

State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS.

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators					
	Total all farms	Tenure of operator ¹			Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms.....number..	100,733	30,575	25,984	292	37,302	2,200
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	62,519	30,575	25,984	xxx	986	90
.....acres..	28,364,305	13,725,492	13,784,744	xxx	191,002	21,020
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	65,565	285	25,984	xxx	37,302	2,200
.....acres..	21,027,413	84,757	7,941,069	xxx	12,891,015	1,343,951
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	327	xxx	xxx	292	xxx	xxx
.....acres..	1,814,495	xxx	xxx	1,755,526	xxx	xxx
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	13,891	7,782	3,140	19	1,290	130
.....acres..	3,649,902	2,006,632	939,975	7,457	233,540	36,620
Land in farms.....acres..	47,556,311	11,803,617	20,785,838	1,748,069	12,848,477	1,328,351
Average size of farm.....acres..	472.1	386.1	799.9	5,986.5	344.4	603.8
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars..	34,395	27,562	47,876	134,201	33,882	31,162
Average per acre.....dollars..	70.78	67.91	59.01	22.30	96.94	49.75
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	83	81	82	85	86	86
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	85	85	83	86	88	89
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	94,567	28,237	25,890	269	36,881	2,026
.....acres..	18,849,204	4,411,235	7,210,966	250,977	6,894,031	384,059
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	2,418	647	71	...	95	20
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	1,313	623	77	...	77	26
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	1,400	784	100	...	156	25
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	2,621	1,513	255	6	506	72
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	12,861	6,581	1,592	16	4,380	365
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	40,870	11,974	9,659	29	19,078	940
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	29,153	5,269	11,932	124	11,839	487
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	3,931	846	2,204	94	750	91
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	29,948	9,172	8,682	56	11,126	563
.....acres..	1,167,894	376,894	402,429	5,939	368,097	24,027
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting..	36,612	9,361	12,345	53	14,024	376
.....acres..	2,858,036	517,419	1,390,154	10,794	886,148	19,516
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting..	23,184	5,407	8,704	30	8,655	170
.....acres..	2,109,328	352,178	1,083,065	7,731	640,552	11,731
Other cropland.....farms reporting..	20,039	5,336	6,223	30	7,878	267
.....acres..	748,708	165,241	307,089	3,063	245,596	7,785
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	8,555	2,798	2,330	33	3,026	201
.....acres..	429,614	127,611	147,533	4,034	139,411	15,808
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	8,810	2,863	2,750	26	2,963	174
.....acres..	197,128	47,897	76,541	990	68,885	7,145
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	70,413	22,242	20,234	248	25,098	1,609
.....acres..	22,613,978	5,951,907	11,044,416	1,459,980	3,979,242	843,964
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	96,784	29,574	25,445	280	35,677	2,072
.....acres..	1,440,457	370,654	513,799	15,355	512,663	33,832
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	95,543	28,646	25,912	270	36,934	2,037
.....acres..	22,875,134	5,305,548	9,003,549	267,710	8,148,276	427,602
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	89,712	27,901	24,816	270	33,195	2,024
.....acres..	24,211,486	6,456,412	11,594,378	1,469,953	4,486,750	883,799
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	15,757	5,149	4,589	55	5,399	359
.....acres..	626,742	175,508	224,074	5,024	208,296	22,953
FARM OPERATORS						
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	92,897	28,284	24,359	266	34,060	1,991
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	6,831	1,996	1,469	10	2,862	188
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting..	8,521	1,844	620	14	1,387	175
Off-farm work:						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	29,922	6,900	6,678	53	11,658	706
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	20,712	4,629	5,616	32	9,714	483
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	9,210	2,271	1,062	21	1,944	223
Not working off their farms.....operators reporting..	67,809	22,554	18,702	226	24,587	1,409
By age:						
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	2,410	57	82	20	2,005	93
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	18,243	1,516	2,991	92	12,924	589
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	24,563	4,794	7,545	77	10,994	598
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	23,861	7,907	8,092	60	6,625	479
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	19,317	9,395	5,208	17	3,305	283
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	11,417	6,612	1,946	18	1,147	147
By year began operation of present farm:						
1954.....operators reporting..	5,040	615	475	37	3,351	234
1953.....operators reporting..	4,806	593	525	33	3,184	184
1952.....operators reporting..	4,920	700	618	33	3,077	169
1951.....operators reporting..	5,080	930	771	24	2,959	136
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	27,517	6,167	6,466	85	13,053	708
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	16,292	5,010	5,002	29	5,401	269
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	35,226	15,872	11,791	37	5,723	467
Farms by class of work power:						
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	8,673	2,740	562	21	1,668	203
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	760	233	94	...	182	17
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	2,136	1,223	267	14	315	52
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	33,348	10,839	11,225	217	10,530	763
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	55,816	15,540	13,836	40	24,607	1,165

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BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators—Continued				
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued				Other farms
	Tenants—Continued				
	Share-cash	Crop-share tenants and croppers	Livestock-share	Other and unspecified	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE					
Farms.....number..	21,081	9,724	3,136	1,161	6,580
Land owned by farm operators.....farms reporting..	489	267	70	70	4,974
.....acres..	82,523	58,160	15,974	13,325	663,067
Land rented from others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	21,081	9,724	3,136	1,161	1,994
.....acres..	6,446,376	2,847,077	1,760,989	492,622	110,572
Land managed by farm operators.....farms reporting..	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	35
.....acres..	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	58,969
Land rented to others by farm operators.....farms reporting..	661	310	110	79	1,660
.....acres..	93,201	63,695	20,239	19,785	462,298
Land in farms.....acres..	6,435,698	2,841,542	1,756,724	486,162	370,310
Average size of farm.....acres..	305.2	292.2	560.2	418.7	56.3
Value of land and buildings:					
Average per farm.....dollars..	33,634	32,517	43,473	28,651	6,939
Average per acre.....dollars..	108.88	109.50	78.49	59.72	106.42
Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent..	87	87	86	76	71
Proportion of land in farms for which value was reported.....percent..	88	88	85	87	82
Land in farms according to use:					
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting..	21,031	9,698	3,115	1,011	3,290
.....acres..	3,961,085	1,676,104	692,242	180,541	81,995
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting..	15	15	5	40	1,605
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting..	20	20	...	11	536
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting..	20	70	15	26	360
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting..	146	206	21	61	341
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting..	1,829	1,687	315	184	292
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting..	11,358	4,909	1,464	407	130
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting..	7,360	2,617	1,148	227	19
500 acres and over.....farms reporting..	283	174	147	55	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting..	6,899	2,200	1,247	217	912
.....acres..	204,041	67,251	59,820	12,958	14,535
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting..	8,182	4,127	1,053	286	829
.....acres..	418,303	363,512	66,068	18,749	53,521
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting..	4,982	2,740	587	176	388
.....acres..	291,020	279,536	45,481	12,784	25,802
Other cropland.....farms reporting..	4,662	2,157	637	155	572
.....acres..	127,283	83,976	20,587	5,965	27,719
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting..	1,830	585	361	49	368
.....acres..	72,650	24,286	23,472	3,195	11,025
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting..	1,791	578	360	60	208
.....acres..	38,061	12,817	8,890	1,972	2,815
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting..	15,252	5,269	2,217	751	2,591
.....acres..	1,451,826	580,597	850,507	252,348	178,433
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting..	20,701	8,759	3,103	1,042	5,808
.....acres..	289,732	116,975	55,725	16,399	27,986
Cropland, total.....farms reporting..	21,041	9,719	3,116	1,021	3,781
.....acres..	4,583,429	2,106,867	818,130	212,248	150,051
Land pastured, total.....farms reporting..	20,343	6,883	3,036	909	3,530
.....acres..	1,728,517	672,134	933,799	268,501	203,993
Woodland, total.....farms reporting..	3,217	1,101	626	96	565
.....acres..	110,711	37,103	32,362	5,167	13,840
FARM OPERATORS					
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	20,164	7,884	3,023	998	5,928
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting..	735	1,734	78	127	494
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting..	565	476	94	77	4,656
Off-farm work:					
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting..	6,391	3,377	854	330	4,633
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting..	5,570	2,670	743	248	721
100 days or more.....operators reporting..	821	707	111	82	3,912
Not working off their farms.....operators reporting..	14,132	6,058	2,219	769	1,740
By age:					
Under 25 years.....operators reporting..	794	774	239	105	246
25 to 34 years.....operators reporting..	7,160	3,549	1,328	298	720
35 to 44 years.....operators reporting..	6,382	2,766	942	306	1,153
45 to 54 years.....operators reporting..	3,945	1,540	436	225	1,177
55 to 64 years.....operators reporting..	2,020	752	138	112	1,392
65 years and over.....operators reporting..	618	252	26	104	1,694
By year began operation of present farm:					
1954.....operators reporting..	1,729	944	303	141	562
1953.....operators reporting..	1,791	785	352	72	471
1952.....operators reporting..	1,703	758	345	102	492
1951.....operators reporting..	1,671	771	294	87	396
1946-1950.....operators reporting..	7,469	3,387	1,130	359	1,746
1941-1945.....operators reporting..	3,336	1,335	345	116	850
1940 or earlier.....operators reporting..	3,139	1,558	327	232	1,803
Farms by class of work power:					
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting..	563	583	93	226	3,682
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting..	82	41	11	31	251
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	171	51	16	25	317
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting..	5,844	2,158	1,420	345	537
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting..	14,421	6,891	1,596	534	1,793

STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

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	Total all farms	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	100,733	30,575	25,984	292	37,302	2,200	
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT							
Telephone.....farms reporting..	73,152	22,462	20,252	223	26,047	1,438	
Electricity.....farms reporting..	95,385	28,748	25,170	271	35,190	1,971	
Television set.....farms reporting..	34,182	9,554	8,962	58	13,793	741	
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	69,720	22,088	20,307	224	22,863	1,210	
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	37,503	11,456	11,971	126	12,627	700	
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	5,773	1,362	1,873	12	2,437	133	
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	48,132	14,625	15,181	114	17,630	954	
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	13,913	3,308	4,170	32	6,286	377	
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	49,152	12,679	16,328	40	19,845	787	
.....number..	51,088	13,069	17,283	52	20,408	794	
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	58,568	15,413	17,732	59	25,055	1,152	
.....number..	59,572	15,657	18,082	66	25,454	1,158	
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	12,413	3,402	4,478	69	4,351	236	
.....number..	12,507	3,433	4,516	77	4,363	237	
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	7,675	2,054	2,954	40	2,616	133	
.....number..	7,777	2,089	2,999	45	2,632	133	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	60,257	17,674	19,196	229	21,314	1,154	
.....number..	72,196	20,513	24,434	470	24,699	1,333	
Tractors.....farms reporting..	89,523	26,492	25,081	262	35,178	1,929	
.....number..	163,296	46,464	52,881	960	59,926	3,215	
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	89,164	26,379	25,061	257	35,137	1,928	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	89,047	26,329	25,041	257	35,115	1,923	
.....number..	157,645	44,602	50,778	880	58,723	3,142	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	3,252	1,128	1,120	21	681	37	
.....number..	3,319	1,151	1,148	21	687	37	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	2,064	656	813	43	487	33	
.....number..	2,332	711	955	59	516	36	
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	92,705	27,533	24,762	248	34,927	2,000	
.....number..	121,117	35,929	35,118	527	43,124	2,441	
FARM LABOR WEEK OF SEPT. 26-OCT. 2							
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	95,555	28,899	25,173	273	35,807	2,076	
.....persons..	183,824	54,755	54,918	1,012	66,169	3,643	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	94,920	28,651	24,911	263	35,706	2,062	
.....persons..	157,831	47,907	45,330	387	57,598	3,304	
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	93,635	28,169	24,498	263	35,386	2,051	
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	43,039	13,327	13,087	85	15,542	865	
.....persons..	64,196	19,738	20,832	124	22,212	1,253	
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	13,789	3,987	5,489	137	4,046	220	
.....persons..	25,993	6,848	9,588	625	8,571	339	
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	6,793	2,013	3,095	111	1,542	120	
.....persons..	9,564	2,858	4,371	422	1,754	170	
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	8,227	2,309	2,952	60	2,803	123	
.....persons..	16,429	3,990	5,217	203	6,817	169	
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	5,562	1,678	2,537	77	1,243	97	
Farms by kind of workers:							
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	13,154	3,739	5,227	127	3,945	206	
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	81,766	24,912	19,684	136	31,761	1,856	
Operators only.....farms reporting..	44,627	13,256	9,087	81	17,893	1,044	
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	1,069	396	307	...	296	11	
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	635	248	262	10	101	14	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954							
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting..	100,582	30,559	25,981	292	37,291	2,200	
.....dollars..	78,120	23,286	22,436	224	29,994	1,511	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	49,517,240	13,850,952	19,676,156	1,460,201	13,921,135	884,333	
.....dollars..	67,774	20,029	19,114	109	26,645	1,234	
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	18,639,505	5,282,882	6,557,910	140,445	6,468,930	285,090	
.....dollars..	49,426	14,793	15,770	202	17,920	928	
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	30,877,735	8,568,070	13,118,246	1,319,756	7,452,205	599,243	
.....dollars..							
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	89,160	27,234	23,827	268	32,523	1,953	
.....dollars..	130,880,267	42,262,328	44,358,994	2,659,206	40,123,015	3,361,613	
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	93,449	27,769	25,647	264	36,482	2,048	
.....dollars..	55,383,967	13,690,733	19,695,468	374,015	21,259,757	987,022	
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	42,406	11,159	12,735	72	18,018	687	
.....dollars..	21,432,509	5,021,422	7,570,583	113,544	8,672,005	288,158	
.....tons..	218,027	51,110	77,344	1,092	87,732	2,965	
.....acres on which used..	2,983,334	667,810	1,054,274	13,929	1,238,304	39,407	
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	5,905	1,792	1,902	3	2,171	93	
.....dollars..	1,280,524	351,066	440,127	1,285	482,301	27,395	
.....tons..	288,029	77,222	102,028	241	107,153	4,788	
.....acres on which used..	159,974	43,145	59,186	190	56,625	2,716	

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BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators—Continued					
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued				Other farms	
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share tenants and croppers	Livestock-share	Other and unspecified		
Farms.....number..	21,081	9,724	3,136	1,161	6,580	
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT						
Telephone.....farms reporting..	15,244	6,180	2,487	698	4,168	
Electricity.....farms reporting..	20,284	8,840	3,078	1,017	6,006	
Television set.....farms reporting..	8,385	3,147	1,206	314	1,815	
Piped running water.....farms reporting..	12,198	6,152	2,616	687	4,238	
Home freezer.....farms reporting..	7,077	3,223	1,289	338	1,323	
Electric pig brooder.....farms reporting..	1,534	378	340	52	89	
Power feed grinder.....farms reporting..	10,950	3,461	1,833	432	582	
Milking machine.....farms reporting..	4,178	974	588	169	117	
Grain combines.....farms reporting..	12,226	4,734	1,721	377	260	
.....number..	12,495	4,947	1,776	396	276	
Corn pickers.....farms reporting..	15,785	5,339	2,231	548	309	
.....number..	16,034	5,441	2,262	559	313	
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting..	2,588	825	551	151	113	
.....number..	2,589	825	555	157	118	
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting..	1,386	566	467	64	11	
.....number..	1,391	567	477	64	12	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting..	11,755	5,825	1,989	591	1,844	
.....number..	12,941	7,419	2,356	650	2,080	
Tractors.....farms reporting..	20,275	9,059	3,026	889	2,510	
.....number..	33,527	15,543	6,144	1,497	3,065	
Wheel and/or crawler tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	20,265	9,049	3,016	879	2,330	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting..	20,259	9,043	3,011	879	2,305	
.....number..	32,998	15,179	5,959	1,445	2,662	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting..	316	202	96	30	302	
.....number..	317	202	96	35	312	
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting..	203	151	83	17	65	
.....number..	212	162	89	17	91	
Automobiles.....farms reporting..	20,033	8,926	2,935	1,033	5,235	
.....number..	24,484	11,145	3,841	1,213	6,419	
FARM LABOR WEEK OF SEPT. 26-OCT. 2						
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting..	20,501	9,052	3,099	1,079	5,403	
.....persons..	37,221	17,367	6,111	1,827	6,970	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting..	20,462	9,022	3,087	1,073	5,389	
.....persons..	34,335	13,352	5,010	1,597	6,609	
Operators working 1 or more hours.....persons..	20,244	8,965	3,070	1,056	5,319	
Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 hours or more.....farms reporting..	9,846	3,111	1,346	374	998	
.....persons..	14,091	4,387	1,940	541	1,290	
Hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,992	1,175	557	102	130	
.....persons..	2,886	4,015	1,101	230	361	
Regular workers (to be employed 150 days or more).....farms reporting..	645	465	274	38	32	
.....persons..	714	528	299	43	159	
Seasonal workers (to be employed less than 150 days).....farms reporting..	1,465	816	316	83	103	
.....persons..	2,172	3,487	802	187	202	
Regular hired workers and no seasonal hired workers.....farms reporting..	527	359	241	19	27	
Farms by kind of workers:						
Both family workers and hired workers.....farms reporting..	1,953	1,145	545	96	116	
Family workers only.....farms reporting..	18,509	7,877	2,542	977	5,273	
Operators only.....farms reporting..	9,650	5,148	1,408	643	4,310	
Unpaid members of operator's family only.....farms reporting..	201	51	16	17	70	
Hired workers only.....farms reporting..	39	30	12	6	14	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES IN 1954						
Specified farm expenditures ²farms reporting..	21,070	9,724	3,136	1,161	6,459	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting..	17,391	7,726	2,628	738	2,180	
.....dollars..	6,449,092	4,624,232	1,553,110	410,368	608,796	
Machine hire.....farms reporting..	15,911	6,650	2,228	622	1,877	
.....dollars..	3,577,533	1,843,127	597,216	165,964	189,338	
Hired labor.....farms reporting..	10,038	4,795	1,727	432	741	
.....dollars..	2,871,559	2,781,105	955,894	244,404	419,458	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting..	19,416	7,249	2,915	990	5,308	
.....dollars..	22,673,795	6,884,637	6,217,313	985,657	1,476,724	
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting..	20,827	9,530	3,100	977	3,287	
.....dollars..	11,964,111	5,730,163	2,088,629	489,832	363,994	
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing material.....farms reporting..	10,634	4,641	1,666	390	422	
.....dollars..	4,953,141	2,223,612	1,050,727	156,367	54,955	
.....tons..	49,928	22,547	10,719	1,573	749	
.....acres on which used..	734,663	298,972	141,464	23,798	9,017	
Lime and liming material.....farms reporting..	1,362	360	300	56	37	
.....dollars..	302,626	63,205	73,730	15,345	5,745	
.....tons..	67,375	14,695	17,090	3,205	1,385	
.....acres on which used..	35,060	8,360	8,339	2,150	828	

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State Table 4.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS.

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators						
	Total all farms	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
Farms.....number..	100,733	30,575	25,984	292	37,302	2,200	
LIVESTOCK							
Livestock on hand:							
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	90,060	27,327	24,467	265	33,832	1,986	
.....number..	4,873,953	1,461,808	1,928,114	123,700	1,324,683	140,058	
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	85,996	25,922	23,645	261	32,484	1,877	
.....number..	1,906,159	557,277	776,612	51,224	505,166	56,478	
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	72,097	20,807	19,724	233	28,269	1,613	
.....number..	427,369	117,697	121,817	1,970	177,734	11,462	
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	36,244	12,295	11,586	231	11,027	832	
.....number..	100,671	34,699	36,764	2,896	23,878	3,077	
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	59,713	17,141	16,496	123	24,306	1,343	
.....number..	2,910,538	832,306	894,623	7,529	1,159,032	59,583	
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	81,888	24,713	21,606	181	30,398	1,721	
.....number..	12,170,498	3,797,464	3,439,622	12,247	4,540,524	255,213	
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:							
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	83,696	26,156	23,725	269	31,484	1,888	
.....number..	2,610,572	850,248	989,803	61,601	699,089	82,425	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	58,302	16,785	16,174	97	24,167	1,296	
.....number..	2,946,350	855,407	909,178	8,563	1,160,101	57,410	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	45,111	13,524	12,481	85	17,275	944	
.....dollars..	4,743,011	2,363,961	958,312	79,690	1,245,020	88,457	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	68,508	21,304	18,424	95	25,664	1,354	
.....dozens..	83,734,955	27,350,705	24,345,872	63,979	30,281,543	1,766,526	
CROPS							
Specified crops harvested in 1954:							
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	83,587	24,075	22,858	115	34,613	1,692	
.....acres..	6,715,068	1,509,967	2,265,409	13,421	2,896,661	112,624	
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	81,863	23,371	22,317	105	34,214	1,638	
.....acres..	6,369,110	1,413,203	2,119,977	11,123	2,797,610	107,467	
.....bushels harvested..	185,872,715	42,025,063	61,303,217	371,076	81,660,248	3,271,870	
.....bushels sold..	85,243,143	15,206,935	26,646,795	72,318	43,123,005	1,383,130	
Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	46,186	11,339	15,164	30	19,302	548	
.....acres..	2,947,090	540,633	1,333,933	7,549	1,058,347	24,920	
.....bushels harvested..	56,161,026	10,454,812	25,532,862	128,724	19,976,999	462,626	
.....bushels sold..	50,631,528	9,296,686	22,903,100	72,131	18,303,556	423,669	
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	59,561	16,206	16,447	50	26,532	1,211	
.....acres..	2,217,749	520,076	686,738	3,387	1,002,353	43,967	
.....bushels harvested..	61,429,831	14,573,856	19,158,982	107,910	27,462,571	1,279,805	
.....bushels sold..	14,680,499	2,349,112	4,124,570	29,268	8,148,599	276,085	
Hay cut.....acres..	5,403,968	1,540,570	2,333,956	208,282	1,291,925	175,732	
.....tons ² ..	6,217,769	1,764,507	2,489,912	165,050	1,766,440	160,608	

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

²Excludes farms reporting commercial fertilizer and lime.

³Excludes grass silage.

BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUS OF 1954—Continued

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	All farm operators—Continued					Other farms
	Tenure of operator ¹ —Continued					
	Tenants—Continued					
	Share-cash	Crop-share tenants and croppers	Livestock-share	Other and unspecified		
Farms.....number..	21,081	9,724	3,136	1,161	6,580	
LIVESTOCK						
Livestock on hand:						
All cattle and calves.....farms reporting..	20,253	7,570	3,064	959	4,169	
.....number..	667,098	240,414	231,320	45,793	35,648	
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting..	19,629	7,117	2,947	914	3,684	
.....number..	254,321	88,340	85,932	20,095	15,880	
Milk cows.....farms reporting..	17,502	5,840	2,570	744	3,064	
.....number..	114,277	30,408	16,793	4,794	8,151	
Horses and mules.....farms reporting..	6,097	2,250	1,447	401	1,105	
.....number..	11,700	4,599	3,513	989	2,434	
All hogs and pigs.....farms reporting..	15,246	4,722	2,425	570	1,647	
.....number..	726,476	173,052	177,148	22,773	17,048	
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting..	18,458	6,760	2,600	859	4,990	
.....number..	2,926,007	859,412	374,932	124,960	380,641	
Livestock and livestock products sold in 1954:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting..	19,129	6,580	3,030	857	2,062	
.....number..	325,041	127,754	141,723	22,146	9,831	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting..	15,354	4,559	2,384	574	1,079	
.....number..	733,646	174,791	170,898	23,356	13,101	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting..	11,219	3,133	1,499	480	1,746	
.....dollars..	813,136	193,489	103,749	46,189	96,028	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting..	16,310	5,161	2,173	666	3,021	
.....dozens..	19,854,608	5,399,643	2,450,806	809,960	1,692,856	
CROPS						
Specified crops harvested in 1954:						
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting..	20,535	8,624	2,936	826	1,926	
.....acres..	1,799,590	658,246	264,972	61,229	29,610	
Corn harvested for grain.....farms reporting..	20,431	8,492	2,845	808	1,856	
.....acres..	1,752,247	637,571	241,890	58,435	27,197	
.....bushels harvested..	49,755,087	19,032,104	7,923,101	1,678,086	513,111	
.....bushels sold..	26,309,314	12,017,665	2,593,466	819,430	194,090	
Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	11,895	5,108	1,332	419	351	
.....acres..	605,875	339,400	67,859	20,293	6,628	
.....bushels harvested..	11,557,970	6,268,294	1,339,528	348,581	67,629	
.....bushels sold..	10,540,085	5,804,787	1,209,587	325,428	56,055	
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting..	16,826	5,756	2,219	520	326	
.....acres..	662,442	192,501	86,542	16,901	5,195	
.....bushels harvested..	18,152,146	4,985,612	2,568,656	476,352	126,512	
.....bushels sold..	5,610,991	1,803,441	334,842	123,240	28,950	
Hay cut.....acres..	587,492	240,232	216,774	71,695	29,235	
.....tons ³ ..	872,245	406,684	261,984	64,919	31,860	