33.0	20.2	347.6	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	35
59.9	31.1	17,195.5	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	36
46.6	29.4	11,390.3	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	37
56.8	40.9	6,924.4	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	38
50.4	41.5	4,617.6	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	39
28,327	30,723	675	81.6	14.4	20.2	18.5	14.8	10.4	3.3	18.4	8.7	9.5	0.2	6.8	8.0	35.0	14.6	8.5	5.9	4.4	2.3	4.1	4.9	3.5	25.1	40
29,726	29,644	784	80.4	9.6	16.5	19.3	17.3	12.8	4.9	19.6	9.7	9.7	0.3	5.7	6.6	28.6	13.2	8.2	6.0	4.4	2.1	3.6	4.7	2.9	18.6	41
369,377	214,612	178,421	97.4	49.2	23.6	13.4	7.1	3.4	0.8	2.6	1.2	0.7	0.6	2.6	2.8	5.6	2.9	1.8	1.3	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.4	42
412,895	297,346	180,598	96.6	40.9	23.8	16.5	9.5	4.5	1.3	3.4	1.6	1.2	0.7	2.2	2.4	4.2	2.8	2.0	1.5	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.5	43
13.0	7.0	264.3	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	44
13.9	10.0	230.4	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	45
33,416	15,750	571	90.1	4.1	16.2	22.9	23.0	17.5	6.5	9.9	6.6	3.1	0.1	12.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	46
222,834	81,161	30,155	96.5	16.8	28.9	25.1	15.6	8.0	2.1	3.5	2.3	0.9	0.3	1.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	47
6.7	5.2	52.8	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	48
600	223	39	96.9	5.6	21.1	30.8	24.9	11.4	3.1	3.1	2.2	0.8	0.1	0.6	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	(2)	1.4	49
50,833	21,687	9,639	98.5	13.6	29.7	28.9	17.7	6.4	2.1	1.5	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	(2)	50	
84.7	97.3	247.2	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	51
42,013	32,000	394	83.3	3.3	12.1	19.0	19.9	18.2	10.8	16.7	9.4	7.2	0.1	9.3	11.2	10.9	12.0	12.0	10.9	10.6	10.4	5.1	7.3	3.6	14.6	52
782,950	287,846	45,500	95.1	12.2	22.9	24.8	19.3	11.6	4.4	4.9	3.4	1.3	0.2	2.0	2.1	1.1	2.2	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.2	0.9	1.7	0.7	0.1	53
18.6	9.0	115.5	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	54
474,145	590,397	335	25																							

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Table 2.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)		Total, all farms	Commercial farms by economic class						Other farms	
			Commercial, total	Class					Other, total	
				I	II	III	IV	V		VI
SPECIFIED FACILITIES										
1	Telephone.....farms reporting 1954...	2,332,309	1,746,294	112,499	359,824	482,930	399,167	276,277	115,597	586,015
2	1950...	2,057,556	1,583,467	73,383	271,063	456,128	397,905	264,888	120,100	474,089
3	Electricity.....farms reporting 1954...	4,448,611	3,121,191	130,990	440,342	688,237	774,101	697,996	389,525	1,327,420
4	1950...	4,213,599	2,980,354	93,754	357,055	661,117	751,459	680,769	436,200	1,233,245
5	Television set.....farms reporting 1954...	1,698,548	1,204,715	84,514	253,183	320,084	269,500	200,622	76,812	493,833
6	Piped running water.....farms reporting 1954...	2,810,531	2,024,814	125,673	392,095	528,990	469,539	351,435	157,082	785,717
7	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1954...	1,541,415	1,190,263	87,658	264,231	326,674	264,506	179,273	67,921	351,152
8	1950...	650,512	518,245	37,618	115,295	151,315	112,258	71,434	30,325	132,267
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT ON FARMS										
9	Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting 1954...	117,050	109,276	9,860	37,912	34,894	16,755	7,631	2,224	7,774
10	Power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1954...	707,088	669,416	47,843	168,502	213,580	146,814	72,110	20,567	37,672
11	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1954...	712,022	686,402	24,300	155,810	252,395	176,489	66,224	11,184	25,620
12	1950...	636,341	614,347	17,601	117,830	237,295	170,498	59,721	11,402	21,994
13	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1954...	923,709	896,024	67,108	249,859	296,818	186,921	77,271	18,047	27,685
14	1950...	665,378	647,857	42,176	167,694	224,061	141,935	56,454	15,537	17,521
15	number 1954...	979,050	950,483	87,308	267,193	306,668	191,722	79,031	18,561	28,567
16	1950...	713,633	694,951	57,694	183,081	233,120	146,404	58,520	16,132	18,682
17	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1954...	676,088	662,935	40,758	197,442	238,278	131,352	46,380	8,725	13,153
18	1950...	447,387	442,599	23,176	128,717	176,837	85,443	23,367	5,059	4,788
19	number 1954...	687,466	674,180	44,623	201,683	240,323	132,181	46,594	8,776	13,286
20	1950...	455,519	450,603	25,465	131,713	178,560	86,149	23,606	5,110	4,916
21	Pick-up balers.....farms reporting 1954...	442,872	427,279	39,373	128,508	138,580	78,942	33,452	8,424	15,593
22	1950...	191,658	183,906	18,821	53,593	56,220	33,426	16,321	5,525	7,752
23	number 1954...	447,909	432,010	41,487	129,539	139,338	79,486	33,657	8,503	15,899
24	1950...	195,858	187,821	20,141	54,618	56,972	33,882	16,617	5,591	8,037
25	Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting 1954...	197,265	193,457	26,446	70,268	61,731	25,615	7,381	2,016	3,808
26	number 1954...	201,605	197,583	28,494	71,251	62,302	25,954	7,543	2,039	4,022
27	Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1954...	2,212,892	1,774,407	119,896	349,532	451,498	409,019	308,004	136,458	438,485
28	1950...	1,840,391	1,484,156	87,113	267,710	378,397	344,153	267,384	139,399	356,235
29	number 1954...	2,702,811	2,223,361	283,880	477,373	530,089	454,181	333,990	143,548	479,450
30	1950...	2,206,670	1,810,744	197,353	355,613	437,516	380,607	291,928	147,727	395,926
31	Tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	2,876,572	2,398,982	123,391	418,716	636,602	624,175	439,934	156,164	477,590
32	1950...	2,525,206	2,181,954	88,843	339,557	619,111	607,118	339,970	139,355	343,252
33	number 1954...	4,692,341	4,129,111	440,325	954,056	1,117,691	885,420	549,380	182,239	563,230
34	1950...	3,609,281	3,217,848	279,507	663,240	915,590	753,183	448,620	157,708	391,433
35	Tractors, excluding garden tractors.farms reporting 1954...	2,773,074	2,364,935	121,885	414,819	631,519	617,141	429,814	149,757	408,139
36	1950...	2,433,168	2,146,861	87,556	336,026	613,288	599,270	377,715	133,006	286,307
37	number 1954...	4,345,234	3,895,507	418,508	896,496	1,059,132	838,899	513,411	169,061	449,727
38	1950...	3,393,760	3,080,054	268,360	632,733	880,496	725,407	425,825	147,233	313,706
39	1 tractor.....farms reporting 1954...	1,698,435	1,322,243	17,074	94,754	287,408	429,822	359,146	134,039	376,192
40	2 tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	774,382	747,196	31,623	204,041	277,131	159,975	61,109	13,317	27,186
41	3 or more tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	300,257	295,496	73,188	116,024	66,980	27,344	9,559	2,401	4,761
42	3 tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	207,194	204,012	31,823	85,653	55,092	22,336	7,460	1,648	3,182
43	4 tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	54,730	54,069	18,141	21,429	9,005	3,685	1,368	441	661
44	5 or more tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	38,333	37,415	23,224	8,942	2,883	1,323	731	312	918
45	Wheel tractors other than garden....farms reporting 1954...	2,741,841	2,341,370	118,345	409,400	626,695	612,525	425,789	148,616	400,471
46	1950...	2,382,951	2,106,999	83,934	328,576	604,888	589,686	370,167	129,748	275,952
47	number 1954...	4,185,780	3,751,410	366,435	859,710	1,034,217	822,333	502,682	166,033	434,370
48	1950...	3,249,866	2,951,620	231,798	600,743	856,377	706,776	413,438	142,488	298,246
49	Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	335,121	224,006	19,085	55,200	56,814	45,024	35,015	12,868	111,115
50	1950...	206,024	130,068	9,213	28,551	33,518	26,619	22,029	10,138	75,956
51	number 1954...	347,107	233,604	21,817	57,560	58,559	46,521	35,969	13,178	113,503
52	1950...	215,521	137,794	11,147	30,507	35,094	27,776	22,795	10,475	77,727
53	Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1954...	129,716	115,696	32,179	32,331	22,941	15,375	9,999	2,871	14,020
54	1950...	120,272	105,970	22,341	27,602	22,288	17,547	11,678	4,514	14,302
55	number 1954...	159,454	144,097	52,073	36,786	24,915	16,566	10,729	3,028	15,357
56	1950...	143,894	128,434	36,562	31,990	24,119	18,631	12,387	4,745	15,460
57	Automobiles.....farms reporting 1954...	3,391,557	2,480,220	126,158	417,109	617,751	618,308	488,118	212,776	911,337
58	1950...	3,389,773	2,511,151	92,083	339,478	611,259	655,740	530,586	282,005	878,622
59	number 1954...	4,262,785	3,201,011	304,978	603,415	774,340	730,299	557,844	230,135	1,061,774
60	1950...	4,199,224	3,164,658	203,386	488,552	774,211	781,018	609,839	307,652	1,034,566
Class of work power: ⁶										
61	No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1954...	1,179,964	496,406	9,094	24,910	47,038	107,555	172,948	134,861	683,558
62	1950...	1,213,125	527,523	7,067	20,671	40,812	93,386	180,022	185,565	685,602
63	No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.farms reporting 1954...	345,627	135,334	787	2,680	6,748	20,732	42,694	61,693	210,293
64	1950...	494,106	195,225	972	3,159	7,401	24,539	59,869	99,285	298,881
65	No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1954...	484,356	330,942	2,237	6,536	21,624	66,537	117,892	116,116	153,414
66	1950...	1,146,813	801,710	6,349	17,764	53,887	157,259	273,455	292,996	345,103
67	Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1954...	976,211	858,267	48,820	132,661	212,219	234,659	167,166	62,742	117,944
68	1950...	1,276,133	1,165,471	49,274	172,628	334,578	335,090	201,476	72,425	110,662
69	Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1954...	1,796,863	1,506,668	73,065	282,158	419,300	382,482	262,648	87,015	290,195
70	1950...	1,249,073	1,016,483	39,569	166,929	284,533	272,028	186,494	66,930	232,590

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FARM LABOR FOR SPECIFIED WEEK ⁷										
1 Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	4,296,694	3,129,400	131,285	435,888	680,202	766,906	702,343	412,776	1,167,294	
2 1950...	4,547,947	3,340,158	96,630	360,503	677,454	808,769	795,989	600,813	1,207,789	
3 persons 1954...	9,597,343	7,938,814	1,060,874	1,333,994	1,686,042	1,765,909	1,418,996	672,999	1,658,529	
4 1950...	8,538,064	6,762,153	620,130	931,431	1,413,005	1,521,491	1,353,698	922,398	1,775,911	
5 Family workers including operators..farms reporting 1954...	4,241,835	3,084,098	122,457	425,752	670,958	758,554	695,491	410,886	1,157,737	
6 1950...	4,470,603	3,280,595	87,659	347,707	664,409	797,651	786,841	596,328	1,190,008	
7 persons 1954...	6,867,693	5,322,787	192,435	731,192	1,204,673	1,385,013	1,196,012	613,462	1,544,906	
8 1950...	6,982,795	5,322,846	134,534	581,365	1,146,143	1,342,803	1,240,346	877,655	1,659,949	
9 Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons 1954...	4,142,352	3,029,280	120,747	419,213	660,011	744,981	681,141	403,187	1,113,072	
10 1950...	4,246,072	3,158,000	85,586	338,437	644,752	769,273	753,030	566,922	1,088,072	
11 Unpaid members of operator's family										
12 working 15 or more hours.....farms reporting 1954...	1,738,414	1,421,705	44,094	198,225	334,932	379,272	319,837	145,345	316,709	
13 1950...	1,847,973	1,427,030	29,936	153,350	322,549	375,949	328,770	216,476	420,943	
14 persons 1954...	2,725,341	2,293,507	71,688	311,979	544,662	640,032	514,871	210,275	431,834	
1950...	2,736,723	2,164,846	48,948	242,928	501,391	573,530	487,316	310,733	571,877	
15 Hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	751,581	697,572	101,200	190,846	171,284	129,606	80,291	24,345	54,009	
16 persons 1954...	2,729,650	2,616,027	868,439	602,802	481,369	380,896	222,984	59,537	113,623	
17 1 hired worker.....farms reporting 1954...	380,021	347,392	30,907	102,609	97,540	65,770	38,568	11,998	32,629	
18 2 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	142,546	132,318	19,577	38,985	30,516	22,647	15,528	5,065	10,228	
19 3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	101,427	94,656	17,803	22,419	18,941	18,412	12,815	4,266	6,771	
20 5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	72,013	68,684	14,071	13,304	14,170	14,939	9,771	2,429	3,329	
21 10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	55,574	54,522	18,842	13,529	10,117	7,838	3,609	587	1,052	
22 Regular workers (to be employed										
23 150 or more days).....farms reporting 1954...	332,932	323,444	83,568	117,641	71,793	33,741	13,730	2,971	9,488	
24 1950...	504,041	472,046	73,940	151,360	125,743	71,610	36,990	12,403	31,995	
25 persons 1954...	691,068	671,064	330,591	181,417	94,340	43,379	17,490	3,847	20,004	
1950...	1,014,518	961,489	364,777	259,690	174,929	96,109	49,280	16,704	53,029	
26 1 hired worker.....farms reporting 1954...	222,152	215,017	34,459	82,090	57,468	27,407	11,222	2,371	7,135	
27 1950...	343,309	318,450	26,246	99,743	96,651	56,371	29,482	9,957	24,859	
28 2 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	58,737	57,572	17,980	22,693	10,095	4,559	1,833	412	1,165	
29 1950...	88,120	83,771	15,954	30,244	19,894	10,756	5,281	1,642	4,349	
30 3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	30,423	29,840	14,812	9,587	3,284	1,440	544	173	583	
31 1950...	43,073	41,475	13,921	14,709	6,976	3,522	1,760	587	1,598	
32 5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	14,312	14,029	9,907	2,816	868	302	121	15	283	
33 1950...	19,799	19,047	10,313	5,403	1,923	831	400	177	752	
34 10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	7,308	6,986	6,410	455	78	33	10	...	322	
35 1950...	9,740	9,303	7,506	1,251	299	130	77	40	437	
36 Seasonal workers (to be employed less										
37 than 150 days).....farms reporting 1954...	504,556	458,610	48,243	103,306	114,001	102,252	68,965	21,843	45,946	
38 persons 1954...	2,038,582	1,944,963	537,848	421,385	387,029	337,517	205,494	55,690	93,619	
39 1 hired worker.....farms reporting 1954...	245,621	218,380	17,310	55,083	58,564	46,629	30,523	10,271	27,241	
40 2 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	86,769	77,718	7,135	15,935	18,982	17,521	13,572	4,573	9,047	
41 3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	69,007	63,044	5,772	10,950	14,299	16,180	11,790	4,053	5,963	
42 5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	56,443	53,477	5,459	9,223	12,548	14,345	9,533	2,369	2,966	
43 10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	46,720	45,991	12,567	12,115	9,608	7,577	3,547	577	729	
44 Regular hired workers and no										
45 seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	247,025	238,962	52,957	87,540	57,283	27,374	11,306	2,502	8,063	
46 Farms with expenditures for hired labor but										
47 no hired workers reported.....farms reporting 1954...	1,469,107	1,247,463	23,639	160,425	292,888	344,859	293,133	132,519	221,644	
48 Proportion of farms reporting hired workers represented										
49 by those reporting:										
50 Regular hired workers.....percent 1954...	44.3	46.4	82.6	61.6	41.9	26.0	17.1	12.2	17.6	
51 1950...	71.7	74.8	94.8	87.5	76.0	63.3	51.4	42.4	44.3	
52 Seasonal hired workers.....percent 1954...	67.1	65.7	47.7	54.1	66.6	78.9	85.9	89.7	85.1	
53 Average per farm reporting:										
54 Family and hired workers.....persons 1954...	2.2	2.5	8.1	3.1	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.6	1.4	
55 1950...	1.9	2.0	6.4	2.6	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.5	
56 Family workers, including operator.....persons 1954...	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.5	1.3	
57 1950...	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	
58 Hired workers.....persons 1954...	3.6	3.8	8.6	3.2	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.4	2.1	
59 Regular workers.....persons 1954...	2.1	2.1	4.0	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	2.1	
60 1950...	2.0	2.0	4.9	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.7	
61 Seasonal workers.....persons 1954...	4.0	4.2	11.1	4.1	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.5	2.0	
62 Kind of workers:										
63 Both family and hired workers.....farms reporting 1954...	696,722	652,270	92,372	180,710	162,040	121,254	73,439	22,455	44,452	
64 1950...	625,790	571,326	69,019	160,217	152,398	102,074	62,864	24,754	54,464	
65 Family workers (including operator)										
66 only.....farms reporting 1954...	3,545,113	2,431,828	30,085	245,042	508,918	637,300	622,052	388,431	1,113,285	
67 1950...	3,844,813	2,709,269	18,640	187,490	512,011	695,577	723,977	571,574	1,135,544	
68 Hired workers only.....farms reporting 1954...	54,859	45,302	8,828	10,136	9,244	8,352	6,852	1,890	9,557	
69 1950...	77,344	59,563	8,971	12,796	13,045	11,118	9,148	4,485	17,781	

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SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES										
1	Specified farm expenditures (including commercial fertilizer and lime).....dollars...	9,338,436,214	8,904,642,977	2,869,865,689	2,354,783,334	1,808,433,309	1,121,420,375	573,878,515	176,261,755	433,793,237
2	Specified farm expenditures (excluding commercial fertilizer and lime).....farms reporting 1954...	4,698,092	3,311,517	133,928	448,710	706,432	810,031	758,266	454,150	1,386,575
3	Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1954...	3,285,734	2,691,058	128,893	404,271	608,190	673,837	586,978	288,889	594,676
4	1949...	3,548,279	2,925,944	98,166	357,963	660,519	753,499	665,466	390,331	622,335
5	dollars 1954...	2,917,400,886	2,819,331,067	1,258,629,099	659,558,889	438,017,638	281,157,091	144,015,955	37,952,395	98,069,819
6	1949...	3,030,084,313	2,915,489,458	1,067,209,497	725,623,767	554,524,632	339,264,502	173,508,364	55,358,696	114,594,855
7	Machine hire.....farms reporting 1954...	2,545,128	2,074,166	82,686	298,938	484,123	532,082	455,445	220,892	470,962
8	1949...	2,757,864	2,304,933	64,914	278,607	544,345	610,563	516,478	290,026	452,931
9	dollars 1954...	638,057,187	603,090,187	138,617,750	135,871,355	139,903,281	107,705,047	62,806,484	18,186,270	34,967,000
10	1949...	611,623,456	579,047,088	97,110,207	128,059,642	150,486,066	115,106,842	65,588,181	22,696,150	32,576,368
11	Hired labor.....farms reporting 1954...	2,220,688	1,945,035	124,839	351,271	464,172	474,465	373,424	156,864	275,653
12	1949...	2,670,043	2,315,368	96,381	335,541	574,924	599,780	472,951	235,791	354,675
13	dollars 1954...	2,279,343,699	2,216,240,880	1,120,011,349	523,687,534	298,114,357	173,452,044	81,209,471	19,766,125	63,102,819
14	1949...	2,418,460,857	2,336,442,370	970,099,290	597,564,125	404,038,566	224,157,660	107,920,183	32,662,546	82,018,487
15	Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1954...	3,652,899	2,551,599	100,095	383,943	599,764	619,978	527,752	320,067	1,101,300
16	1949...	3,875,704	2,827,575	80,553	333,493	635,788	717,039	633,837	426,865	1,048,129
17	dollars 1954...	3,906,048,162	3,683,700,919	1,089,293,569	1,075,842,743	798,741,290	437,793,131	211,686,465	70,343,721	222,347,243
18	1949...	3,023,840,651	2,816,605,302	701,395,990	747,928,635	676,943,146	405,544,017	210,833,178	73,960,336	207,235,349
19	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1954...	3,267,865	2,668,131	128,678	429,199	664,602	695,413	531,995	218,244	599,734
20	1949...	2,983,476	2,575,279	96,324	359,768	667,678	715,019	518,723	217,767	408,197
21	dollars 1954...	1,366,244,458	1,312,483,623	257,999,364	349,343,766	341,283,356	227,514,635	107,112,761	29,229,741	53,760,835
22	1949...	1,133,707,955	1,090,767,448	176,878,307	271,457,429	307,067,801	208,873,613	97,236,295	29,254,003	42,940,507
23	Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting 1954...	2,916,406	2,294,961	96,078	326,108	488,587	554,153	527,738	302,297	621,445
24	dollars 1954...	1,079,265,372	1,024,105,436	253,328,417	250,912,988	213,197,369	164,412,698	105,284,697	36,969,267	55,159,936
25	tons 1954...	18,953,360	17,811,999	3,940,860	4,194,706	3,733,247	3,096,845	2,079,180	767,161	1,141,361
26	acres on which used 1954...	122,809,445	116,212,488	21,837,154	30,418,389	27,329,135	19,653,844	12,382,932	4,591,034	6,596,957
27	average per ton, dollars 1954...	56.94	57.50	64.28	59.82	57.11	53.09	50.64	48.19	48.33
28	average per acre, dollars 1954...	8.79	8.81	11.60	8.25	7.80	8.37	8.50	8.05	8.36
29	pounds per acre 1954...	309	307	361	276	273	315	336	334	346
30	Lime and liming material.....farms reporting 1954...	520,445	450,850	24,538	96,808	128,738	106,068	68,914	25,784	69,595
31	dollars 1954...	69,477,336	65,021,932	10,615,240	19,124,948	17,193,656	10,542,820	5,778,637	1,766,631	4,455,404
32	tons 1954...	17,276,170	16,273,620	2,359,403	4,858,841	4,455,568	2,708,556	1,451,365	439,887	1,002,550
33	acres limed 1954...	10,502,965	9,778,688	1,562,179	2,754,022	2,562,503	1,634,330	954,157	311,497	724,277
34	average per ton, dollars 1954...	4.02	4.00	4.50	3.94	3.86	3.89	3.98	4.02	4.44
35	average per acre, dollars 1954...	6.62	6.65	6.80	6.94	6.71	6.45	6.06	5.67	6.15
36	pounds per acre 1954...	3,290	3,328	3,021	3,528	3,478	3,314	3,042	2,824	2,768
37	Average expenditure per farm reporting:									
38	Machine hire and/or hired labor.....dollars 1954...	888	1,048	9,765	1,631	720	417	245	131	165
39	1949...	854	996	10,871	2,027	840	450	261	142	184
40	Machine hire.....dollars 1954...	251	291	1,676	455	289	202	138	82	74
41	1949...	222	251	1,496	460	276	189	127	78	72
42	Hired labor.....dollars 1954...	1,026	1,139	8,972	1,491	642	366	217	126	229
43	1949...	906	1,009	10,097	1,781	703	374	228	139	231
44	Feed for livestock and poultry.....dollars 1954...	1,069	1,444	10,883	2,802	1,332	706	401	220	202
45	1949...	780	996	8,707	2,243	1,065	566	333	173	198
46	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....dollars 1954...	418	492	2,005	814	514	327	201	134	90
47	1949...	380	424	1,836	755	460	292	187	134	105
48	Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....dollars 1954...	370	446	2,637	769	436	297	200	122	89
49	Lime and liming material.....dollars 1954...	133	144	433	198	134	99	84	69	64
50	Percent of total value of farm products sold represented by all specified farm expenditures (including fertilizer and lime).....1954...	37.6	36.6	36.9	35.2	35.6	37.3	40.6	50.4	85.8
51	Machine hire and/or hired labor.....percent 1954...	11.8	11.6	16.2	9.9	8.6	9.3	10.2	10.9	19.4
52	1949...	13.6	13.4	18.4	13.2	11.0	10.6	10.6	10.7	20.2
53	Machine hire.....percent 1954...	2.6	2.5	1.8	2.0	2.8	3.6	4.4	5.2	6.9
54	1949...	2.7	2.7	1.7	2.3	3.0	3.6	4.0	4.4	5.8
55	Hired labor.....percent 1954...	9.2	9.1	14.4	7.8	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.7	12.5
56	1949...	10.9	10.8	16.8	10.8	8.0	7.0	6.6	6.3	14.5
57	Feed for livestock and poultry.....percent 1954...	15.7	15.2	14.0	16.1	15.7	14.6	15.0	20.1	44.0
58	1949...	13.6	13.0	12.1	13.6	13.4	12.7	12.9	14.3	36.6
59	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....percent 1954...	5.5	5.4	3.3	5.2	6.7	7.6	7.6	8.4	10.6
60	1949...	5.1	5.0	3.1	4.9	6.1	6.5	5.9	5.7	7.6
61	Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....percent 1954...	4.3	4.2	3.3	3.8	4.2	5.5	7.4	10.6	10.9
62	Lime and liming material.....percent 1954...	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.9

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Table 2.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total, all farms	Commercial farms by economic class						Other farms
		Commercial, total	Class					
			I	II	III	IV	V	Other, total
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER								
1 Commercial fertilizer used,								
2 total.....farms reporting 1954...	2,916,406	2,294,961	96,078	326,108	488,587	554,153	527,738	302,297
3 ".....tons 1954...	18,869,117	17,734,181	3,933,290	4,176,810	3,711,401	3,079,916	2,069,521	763,243
4 ".....acres on which used 1954...	122,730,363	116,144,781	21,826,525	30,409,867	27,329,843	19,642,632	12,360,996	4,574,918
Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used:								
5 Hay and cropland								
6 pasture.....farms reporting 1954...	574,846	468,792	26,548	93,692	117,571	104,585	84,487	41,909
7 ".....tons 1954...	2,000,860	1,823,764	364,754	503,828	403,509	286,513	193,777	71,383
8 ".....acres on which used 1954...	13,232,492	12,128,831	2,298,120	3,276,725	2,782,140	1,957,181	1,315,504	499,161
9 Other pasture.....farms reporting 1954...	159,972	126,856	7,611	25,863	32,560	28,614	22,582	9,626
10 ".....tons 1954...	649,245	580,751	134,342	144,327	119,355	89,969	71,155	21,603
11 ".....acres on which used 1954...	4,272,927	3,826,987	900,135	928,274	808,584	588,284	449,407	152,303
12 Fruits, vegetables,								
13 potatoes, etc.....farms reporting 1954...	491,286	333,940	23,391	43,459	57,827	79,802	80,405	49,056
14 ".....tons 1954...	2,680,296	2,552,795	1,365,624	522,176	295,660	199,234	124,085	46,017
15 ".....acres on which used 1954...	6,304,923	5,885,176	2,837,403	1,186,592	763,225	555,392	389,096	153,468
16 Corn ⁸farms reporting 1954...	1,990,331	1,607,103	45,940	228,888	358,207	400,280	361,608	212,180
17 ".....tons 1954...	6,017,805	5,599,289	655,574	1,521,287	1,377,426	1,067,996	691,871	418,516
18 ".....acres on which used 1954...	46,519,471	43,753,061	4,526,638	12,385,223	11,576,980	8,097,593	5,050,554	2,116,073
19 Cotton ⁹farms reporting 1954...	567,923	472,533	13,254	20,762	44,452	111,627	168,742	113,696
20 ".....tons 1954...	1,827,348	1,714,825	397,678	183,115	215,492	367,419	383,122	167,999
21 ".....acres on which used 1954...	9,783,582	9,273,118	2,432,381	1,067,223	1,204,561	1,898,299	1,900,602	770,052
22 Other crops.....farms reporting 1954...	5,693,563	5,462,756	1,015,318	1,302,077	1,299,959	1,068,785	605,511	171,106
23 ".....tons 1954...	42,616,968	41,277,608	8,831,848	11,565,830	10,194,353	6,545,883	3,255,833	883,861
24 ".....acres on which used 1954...								
Average rate of application on—								
25 Hay and cropland								
26 pasture.....pounds per acre 1954...	302	301	317	308	290	293	295	286
27 Other pasture.....pounds per acre 1954...	304	304	298	311	295	306	317	284
28 Fruits, vegetables, potatoes,								
29 etc.....pounds per acre 1954...	850	868	963	880	775	717	638	600
30 Corn ⁸pounds per acre 1954...	259	256	290	246	238	264	274	269
31 Cotton ⁹pounds per acre 1954...	374	370	327	343	358	387	403	441
VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD								
32 All products sold.....dollars 1954...	24,813,569,584	24,307,890,300	7,767,925,832	6,683,635,402	5,084,639,880	3,008,510,930	1,413,659,858	505,679,284
33 ".....dollars 1949...	22,279,562,599	21,713,216,602	5,786,964,265	5,517,034,144	5,060,528,547	3,198,160,839	1,634,395,317	566,345,997
34 All crops sold.....dollars 1954...	12,165,338,661	11,955,624,980	4,152,484,274	2,993,221,901	2,251,896,084	1,548,918,086	809,104,799	199,999,836
35 ".....dollars 1949...	9,819,185,008	9,603,007,877	2,779,342,472	2,290,629,453	1,966,248,227	1,414,969,324	855,545,953	296,272,448
36 Field crops, other than vegetables								
37 and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars 1954...	9,902,388,993	9,735,818,610	2,762,616,946	2,579,560,369	2,039,312,895	1,425,024,176	745,669,195	183,635,029
38 ".....dollars 1949...	8,032,079,094	7,859,543,873	1,805,171,287	1,969,199,096	1,755,018,657	1,277,497,978	779,455,245	273,201,610
39 Vegetables sold.....dollars 1954...	644,564,956	629,078,028	411,015,541	99,347,901	56,956,946	36,248,413	19,291,503	6,217,724
40 ".....dollars 1949...	620,397,332	602,060,691	341,548,601	97,597,823	71,544,726	50,047,400	29,967,325	11,354,816
41 Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1954...	1,210,658,885	1,186,848,705	688,239,202	245,507,602	131,459,961	75,158,381	37,867,409	8,616,150
42 ".....dollars 1949...	792,814,981	771,950,346	364,250,890	169,363,388	114,067,919	74,426,675	39,927,922	9,913,552
43 Horticultural specialties								
44 sold.....dollars 1954...	407,725,827	403,879,637	290,612,585	68,806,029	24,166,282	12,487,116	6,276,692	1,530,933
45 ".....dollars 1949...	373,893,601	369,452,967	268,371,694	54,469,146	25,616,925	12,997,271	6,195,461	1,802,470
46 All livestock and livestock								
47 products sold.....dollars 1954...	12,516,529,709	12,232,049,299	3,589,712,541	3,662,194,365	2,807,641,981	1,437,843,548	590,093,147	144,563,717
48 ".....dollars 1949...	12,325,622,579	11,991,661,746	2,991,416,338	3,205,931,718	3,070,403,355	1,756,906,668	756,420,432	210,583,295
49 Dairy products sold.....dollars 1954...	3,386,283,308	3,330,756,554	557,131,184	1,027,377,389	1,017,972,519	522,672,928	172,976,430	32,626,106
50 ".....dollars 1949...	3,139,529,000	3,073,814,786	429,552,372	798,417,014	987,648,960	593,732,084	219,537,455	44,926,901
51 Poultry and poultry products								
52 sold.....dollars 1954...	1,978,304,418	1,921,907,822	651,925,625	567,587,527	381,053,037	200,371,335	93,428,794	27,541,504
53 ".....dollars 1949...	1,888,201,872	1,810,029,330	432,192,635	469,186,832	438,669,709	281,901,709	142,632,068	45,446,377
54 Livestock and livestock products, other								
55 than dairy and poultry,								
56 sold.....dollars 1954...	7,151,941,983	6,979,384,923	2,380,655,732	2,067,229,449	1,408,616,425	714,799,287	323,687,923	84,396,107
57 ".....dollars 1949...	7,297,891,707	7,107,817,630	2,129,671,331	1,938,327,872	1,644,084,686	881,272,815	394,250,909	120,210,017
58 Forest products sold.....dollars 1954...	131,701,241	120,216,021	25,729,017	28,219,136	25,101,815	21,749,296	14,461,912	4,954,845
59 ".....dollars 1949...	134,755,012	118,546,979	16,205,455	20,472,973	23,876,965	26,284,907	22,428,932	9,277,747
SPECIFIED LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS								
60 Livestock on farms:								
61 All cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1954...	3,665,782	2,628,268	96,097	377,151	602,943	641,774	566,574	343,729
62 ".....farms reporting 1950...	4,090,583	2,991,113	77,908	327,801	637,530	732,974	689,107	525,793
63 ".....number 1954...	95,634,676	88,739,339	17,794,018	21,928,736	21,628,756	15,143,690	8,806,105	3,440,034
64 ".....number 1950...	77,520,335	72,027,797	13,238,011	15,717,114	17,972,226	13,539,769	8,008,809	3,551,868
65 Cows, including heifers								
66 that have calved.....farms reporting 1954...	3,488,157	2,530,316	85,445	356,109	584,293	622,921	547,301	334,247
67 ".....farms reporting 1950...	3,958,585	2,921,831	73,573	318,442	626,625	719,398	672,673	511,120
68 ".....number 1954...	45,520,719	41,984,939	6,825,630	10,064,754	10,774,625	7,802,988	4,640,407	1,876,535
69 ".....number 1950...	37,567,618	34,724,126	5,382,626	7,362,765	8,982,105	6,938,183	4,152,512	1,905,935
70 Milk cows.....farms reporting 1954...	2,956,900	2,167,364	65,331	297,853	507,269	541,388	468,538	286,985
71 ".....farms reporting 1950...	3,681,627	2,733,691	64,663	294,927	590,796	679,161	629,380	474,764
72 ".....number 1954...	20,365,450	18,671,093	1,584,727	4,280,683	5,611,058	4,072,417	2,210,872	912,336
73 ".....number 1950...	21,367,470	19,348,871	1,243,157	3,517,534	5,705,881	4,697,249	2,815,361	1,369,689
74 Horses and mules.....farms reporting 1954...	1,806,194	1,324,541	181,844	141,877	240,591	321,288	327,752	240,551
75 ".....farms reporting 1950...	2,917,052	2,162,406	56,595	193,551	395,866	516,888	534,800	464,706
76 ".....number 1954...	4,160,263	3,264,092	325,044	442,261	600,682	726,550	696,658	472,697
77 ".....number 1950...	7,634,185	6,106,060	455,890	715,054	1,164,447	1,382,883	1,334,086	1,053,700
78 All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1954...	2,374,576	1,793,041	53,099	245,088	404,001	449,826	402,427	238,600
79 ".....farms reporting 1950...	3,030,217	2,292,811	47,213	233,027	471,370	558,509	552,476	304,216
80 ".....number 1954...	57,192,006	54,960,518	6,808,376	17,263,054	16,091,402	9,089,499	4,215,042	1,493,145
81 ".....number 1950...	56,291,740	52,390,381	4,530,226	13,661,473	15,981,953	10,000,483	5,576,702	2,639,544
82 Chickens 4 months old								
83 and over.....farms reporting 1954...	3,437,491	2,406,338	64,532	305,817	523,152	601,589	555,807	355,441
84 ".....farms reporting 1950...	4,243,025	2,989,579	62,330	292,727	587,569	722,081	731,118	593,754
85 ".....number 1954...	383,970,844	340,408,127	36,189,492	83,315,574	91,839,790	68,320,163	43,891,500	18,941,608
86 ".....number 1950...	343,108,669	295,876,355	20,545,580	54,984,495	80,096,850	67,957,697	46,430,956	25,860,777

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Other farms—Continued			Percent distribution, by economic class of farm (all farms = 100%)										Proportion of total within each economic class (Data for all farms, or for indicated sub-heading = 100%)																								
Part-time	Residential	Abnormal	Com- mer- cial, total	Commercial farms						Other total	Part- time	Resi- dent- ial	Ab- normal	Commercial farms												Other total	Part- time	Resi- dent- ial	Ab- normal								
				Class										Class																							
				I	II	III	IV	V	VI					I	II	III	IV	V	VI																		
Farms reporting (all farms = 100%); tons (total tons of commercial fertilizer used = 100%); acres (total acres fertilized = 100%)																																					
320,601	299,040	1,804	78.7	3.3	11.2	16.8	19.0	18.1	10.4	21.3	11.0	10.3	0.1	61.0	69.0	71.7	72.6	69.1	68.2	69.1	65.4	42.7	55.8	34.1	67.0	1											
732,238	334,514	68,184	94.0	20.8	22.1	19.7	16.3	11.0	4.0	6.0	3.9	1.8	0.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	2											
4,299,587	1,923,918	362,077	94.6	17.8	24.8	22.3	16.0	10.1	3.7	5.4	3.5	1.6	0.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	3											
58,679	46,449	926	81.6	4.6	16.3	20.5	18.2	14.7	7.3	18.4	10.2	8.1	0.2	12.0	14.1	19.8	20.9	16.6	12.9	11.1	9.1	7.3	10.2	5.3	34.4	4											
111,069	49,192	16,835	91.1	18.2	25.2	20.2	14.3	9.7	3.6	8.9	5.6	2.5	0.8	10.6	10.3	9.3	12.1	10.9	9.3	9.4	9.4	15.6	15.2	14.7	24.7	5											
707,298	301,410	94,953	91.7	17.4	24.8	21.0	14.8	9.9	3.8	8.3	5.3	2.3	0.7	10.8	10.4	10.5	10.8	10.2	10.0	10.6	10.9	16.8	16.5	15.7	26.2	6											
18,730	14,113	273	79.3	4.8	16.2	20.4	17.9	14.1	6.0	20.7	11.7	8.8	0.2	3.3	3.8	5.7	5.8	4.6	3.5	3.0	2.1	2.3	3.3	1.6	10.1	7											
48,073	16,512	3,909	89.5	20.7	22.2	18.4	13.9	11.0	3.3	10.5	7.4	2.5	0.6	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.4	2.8	6.0	6.6	4.9	5.7	8											
318,545	108,611	18,784	89.6	21.1	21.7	18.9	13.8	10.5	3.6	10.4	7.5	2.5	0.4	3.5	3.3	4.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.6	3.3	6.8	7.4	5.6	5.2	9											
64,133	92,290	923	68.0	4.8	8.8	11.8	16.2	16.4	10.0	32.0	13.1	18.8	0.2	10.3	10.0	17.5	9.7	8.2	9.8	10.5	10.6	10.8	11.2	10.5	34.3	10											
60,030	52,886	14,584	95.2	51.0	19.5	11.0	7.4	4.6	1.7	4.8	2.2	2.0	0.5	14.2	14.4	34.7	12.5	8.0	6.5	6.0	6.0	11.2	8.2	15.8	21.4	11											
199,769	179,544	40,434	93.3	45.0	18.8	12.1	8.8	6.2	2.4	6.7	3.2	2.8	0.6	5.1	5.1	13.0	3.9	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.4	6.4	4.6	9.3	11.2	12											
195,333	186,676	1,219	80.7	2.3	11.5	18.0	20.1	18.2	10.7	19.3	9.8	9.4	0.1	41.6	48.3	34.3	51.0	50.7	49.3	47.4	45.9	26.3	34.0	21.3	45.3	13											
252,987	147,799	17,730	93.0	10.9	25.3	22.9	17.7	11.5	4.7	7.0	4.2	2.5	0.3	31.9	31.6	16.7	36.4	37.1	34.7	33.4	37.4	36.9	34.5	44.2	26.0	14											
1,715,975	945,680	104,755	94.1	9.7	26.6	24.9	17.4	10.9	4.5	5.9	3.7	2.0	0.2	37.9	37.7	20.7	42.4	41.2	40.9	46.3	42.0	39.9	44.2	28.9	15												
70,269	25,032	89	83.2	2.3	3.7	7.8	19.7	29.7	20.0	16.8	12.4	4.4	(2)	11.9	14.2	9.9	4.6	6.3	13.7	22.1	24.6	6.6	12.2	2.9	3.3	16											
92,946	16,655	2,922	93.8	21.8	10.0	11.8	20.1	20.1	9.2	6.2	5.1	0.9	0.2	9.7	9.7	10.1	4.4	5.8	11.9	18.5	22.0	9.9	12.7	5.0	4.3	17											
407,347	77,030	26,087	94.8	24.9	10.9	12.3	19.4	19.4	7.9	5.2	4.2	0.8	0.3	8.0	8.0	11.1	3.5	4.4	9.7	15.4	16.8	7.8	9.5	4.0	7.2	18											
167,133	51,470	12,204	95.9	17.8	22.9	18.8	18.8	10.6	3.0	4.1	2.9	0.9	0.2	30.2	30.8	25.8	31.2	35.0	34.7	29.3	22.4	20.3	22.8	15.4	17.9	19											
950,653	311,643	77,064	96.9	20.7	27.1	23.9	15.4	7.6	2.1	3.1	2.2	0.7	0.2	34.7	35.9	40.5	38.0	37.3	33.3	26.3	19.3	20.3	22.1	16.2	21.3	20											
314	326	355	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	21										
302	304	416	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	22										
601	589	721	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	23										
295	313	339	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	24										
456	432	224	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	25										
Total value of farm products sold = 100%																																					
356,695,100	63,850,853	85,133,331	98.0	31.3	26.9	20.5	12.1	5.7	1.4	2.0	1.4	0.3	0.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	26											
391,193,954	84,714,797	90,437,246	97.5	26.0	24.8	22.7	14.4	7.3	2.3	2.5	1.8	0.4	0.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	27											
161,516,990	22,735,930	25,460,761	98.3	34.1	24.6	18.0	12.7	6.7	1.6	1.7	1.3	0.2	0.2	49.0	49.2	53.5	44.8	44.3	51.5	57.2	57.2	41.5	45.3	35.6	29.7	28											
164,368,159	27,620,687	24,188,285	97.8	28.3	23.3	20.5	10.4	8.7	3.0	2.2	1.7	0.3	0.2	44.1	44.2	48.0	41.5	38.9	44.2	52.3	57.4	48.2	42.0	32.6	26.9	29											
135,598,044	15,459,984	15,512,355	98.3	27.9	26.0	20.6	14.4	7.5	1.9	1.7	1.4	0.2	0.2	39.9	40.1	35.6	38.6	40.1	47.4	52.7	52.5	32.9	38.0	24.2	18.2	30											
136,560,694	21,502,449	14,472,078	97.9	22.5	24.5	21.9	15.9	9.7	3.4	2.1	1.7	0.3	0.2	36.1	36.2	31.2	35.7	34.7	39.9	47.7	52.9	30.5	34.9	25.4	16.0	31											
7,668,960	1,797,337	6,020,631	97.6	63.8	15.4	8.8	5.6	3.0	1.0	2.4	1.2	0.3	0.9	2.6	2.6	5.3	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.8	3.1	2.1	2.8	7.1	32											
10,055,605	2,048,660	6,232,376	97.0	55.1	15.7	11.5	8.1	4.8	1.8	3.0	1.6	0.3	1.0	2.8	2.8	5.9	1.8	1.4	1.6	1.8	2.2	3.2	2.6	2.4	6.9	33											
15,726,297	4,720,476	3,363,407	98.0	56.8	20.3	10.9	6.2	3.1	0.7	2.0	1.3	0.4	0.3	4.9	4.9	8.9	3.7	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.5	4.7	4.4	7.4	4.0	34											
15,401,942	3,269,283	2,193,410	97.4	45.9	21.4	14.4	9.4	5.0	1.3	2.6	1.9	0.4	0.3	3.6	3.6	6.3	3.1	2.3	2.3	2.4	1.9	3.7	3.9	3.9	2.4	35											
2,523,689	758,133	564,368	99.1	71.3	16.9	5.9	3.1	1.5	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.2	0.1	1.6	1.7	3.7	1.0	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.7	1.2	0.7	36											
2,349,918	800,295	1,290,421	98.8	71.8	14.6	6.9	3.5	1.7	0.5	1.2	0.6	0.2	0.1	1.7	1.7	4.6	1.0	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.9	1.4	37											
188,461,313	38,812,246	57,206,851	97.7	28.7	29.3	22.4	11.5	4.7	1.2	2.3	1.5	0.3	0.5	50.4	50.3	46.2	54.8	55.2	47.8	41.7	41.4	56.3	52.8	60.8	67.2	38											
215,642,682	53,171,260	65,146,891	97.3	24.3	26.0	24.9	14.3	6.1	1.7	2.7	1.7	0.4	0.2	55.3	55.2	51.7	58.1	60.7	54.9	46.3	40.8	59.0	55.1	62.8	72.0	39											
30,797,301	3,496,076	21,233,377	98.4	16.5	30.3	30.1	15.4	5.1	1.0	1.6	0.9	0.1	0.6	13.6	13.7	7.2	15.4	20.0	17.4	12.2	9.3	11.0	8.6	5.5	24.9	40											
39,070,818	5,316,219	21,327,177	97.9	13.7	25.4	31.5	18.9	7.0	1.4	2.1	1.2	0.2	0.7	14.1	14.2	7.4	14.5	19.5	18.6	13.4	8.7	11.6	10.0	6.3	23.6	41											
36,837,455	11,663,521	7,895,620	97.1	3																																	

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Table 2.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total, all farms	Commercial farms by economic class						Other farms	
		Commercial, total	Class						
			I	II	III	IV	V	Other, total	
SPECIFIED LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Continued									
Average per farm reporting:									
1 All cattle and calves...number 1954...	26.1	33.8	185.2	58.1	35.9	23.6	15.5	10.0	6.6
2 1950...	19.0	24.1	169.9	47.9	28.2	18.5	11.6	6.8	5.0
3 Cows, including heifers that have calved...number 1954...	13.1	16.6	79.9	28.3	18.4	12.5	8.5	5.6	3.7
4 1950...	9.5	11.9	73.2	23.1	14.3	9.6	6.2	3.7	2.7
5 Milk cows...number 1954...	6.9	8.6	24.3	14.4	11.1	7.5	4.7	3.2	2.1
6 1950...	5.8	7.1	19.2	11.9	9.7	6.9	4.5	2.9	2.1
7 Horses and mules...number 1954...	2.3	2.5	6.3	3.1	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.9
8 1950...	2.6	2.8	8.1	3.7	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.0
9 All hogs and pigs...number 1954...	24.4	30.7	128.2	70.4	39.8	20.2	10.5	6.3	5.1
10 1950...	18.6	22.8	96.0	58.6	33.9	17.9	10.1	6.1	5.3
11 Chickens 4 months old and over...number 1954...	111.7	141.5	560.8	272.4	175.6	113.6	75.4	53.3	42.2
12 1950...	80.9	99.0	329.6	187.8	136.3	94.1	63.5	43.6	37.7
Livestock and livestock products sold:									
13 Cattle and calves sold alive...farms reporting 1954...	2,642,916	2,168,641	87,889	351,296	547,304	533,758	421,981	226,413	474,275
14 1949...	3,023,122	2,477,137	70,441	303,881	587,709	633,437	533,762	347,907	545,985
15 number 1954...	44,736,443	42,601,497	12,212,304	10,681,735	9,049,481	6,039,892	3,466,399	1,151,686	2,134,946
16 1949...	36,499,641	35,051,025	9,792,025	8,270,897	7,815,117	5,288,143	2,840,352	1,043,691	1,440,616
17 dollars 1954...	4,324,829,162	4,210,123,463	1,742,795,423	1,107,550,811	702,863,648	396,669,653	203,466,032	56,777,896	114,705,699
18 1949...	4,337,849,803	4,231,201,900	1,611,932,178	1,074,716,298	795,823,324	458,951,803	220,725,945	69,052,352	106,647,903
19 Hogs and pigs sold alive...farms reporting 1954...	1,438,133	1,255,625	46,114	221,919	347,485	318,638	222,327	99,082	182,508
20 1949...	2,119,174	1,796,619	42,451	223,132	444,817	470,015	385,952	230,252	322,555
21 number 1954...	58,530,358	56,784,820	8,757,691	19,792,544	16,113,671	7,890,031	3,308,688	922,195	1,745,538
22 1949...	66,465,228	63,736,324	6,567,928	18,442,595	20,419,734	11,104,616	5,253,834	1,947,617	2,728,904
23 dollars 1954...	2,335,038,298	2,290,796,585	399,933,451	858,478,856	638,476,413	274,758,471	97,433,082	21,716,312	44,241,713
24 1949...	2,421,458,120	2,358,124,988	276,123,650	755,966,169	770,917,589	368,421,510	145,221,859	42,474,211	63,333,132
25 Sheep and lambs sold alive...farms reporting 1954...	294,160	258,591	15,625	53,900	69,553	60,678	42,591	16,244	35,569
26 1949...	22,900,943	22,322,893	10,906,312	4,832,131	3,175,008	2,042,416	1,086,447	280,579	578,050
27 number 1954...	338,370,729	331,138,996	173,346,815	68,721,715	44,440,361	27,205,935	13,965,987	3,458,183	7,231,733
28 1949...	348,845,061	341,711,536	177,133,336	69,905,407	47,089,755	29,714,822	13,649,453	4,218,763	7,133,525
29 Chickens sold...farms reporting 1954...	1,077,171	921,286	35,473	182,434	268,622	219,241	145,289	70,227	155,885
30 1949...	1,744,797	1,412,289	30,837	180,954	363,495	364,372	288,657	183,508	332,508
31 dollars 1954...	708,010,571	696,856,646	285,208,928	226,467,915	112,594,135	49,045,427	19,121,847	4,418,394	11,153,925
32 1949...	588,542,194	565,839,950	168,657,002	157,271,704	119,660,240	72,616,128	37,084,343	10,550,533	22,702,244
33 Chicken eggs sold...farms reporting 1954...	1,712,746	1,391,734	38,183	221,323	366,653	346,037	264,062	155,476	321,012
34 1949...	2,459,984	1,950,726	37,642	223,771	461,167	496,209	422,677	309,260	509,258
35 dozens 1954...	2,775,895,538	2,663,454,463	420,952,501	801,705,307	726,692,178	436,668,115	209,793,202	67,643,160	112,441,075
36 1949...	2,483,696,061	2,357,912,503	242,150,879	566,763,871	717,378,256	490,951,765	251,990,638	88,677,094	125,783,558
37 dollars 1954...	963,382,358	922,823,398	169,192,527	280,323,366	238,037,097	143,039,262	70,261,119	21,969,727	40,558,960
38 1949...	1,043,248,490	991,928,611	121,610,807	249,236,614	292,369,318	196,247,531	99,318,226	33,146,115	51,319,879
39 Milk sold ¹⁰ ...pounds 1954...	95,408,549,628	93,697,698,123	11,896,999,727	27,346,270,671	30,353,104,881	16,875,334,764	6,002,403,466	1,223,584,614	1,710,851,505
40 1949...	3,386,283,308	3,330,756,554	557,131,184	1,027,377,389	1,017,972,519	522,672,926	172,976,430	32,626,106	55,526,754
41 dollars 1954...	3,128,903,899	3,066,230,172	428,942,791	797,817,095	986,758,172	592,190,417	217,168,323	43,353,374	62,673,727
42 1949...	3,128,903,899	3,066,230,172	428,942,791	797,817,095	986,758,172	592,190,417	217,168,323	43,353,374	62,673,727
43 Sheep shorn...farms reporting 1954...	320,005	275,897	15,517	56,505	74,935	65,148	45,651	18,141	44,108
44 1949...	213,898,282	206,113,228	91,812,038	46,432,515	32,371,089	21,630,334	11,083,555	2,783,697	7,785,054
45 dollars 1954...	115,149,339	111,073,088	49,559,502	25,152,088	17,317,753	11,605,806	5,955,515	1,882,424	4,076,251
1949...	89,221,626	86,678,636	42,073,721	18,196,645	12,475,152	8,601,778	4,119,481	1,211,859	2,542,990
Average per farm reporting:									
46 Cattle and calves sold alive...number 1954...	16.9	19.6	139.0	30.4	16.5	11.3	8.2	5.1	4.5
47 1949...	12.1	14.1	139.0	27.2	13.3	8.3	5.3	3.0	2.7
48 Hogs and pigs sold alive...number 1954...	40.7	45.2	189.9	89.2	46.4	24.8	14.9	9.3	9.6
49 1949...	31.4	35.5	154.7	82.7	45.9	23.6	13.6	8.5	8.5
50 Sheep and lambs sold alive...number 1954...	77.9	86.3	698.0	89.6	45.6	33.7	25.5	17.3	16.3
51 1949...	1,621	1,914	11,025	3,622	1,982	1,262	795	435	350
52 Chicken eggs sold...dozens 1954...	1,010	1,209	6,433	2,533	1,556	989	596	287	247
53 1949...	668	747	5,917	822	432	332	243	153	176
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED									
54 Corn for all purposes...farms reporting 1954...	2,855,001	2,300,134	62,270	311,252	529,944	591,623	509,576	295,469	554,867
55 1949...	3,414,237	2,653,097	44,381	252,946	542,443	657,380	638,490	517,577	761,140
56 acres 1954...	78,133,608	74,392,276	6,766,774	20,533,471	21,756,952	14,479,639	7,616,861	3,038,579	3,744,332
57 1949...	83,351,015	77,751,706	4,755,243	17,453,712	23,357,863	16,585,778	9,908,914	5,690,914	5,599,309
58 Corn harvested for grain...farms reporting 1954...	2,549,752	2,046,692	53,508	277,273	464,360	519,737	460,983	270,831	503,060
59 1949...	3,212,063	2,480,145	39,224	229,490	494,903	606,095	606,791	503,642	731,918
60 acres 1954...	66,689,995	63,397,091	5,741,465	17,880,302	18,350,655	12,025,751	6,721,800	2,677,718	3,292,904
61 1949...	75,172,813	69,873,511	4,144,431	15,629,055	20,726,643	14,787,395	9,146,525	5,439,462	5,899,302
62 bushels harvested 1954...	2,616,216,081	2,547,166,105	310,466,094	899,567,119	752,928,707	374,954,752	160,684,059	48,565,374	69,049,976
63 1949...	2,783,502,060	2,658,891,397	196,874,916	725,998,656	853,150,679	506,893,977	255,075,965	120,897,204	124,610,663
64 bushels sold 1954...	1,006,917,847	992,352,872	126,249,432	406,110,615	287,331,497	120,562,701	43,896,115	8,202,512	14,364,975
65 1949...	867,509,479	854,646,779	68,233,829	297,732,279	300,882,762	130,971,536	44,615,969	12,210,404	12,862,900
66 dollars 1954...	1,445,909,124	1,424,407,482	183,804,324	580,216,252	409,583,413	174,150,738	64,399,073	12,253,682	21,501,642
67 Value of corn and corn products sold...dollars 1949...	1,022,617,435	1,007,896,685	86,137,555	363,033,999	347,474,806	147,587,963	49,892,488	13,769,874	14,920,750

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF

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Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total, all farms	Commercial farms by economic class						Other farms		
		Commercial, total	Class						Other, total	
			I	II	III	IV	V	VI		
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued										
1 Sorghums for all purposes except syrup ¹¹farms reporting 1954...	366,129	324,127	18,226	50,918	74,083	79,750	65,587	35,563	42,002	
2acres 1954...	17,566,834	17,124,512	3,763,656	4,862,839	4,038,789	2,658,912	1,378,575	421,741	442,322	
3 Wheat threshed ¹²acres 1954...	51,448,737	50,791,304	8,652,657	15,722,179	14,438,249	8,362,069	3,008,744	607,406	657,433	
41949...	71,043,483	70,038,189	11,386,780	19,292,698	20,481,135	12,934,269	4,835,365	1,107,942	1,005,294	
5bushels harvested 1954...	911,840,056	900,568,587	198,656,471	299,778,783	235,632,058	117,952,632	41,085,339	7,463,304	11,271,469	
61949...	1,008,544,957	994,504,249	203,122,779	299,244,575	274,093,480	153,561,284	52,978,519	11,503,612	14,040,708	
7bushels sold 1954...	806,781,626	799,834,940	187,861,731	273,854,788	206,555,114	97,118,052	30,374,554	4,070,701	6,946,686	
81949...	847,943,564	840,261,500	189,085,848	265,799,633	226,566,413	116,757,910	36,105,398	5,946,298	7,682,064	
9dollars 1954...	1,722,509,507	1,708,034,255	400,527,007	584,625,123	442,106,243	207,751,472	64,439,223	8,585,187	14,475,252	
10 Oats threshed ¹³farms reporting 1954...	1,417,956	1,310,782	49,365	260,166	408,821	340,948	188,799	62,683	107,174	
11acres 1954...	38,143,472	37,285,671	3,225,390	10,517,614	12,416,000	7,586,987	2,860,210	679,470	857,801	
12bushels harvested 1954...	1,325,491,436	1,301,965,691	135,445,586	407,364,446	429,962,582	232,875,376	79,465,686	16,852,015	23,525,745	
13bushels sold 1954...	349,806,594	344,064,730	49,225,597	116,933,681	104,204,164	51,682,175	18,592,496	3,426,617	5,741,864	
14dollars 1954...	247,445,269	243,105,663	36,838,601	81,857,056	72,226,475	36,174,150	13,489,291	2,520,090	4,339,606	
15 Barley threshed ¹⁴farms reporting 1954...	323,343	307,256	24,006	68,654	92,698	74,516	37,731	9,651	16,087	
16acres 1954...	12,644,195	12,493,480	3,514,857	3,331,665	3,008,426	1,853,351	655,525	129,656	150,719	
17bushels harvested 1954...	356,650,759	353,143,727	133,815,626	93,209,782	72,112,785	38,988,031	12,871,188	2,146,315	3,507,032	
18bushels sold 1954...	237,093,024	235,810,660	107,976,147	60,215,558	41,354,767	19,935,843	5,626,247	702,098	1,282,364	
19dollars 1954...	259,261,664	257,853,926	121,614,754	64,540,770	43,863,728	21,073,592	6,008,523	752,559	1,407,738	
20 Rice threshed ¹⁵farms reporting 1954...	11,521	11,438	4,628	3,380	1,728	1,153	453	96	83	
21acres 1954...	2,492,758	2,486,142	1,820,037	486,857	131,048	35,998	10,502	1,700	6,616	
22bushels harvested 1954...	144,540,950	144,189,134	110,788,903	25,436,203	5,893,742	1,608,752	398,257	63,277	351,816	
23bushels sold 1954...	142,305,065	141,963,551	109,136,360	24,992,397	5,825,554	1,555,668	391,915	61,657	341,514	
24dollars 1954...	290,797,801	290,104,095	224,754,046	49,731,205	11,636,500	3,077,320	783,351	121,673	693,706	
25 Soybeans for all purposes ¹⁶farms reporting 1954...	628,235	573,953	24,277	127,054	169,569	137,481	84,098	31,474	54,282	
26acres grown alone 1954...	17,612,501	17,280,439	2,508,172	6,093,713	4,996,850	2,459,360	991,390	230,954	332,062	
27acres grown with other crops 1954...	546,402	517,650	49,635	73,723	110,586	152,665	103,532	27,509	28,752	
28 Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1954...	470,503	451,012	22,341	119,416	150,025	100,408	47,198	11,624	19,491	
29acres grown alone 1954...	16,315,118	16,125,907	2,370,308	5,918,681	4,745,399	2,174,985	779,075	137,452	189,218	
30acres grown with other crops 1954...	64,706	63,476	4,056	14,108	14,302	14,743	8,112	1,155	1,230	
31bushels harvested 1954...	324,004,241	321,771,263	51,273,425	133,959,693	91,023,741	33,986,079	10,087,478	1,440,847	2,232,978	
32sold, dollars 1954...	777,119,882	772,760,560	122,985,173	322,234,513	217,672,048	81,274,122	24,156,905	3,437,799	5,359,322	
33 Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing ¹⁷farms reporting 1954...	118,993	100,989	916	4,818	17,202	30,695	29,289	18,069	18,004	
34acres grown alone 1954...	1,269,016	1,217,469	64,011	162,842	295,778	362,911	243,619	88,308	51,547	
35acres grown with other crops 1954...	1,605	1,360	15	195	240	330	165	45	245	
36pounds harvested 1954...	869,924,014	851,947,360	54,329,526	154,645,388	250,959,137	244,755,641	118,279,893	28,977,775	17,976,654	
37sold, dollars 1954...	100,122,238	98,161,226	6,145,991	18,129,416	29,372,167	28,139,338	13,204,439	3,169,875	1,961,012	
38 Dry field and seed beans harvested for beans ¹⁸acres 1954...	1,340,809	1,314,301	353,660	374,040	321,401	178,802	71,954	14,444	26,508	
39100-lb. bags 1954...	15,030,738	14,923,308	5,899,196	4,507,530	2,868,374	1,207,974	392,684	47,550	107,430	
40sold, dollars 1954...	119,433,294	118,540,830	48,413,444	34,567,957	22,193,004	9,724,683	3,249,478	392,264	892,464	
41 Hay cut ¹⁹acres 1954...	70,393,305	65,964,418	8,350,922	15,941,046	18,265,003	13,451,428	7,325,510	2,630,509	4,428,887	
421949...	66,021,167	60,628,128	6,779,960	12,108,353	16,341,474	13,627,013	8,077,567	3,693,761	5,393,039	
43tons cut 1954...	102,668,441	97,825,298	15,339,523	25,859,835	27,369,471	17,929,471	8,634,518	2,692,618	4,843,143	
44tons sold 1954...	12,729,982	12,280,678	4,198,779	3,328,212	2,422,783	1,433,302	738,421	159,181	499,304	
45dollars 1954...	286,450,127	275,961,879	95,168,062	74,653,098	53,563,616	32,083,070	16,865,051	3,628,982	10,488,248	
46 Alfalfa cut for hay ²⁰farms reporting 1954...	1,145,968	1,038,650	53,426	221,261	323,964	255,038	138,942	46,019	107,318	
47acres 1954...	26,250,097	25,342,395	3,540,010	7,007,227	7,594,023	4,707,124	1,990,160	503,851	907,702	
48tons cut 1954...	55,621,401	54,126,035	10,326,814	15,753,856	15,363,076	8,605,228	3,307,467	769,594	1,495,366	
49tons sold 1954...	9,652,319	9,463,780	3,801,782	2,605,069	1,711,798	904,279	377,647	63,205	188,539	
50dollars 1954...	221,287,259	216,687,612	86,702,045	59,599,430	39,021,219	20,933,218	8,928,877	1,502,823	4,599,647	
51 Clover or timothy (alone or mixed) cut for hay ²⁰farms reporting 1954...	862,487	716,978	22,890	124,580	198,982	183,344	128,368	58,814	145,509	
52acres 1954...	17,016,718	15,666,907	1,131,176	3,668,769	4,617,660	3,548,032	2,003,005	698,265	1,349,811	
53tons cut 1954...	23,910,247	22,380,510	1,751,421	5,713,501	6,836,243	4,831,976	2,478,944	768,425	1,529,737	
54tons sold 1954...	1,535,985	1,402,363	139,546	379,021	374,093	260,351	198,920	50,432	133,622	
55dollars 1954...	34,829,847	31,712,036	3,377,541	8,452,149	8,313,677	5,869,796	4,546,026	1,152,847	3,117,811	
56 Lespedeza cut for hay ²⁰farms reporting 1954...	316,686	240,412	3,516	12,802	31,591	64,461	78,502	49,540	76,274	
57acres 1954...	3,342,638	2,817,840	168,508	311,322	499,438	727,607	725,808	324,798	524,798	
58tons cut 1954...	2,858,546	2,462,276	166,405	304,364	480,292	633,357	589,704	288,154	396,270	
59tons sold 1954...	145,624	130,559	13,612	20,527	26,068	36,746	25,361	8,245	15,067	
60dollars 1954...	4,416,065	3,946,858	402,546	626,218	794,863	1,116,760	753,372	253,099	469,207	
61 Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1954...	1,437,424	962,544	17,457	78,140	169,425	250,351	261,101	186,070	474,880	
621949...	1,663,945	1,134,376	16,618	80,596	190,039	275,549	307,488	264,086	529,569	
63acres 1954...	1,210,611	1,161,955	531,989	337,747	160,365	76,257	37,840	17,757	48,656	
641949...	1,519,116	1,417,086	488,500	385,334	248,328	153,430	91,762	49,732	102,030	
65bushels harvested 1954...	338,366,749	329,769,953	175,646,569	93,943,699	36,347,853	14,227,591	6,505,398	3,098,843	8,596,796	
661949...	369,253,920	357,427,825	162,169,735	101,840,167	52,173,607	24,267,003	11,334,305	5,643,008	11,826,095	
67sold, dollars 1954...	363,629,879	359,518,084	208,478,734	98,103,816	35,700,073	18,836,024	3,997,330	1,402,107	4,111,795	
681949...	356,605,127	350,858,809	175,967,371	98,291,404	47,146,436	19,519,981	7,392,749	2,540,868	5,746,318	

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Table 2.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS, BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)		Total, all farms	Commercial farms by economic class						Other farms	
			Commercial, total	Class					Other, total	
				I	II	III	IV	V		VI
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued										
1	Cotton harvested ²¹farms reporting 1954...	862,801	731,236	21,369	41,254	86,311	187,531	241,478	153,293	131,565
2	1949...	1,108,630	892,314	15,407	30,573	75,841	174,648	290,595	297,250	216,316
3	acres 1954...	18,701,425	17,964,121	4,340,928	3,052,483	3,018,906	3,580,753	2,903,197	1,067,854	737,304
4	1949...	26,546,000	24,966,540	5,014,628	4,554,239	3,966,264	4,212,167	4,338,318	2,880,924	1,579,460
5	bales harvested 1954...	12,830,206	12,514,821	4,849,625	1,896,481	1,644,872	2,036,386	1,606,603	480,854	313,365
6	1949...	15,422,092	14,903,897	4,330,072	2,808,137	2,153,508	2,263,456	2,268,447	1,080,277	518,195
7	Lint cotton and cottonseed ²¹sold, dollars 1954...	2,496,757,231	2,434,985,770	940,760,714	366,914,281	319,021,708	398,049,208	315,725,216	94,514,643	61,771,461
8	1949...	2,198,276,212	2,122,588,713	613,716,655	384,715,245	302,441,175	326,304,621	336,081,890	159,329,127	75,687,499
9	Tobacco harvested ²²acres 1954...	1,533,190	1,474,344	38,994	115,104	339,276	552,000	340,906	88,064	58,846
10	1949...	1,526,100	1,454,489	38,198	85,124	244,333	520,302	420,850	145,682	71,611
11	pounds harvested 1954...	1,887,359,521	1,822,734,686	56,948,705	162,384,829	460,465,804	674,126,509	376,066,775	92,742,064	64,624,835
12	1949...	1,765,793,148	1,698,109,322	50,327,926	118,119,864	316,580,837	619,488,005	451,376,939	142,215,751	67,683,826
13	sold, dollars 1954...	955,981,526	924,436,467	40,127,465	77,656,546	231,454,255	341,287,511	188,210,849	45,699,841	31,545,059
14	1949...	809,887,781	783,841,530	52,347,871	51,683,258	145,823,890	286,066,313	193,151,312	54,768,886	26,046,251
15	Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1954...	288,472	229,168	13,392	31,767	44,783	55,104	52,654	31,468	59,304
16	dollars 1954...	644,564,956	629,078,028	411,015,541	99,347,901	56,956,446	36,248,413	19,291,503	6,217,724	15,486,928
17	1949...	620,397,332	602,060,691	341,548,601	97,597,823	71,544,726	50,047,400	29,967,325	11,354,816	18,336,641
18	Sugar beets harvested for sugar ²³farms reporting 1954...	22,773	22,516	4,629	8,078	6,255	2,666	736	152	257
19	acres 1954...	805,579	804,245	402,169	255,091	109,305	29,802	6,757	1,121	1,334
20	tons harvested 1954...	12,737,218	12,722,839	7,293,979	3,578,661	1,415,196	349,682	74,592	10,729	14,379
21	sold, dollars 1954...	142,794,354	142,632,011	81,918,470	39,893,029	15,922,735	3,934,928	841,225	121,624	162,343
22	Sugarcane harvested for sugar or for sale to mills.....farms reporting 1954...	3,596	3,479	387	514	747	1,031	655	145	117
23	1949...	5,036	4,683	350	406	580	1,097	1,410	840	353
24	acres 1954...	282,475	279,963	189,118	39,708	29,727	15,620	4,935	855	2,512
25	1949...	318,000	313,223	196,722	44,940	28,433	24,928	13,465	4,735	4,777
26	tons harvested 1954...	6,583,362	6,531,040	4,717,040	866,190	562,975	290,550	82,105	12,180	52,322
27	1949...	6,362,282	6,279,342	4,162,150	847,405	555,309	435,458	220,450	58,570	82,940
28	sold, dollars 1954...	44,100,369	43,757,659	31,875,960	5,673,544	3,687,486	1,903,102	537,788	79,779	342,710
29	1949...	40,710,513	40,215,959	26,842,671	5,412,988	3,582,188	2,686,732	1,356,400	334,980	494,554
30	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees ²⁴farms reporting 1954...	439,104	289,991	20,456	43,317	58,879	66,528	64,355	36,456	149,113
31	1950...	2,253,951	1,479,215	35,926	150,515	298,049	357,576	360,912	276,237	774,736
32	acres 1954...	4,062,341	3,616,219	1,589,849	743,010	508,352	380,249	282,598	112,161	446,122
33	1950...	4,698,873	4,039,630	1,268,354	804,981	702,555	613,633	443,950	206,157	659,243
34	Apples ²⁰farms reporting 1954...	336,365	213,784	9,895	26,709	40,262	49,823	52,556	34,539	122,581
35	Trees of bearing age.....number 1954...	24,906,111	21,684,021	9,476,403	4,249,749	2,824,132	2,355,122	1,873,132	905,483	3,222,090
36	bushels harvested 1954...	110,347,770	107,358,271	73,694,176	18,782,870	7,195,264	4,124,592	2,498,847	1,062,522	2,989,499
37	sold, dollars 1954...	246,601,905	240,481,668	167,818,092	41,423,812	15,400,720	8,492,755	5,211,694	2,134,595	2,134,595
38	Peaches ²⁰trees of bearing age.....number 1954...	29,311,950	27,005,865	11,524,331	6,124,088	3,791,558	2,721,976	1,895,543	948,369	2,306,085
39	bushels harvested 1954...	56,086,495	55,052,734	30,955,847	13,377,209	6,315,457	2,717,941	1,268,956	417,324	1,033,761
40	sold, dollars 1954...	109,190,046	106,926,839	59,882,654	25,103,976	12,347,983	5,806,952	2,809,510	975,764	2,263,207
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM, 1954										
41	Cash-grain.....number...	xxx	537,838	21,962	110,611	160,298	128,990	82,746	33,231	xxx
42	Cotton.....number...	xxx	525,208	15,199	25,499	46,997	116,054	187,169	134,290	xxx
43	Other field crop.....number...	xxx	367,771	5,627	15,400	47,730	114,234	117,101	67,679	xxx
44	Vegetable.....number...	xxx	32,561	3,764	4,467	5,100	6,379	6,480	6,371	xxx
45	Fruit-and-nut.....number...	xxx	82,064	10,653	15,335	16,414	16,846	15,856	6,960	xxx
46	Dairy.....number...	xxx	548,763	11,636	76,103	156,550	153,707	102,893	47,874	xxx
47	Poultry.....number...	xxx	154,257	13,175	28,635	28,495	27,546	28,942	27,464	xxx
48	Livestock, other than dairy and poultry.....number...	xxx	694,636	39,882	121,253	152,436	142,972	137,339	100,754	xxx
49	General-									
50	Primarily crop.....number...	xxx	80,083	3,781	9,953	14,449	20,319	21,048	10,533	xxx
51	Primarily livestock.....number...	xxx	63,239	636	7,229	16,415	18,647	13,782	6,530	xxx
52	Crop and livestock.....number...	xxx	204,144	3,272	28,675	56,463	59,160	41,668	14,906	xxx
53	Miscellaneous.....number...	xxx	37,053	4,416	5,785	5,582	7,111	8,324	5,835	xxx

NA Not available. ² Less than 0.05. ¹ Data are for the 17 States for which a separate inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see composite questionnaire in the posite questionnaire in the Appendix). ² Data are for the 31 States and 123 counties in Eastern Texas for which this inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see composite questionnaire in the Appendix). Proportions are based on totals for all States; land in row or close-seeded crops grown in strips for wind erosion control is relatively for Florida. Proportions are based on totals for all States; cropland farmed on contour is insignificant in Florida. ³ Figures for 1954 relate to tractors other than enumeration (average date of enumeration was Apr. 15 to 28). ⁴ Data are for 39 States (see composite questionnaire in the Appendix). These 39 States accounted for 99.3 accounted for 93.7 percent of the total acreage of cotton harvested in the United States in 1954. ⁵ Includes milk equivalent of cream and butterfat sold. ⁶ Data are for the sorghum acreage for all purposes except sirup. ⁷ Data for 1954 are for all States for which a separate inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see composite Arkansas. ⁸ Data are for all States. ⁹ Data are for all States for which a separate inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see composite questionnaire in the percent of the rice acreage for which separate data are available. ¹⁰ Data are for all States, except North Dakota, for which a separate inquiry was carried on the soybean acreage for beans. ¹¹ Data are for all States, except 30 Southeastern counties of Missouri, for which a separate inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Wyoming, for which a separate inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see composite questionnaire in the Appendix). data were obtained by adding the acres and tons of the hay crops reported including the acreage, but not the production, of grass silage for 25 States, for which a separate inquiry on acres of land from which hay was out. ¹² Data are for States for which a separate inquiry was carried on the questionnaire (see composite questionnaire in the accounted for 99.98 percent of the cotton acreage for both years. ¹³ For 1954, data are for all States reporting tobacco except Vermont, Rhode Island, New York, Indiana, are included for 1949. The included States accounted for 99.1 percent of the tobacco acreage in 1954 and 99.6 percent in 1949. ¹⁴ Data are for all States for which a ¹⁵ For 1954, does not include data for farms with less than 20 trees or grapevines; for 1950, does not include acres for farms with less than $\frac{1}{2}$ acre of orchards, groves,

