

STATISTICS FOR STATE ECONOMIC AREAS

Economic Area Table 7.—FARMS, ACREAGE, VALUE, AND USE OF COMMERCIAL

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	The State (Areas 1 and A)						
	Total all farms	Tenure of operator ¹				Tenants	
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE							
1 Farms.....number 1954...	1,953	740	301	12	50	50	
2" 1950...	2,606	1,059	364	17	145	95	
3 Land in farms.....acres 1954...	142,190	60,715	36,745	1,995	3,340	3,340	
4" 1950...	194,218	79,441	48,117	7,625	7,915	6,250	
5 Average size of farm.....acres 1954...	72.8	82.0	122.1	166.2	66.8	66.8	
6" 1950...	74.5	75.0	132.2	448.5	54.6	65.8	
Value of land and buildings:							
7 Average per farm.....dollars 1954...	21,760	24,664	44,838	57,915	28,100	28,100	
8" 1950...	16,844	16,968	31,864	88,147	10,683	10,588	
9 Average per acre.....dollars 1954...	309.84	303.61	347.74	348.36	469.64	469.64	
10" 1950...	229.98	219.81	231.62	196.52	240.38	212.10	
11 Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent 1954...	77	84	53	100	60	60	
Land in farms according to use:							
12 Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1954...	1,242	419	291	7	45	45	
13" 1949...	1,866	724	334	17	120	85	
14" acres 1954...	27,612	11,484	11,030	228	1,300	1,300	
15" 1949...	42,553	15,655	16,471	1,613	3,040	2,520	
16 1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	505	140	20	...	...	...
17 10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	241	81	50	...	10	10	
18 20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	160	60	55	5	20	20	
19 30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	170	65	85	...	5	5	
20 50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	149	61	76	2	10	10	
21 100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	16	11	5	...	...	...
22 200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	1	1	...	...	...	...
23 500 acres and over.....farms reporting 1954...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24 Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1954...	855	267	216	7	30	30	
25" 1949...	1,089	437	232	9	50	40	
26" acres 1954...	18,879	7,069	6,535	125	1,140	1,140	
27" 1949...	26,082	8,685	11,525	257	1,260	920	
28 Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	536	171	75	...	10	10	
29" 1949...	822	303	127	7	50	40	
30" acres 1954...	8,435	2,510	1,065	...	220	220	
31" 1949...	15,433	5,715	2,689	114	460	350	
32 Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	205	50	45	...	10	10	
33" acres 1954...	2,315	400	410	...	220	220	
34 Cropland lying idle.....farms reporting 1954...	421	141	45	...	...	...
35" acres 1954...	6,120	2,110	655	...	...	...
36 Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	306	114	80	2	15	15	
37" acres 1954...	10,035	4,050	2,950	245	355	355	
38 Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	887	355	116	1	5	5	
39" acres 1954...	52,384	22,206	10,170	1,203	75	75	
40 Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1954...	396	130	125	6	15	15	
41" acres 1954...	11,615	5,715	3,735	55	140	140	
42 Improved (see text).....farms reporting 1954...	110	40	35	5	10	10	
43" acres 1954...	1,440	430	740	5	90	90	
44 Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1954...	1,652	619	266	7	25	25	
45" acres 1954...	13,230	7,681	1,260	139	110	110	
46 Cropland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	1,538	515	296	7	50	50	
47" 1949...	2,196	839	349	17	140	95	
48" acres 1954...	54,926	21,063	18,630	353	2,660	2,660	
49" 1949...	84,068	30,055	30,685	1,984	4,760	3,790	
50 Land pastured, total.....farms reporting 1954...	1,128	370	266	12	30	30	
51" 1949...	1,505	587	298	9	80	50	
52" acres 1954...	40,529	16,834	13,220	425	1,635	1,635	
53" 1949...	53,003	18,077	21,199	807	3,285	2,445	
54 Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	1,058	405	176	2	20	20	
55" acres 1954...	1,382	614	189	13	50	40	
56" 1949...	62,419	26,256	13,120	1,448	430	430	
57" acres 1954...	83,950	39,419	12,230	4,500	2,050	1,955	
58 Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1954...	20	5	5	...	...	...
59" 1949...	54	11	22	1	20	20	
60" acres 1954...	140	100	25	...	...	...
61" 1949...	2,188	160	1,575	8	445	445	
62 Cover crops turned under and land planted to another crop.....farms reporting 1954...	246	66	105	5	20	20	
63" acres 1954...	2,525	870	1,165	45	205	205	
64 Cropland used for row or grain crops farmed on contour.....farms reporting 1954...	10	5	5	...	...	...
65" acres 1954...	80	55	25	...	...	...
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER							
Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:							
66 Hay and cropland pastured.....farms reporting...	364	143	106	5	20	20	
67" tons...	1,952	857	736	70	148	148	
68" acres on which used...	8,085	3,595	3,245	220	420	420	
69 Other pasture.....farms reporting...	65	28	20	...	...	...
70" tons...	115	42	57	...	...	...
71" acres on which used...	575	250	225	...	...	...
72 Corn.....farms reporting...	329	86	176	2	20	20	
73" tons...	1,268	350	821	6	75	75	
74" acres on which used...	4,151	1,025	2,800	26	235	235	
75 Tobacco.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	...
76" tons...	...	...	...	...	...	...
77" acres on which used...	...	...	...	...	...	...
78 Fruits, vegetables, potatoes, etc....farms reporting...	290	95	55	5	20	20	
79" tons...	1,653	748	532	10	285	285	
80" acres on which used...	2,625	1,180	780	5	460	460	
81 Other crops.....farms reporting...	121	61	20	...	5	5	
82" tons...	797	255	528	...	(2)	(2)	
83" acres on which used...	525	290	160	...	5	5	

² Reported in small fractions. ¹Data are given by tenure of operator for commercial farms only.

FERTILIZER, BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: CENSUSES OF 1954 AND 1950

a sample of farms. See text]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)		The State (Areas 1 and A)—Continued				
		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						
1	Farms.....number	1954...	...	...	...	850
2		1950...	...	...	50	1,021
3	Land in farms.....acres	1954...	...	...	...	39,395
4		1950...	...	...	...	51,120
5	Average size of farm.....acres	1954...	...	...	1,665	46.3
6		1950...	...	...	33.3	50.1
Value of land and buildings:						
7	Average per farm.....dollars	1954...	...	...	...	12,800
8		1950...	...	...	10,875	11,408
9	Average per acre.....dollars	1954...	...	...	...	282.83
10		1950...	...	...	324.63	253.34
11	Proportion of farms reporting value....percent	1954...	...	...	...	80
Land in farms according to use:						
12	Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	480
13		1949...	...	...	35	671
14		acres 1954...	...	...	...	3,570
15		1949...	...	...	520	5,774
16	1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	345
17	10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	100
18	20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	20
19	30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	15
20	50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	...
21	100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	...
22	200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	...
23	500 acres and over.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	...
24	Cropland used only for pasture..farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	335
25		1949...	...	...	10	361
26		acres 1954...	...	...	...	4,010
27		1949...	...	...	340	4,355
28	Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	280
29		1949...	...	...	10	335
30		acres 1954...	...	...	...	4,640
31		1949...	...	...	110	6,455
32	Cropland used only for crops not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	100
33		1949...	...	...	...	1,285
34		acres 1954...	...	...	...	235
35		1949...	...	...	...	3,355
36	Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	95
37		1949...	...	...	...	2,435
38		acres 1954...	...	...	...	410
39		1949...	...	...	...	18,730
40	Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	120
41		1949...	...	...	...	1,970
42		acres 1954...	...	...	...	20
43		1949...	...	...	...	175
44	Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	735
45		1949...	...	...	...	4,040
46		acres 1954...	...	...	...	670
47		1949...	...	...	45	851
48		acres 1954...	...	...	...	12,220
49		1949...	...	...	970	16,584
50	Land pastured, total.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	450
51		1949...	...	...	30	531
52		acres 1954...	...	...	...	8,415
53		1949...	...	...	840	9,635
54	Woodland, total.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	455
55		1949...	...	...	10	516
56		acres 1954...	...	...	...	21,165
57		1949...	...	...	95	25,751
58	Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	10
59		1949...	...	...	...	...
60		acres 1954...	...	...	...	15
61		1949...	...	...	...	...
62	Cover crops turned under and land planted to another crop.....farms reporting	1954...	...	...	...	50
63		1949...	...	...	...	240
64		acres 1954...	...	...	...	...
65		1949...	...	...	...	...
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER						
Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:						
66	Hay and cropland pastured.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	90
67		tons...	...	...	...	141
68		acres on which used...	...	...	...	605
69	Other pasture.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	20
70		tons...	...	...	...	16
71		acres on which used...	...	...	...	100
72	Corn.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	45
73		tons...	...	...	...	16
74		acres on which used...	...	...	...	65
75	Tobacco.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...
76		tons...	...	...	...	...
77		acres on which used...	...	...	...	...
78	Fruits, vegetables, potatoes, etc....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	115
79		tons...	...	...	...	78
80		acres on which used...	...	...	...	200
81	Other crops.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	35
82		tons...	...	...	...	14
83		acres on which used...	...	...	...	70