

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							
	Total all farms	Tenure of operator <sup>1</sup>						Crop-share tenants and croppers
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Tenants			
					All	Cash	Share-cash	
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>								
1 Farms.....number 1954...	11,355	3,869	3,957	155	1,652	392	211	754
2 1950.....	12,615	4,463	4,060	164	1,840	411	225	861
3 Land in farms.....acres 1954...	35,042,316	3,330,436	22,497,536	3,665,883	2,143,290	1,118,167	247,978	310,617
4 1950.....	34,402,935	3,749,563	19,930,945	5,165,747	2,000,177	1,021,140	205,711	323,188
5 Average size of farm.....acres 1954...	3,086.1	860.8	5,685.5	23,650.9	1,297.4	2,852.5	1,175.3	412.0
6 1950.....	2,727.1	840.1	4,909.1	31,498.5	1,087.1	2,484.5	914.3	375.4
7 Value of land and buildings:								
8 Average per farm.....dollars 1954...	45,887	29,646	76,504	245,434	33,493	37,139	36,175	29,124
9 1950.....	33,284	21,865	54,468	232,035	26,354	33,328	28,184	20,278
10 Average per acre.....dollars 1954...	16.47	33.92	13.75	25.80	15.16	14.02	30.58	70.30
11 1950.....	13.64	25.63	11.33	6.86	24.46	14.14	30.40	54.13
11 Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent 1954...	87	91	84	77	84	90	81	81
12 Land in farms according to use:								
13 Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1954...	9,309	3,383	3,367	132	1,530	308	199	751
14 1949.....	11,022	4,112	3,765	138	1,760	361	214	861
15 acres 1954...	1,545,855	451,389	757,250	78,531	226,737	36,082	34,222	112,098
16 1949.....	1,906,163	557,811	911,677	117,295	274,330	54,438	40,082	131,825
17 1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	364	70	37	...	7	1	...	...
18 10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	439	123	72	...	24	17	...	6
19 20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	441	188	112	5	33	12	3	7
20 30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	851	373	243	1	82	49	8	17
21 50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	2,406	1,133	614	15	516	103	53	263
22 100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	2,623	957	1,049	18	563	90	81	316
23 200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	1,671	427	928	42	268	29	47	129
24 500 acres and over.....farms reporting 1954...	514	112	312	51	37	7	7	13
25 Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1954...	4,100	1,562	1,441	48	538	117	85	218
26 1949.....	3,389	1,489	953	30	364	83	36	162
27 acres 1954...	461,893	138,318	230,490	24,751	44,098	10,093	14,365	8,549
28 1949.....	405,390	125,390	198,363	42,965	14,297	5,182	2,215	3,705
29 Cropland not harvested and not								
30 pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	3,603	1,140	1,490	14	652	93	121	350
31 1949.....	3,798	1,315	1,354	38	655	92	112	361
32 acres 1954...	561,077	119,608	306,957	8,467	87,860	7,325	22,753	39,342
33 1949.....	418,585	104,005	205,323	6,035	73,277	8,218	14,740	42,536
34 Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1954...	2,239	652	1,056	8	352	47	87	146
35 acres 1954...	344,172	72,322	193,030	2,015	58,606	3,495	18,010	24,520
36 Other cropland.....farms reporting 1954...	2,298	716	881	8	439	60	66	267
37 acres 1954...	216,905	47,286	113,927	6,452	29,254	3,830	4,743	14,822
38 Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	1,045	385	434	21	82	23	10	25
39 acres 1954...	619,436	117,218	420,759	27,946	40,603	13,046	10,843	6,659
40 Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	149	69	61	...	8	1	...	1
41 acres 1954...	26,322	12,265	12,694	...	758	247	...	260
42 Other pasture (not cropland and								
43 not woodland).....farms reporting 1954...	8,682	2,840	3,489	144	1,088	324	167	371
44 acres 1954...	31,430,189	2,412,131	20,523,392	3,511,271	1,700,232	1,043,565	159,497	121,241
45 Improved (see text).....farms reporting 1954...	2,151	835	728	59	255	74	18	107
46 acres 1954...	287,627	84,182	149,350	28,054	18,247	7,295	1,041	4,207
47 Other land (house lots, roads,								
48 wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1954...	10,563	3,654	3,766	136	1,526	356	193	706
49 acres 1954...	397,544	79,507	245,994	14,917	43,002	7,809	6,298	22,468
50 Cropland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	10,035	3,568	3,578	133	1,566	324	211	753
51 1949.....	11,531	4,217	3,808	139	1,775	371	214	861
52 acres 1954...	2,568,825	709,315	1,294,697	111,749	358,695	53,500	71,340	159,989
53 1949.....	2,730,138	787,206	1,315,363	165,895	361,904	67,838	57,037	178,066
54 Land pastured, total.....farms reporting 1954...	10,342	3,575	3,843	154	1,334	351	197	514
55 1949.....	11,347	4,099	3,874	162	1,548	393	205	636
56 acres 1954...	32,511,518	2,667,667	21,174,641	3,563,968	1,784,933	1,066,704	184,705	136,449
57 1949.....	31,528,380	2,960,930	18,511,909	5,015,248	1,590,619	934,807	146,610	121,564
58 Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	1,153	432	483	31	83	23	10	25
59 1949.....	1,788	640	647	22	83	40	28	56
60 acres 1954...	645,758	129,483	433,453	27,946	41,361	13,293	10,843	6,919
61 1949.....	1,224,376	195,041	462,360	118,872	62,804	44,279	30,581	7,200
62 Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1954...	7,201	2,695	2,174	114	1,210	230	124	656
63 1949.....	7,803	3,104	2,228	115	1,271	185	132	702
64 acres 1954...	1,285,534	424,906	562,701	93,712	167,140	33,263	18,087	85,373
65 1949.....	1,420,850	488,077	585,902	124,616	169,281	26,143	15,403	89,381
66 Land in row or close-seeded crops grown in strips								
67 for wind erosion control.....farms reporting 1954...	725	192	321	3	165	26	39	59
68 acres 1954...	159,558	30,164	87,497	660	35,850	2,715	10,261	15,533
69 Cropland used for row or grain crops								
70 farmed on contour.....farms reporting 1954...	115	45	49	3	17	11	2	2
71 acres 1954...	6,873	2,757	3,065	154	757	243	145	120
<b>USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER</b>								
<b>Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:</b>								
72 Hay and cropland pastured.....farms reporting...	1,182	478	382	22	237	10	32	151
73 tons...	3,793	1,199	1,687	262	571	31	97	339
74 acres on which used...	44,848	14,210	19,833	2,674	7,357	306	1,010	4,659
75 Other pasture.....farms reporting...	138	47	49	...	16	...	...	...
76 tons...	240	128	73	...	25	...	...	...
77 acres on which used...	2,271	810	1,005	...	290	...	...	...
78 Sugar beets.....farms reporting...	945	294	193	...	453	7	58	356
79 tons...	4,436	1,186	899	...	2,340	39	307	1,789
80 acres on which used...	34,076	8,262	7,100	...	18,664	315	2,386	14,057
81 Wheat.....farms reporting...	190	82	72	3	28	...	28	21
82 tons...	326	102	130	26	65	...	78	33
83 acres on which used...	3,681	1,083	1,508	316	749	...	24	600
84 Fruits, vegetables, potatoes, etc....farms reporting...	134	41	34	7	31	1	...	20
85 tons...	428	152	103	113	54	1	...	33
86 acres on which used...	3,287	961	641	1,062	528	3	...	425
87 Other crops.....farms reporting...	971	374	261	11	300	25	28	206
88 tons...	2,560	897	910	106	624	55	84	421
89 acres on which used...	33,280	10,824	10,944	1,345	9,902	760	827	7,255

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	Total all farms	Tenure of operator <sup>1</sup>			Tenants			
		Full owners	Part owners	Managers	All	Cash	Share-cash	Crop-share tenants and croppers
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>								
1 Farms.....number 1954...	4,230	1,548	1,000	31	739	165	76	383
2 1950.....	4,564	1,829	999	50	698	137	61	321
3 Land in farms.....acres 1954...	6,792,776	898,845	2,945,096	624,961	479,019	229,267	61,266	112,344
4 1950.....	7,012,228	913,477	2,329,493	1,169,378	428,930	188,020	27,910	92,285
5 Average size of farm.....acres 1954...	1,605.9	580.6	2,945.1	20,160.0	648.2	1,389.5	806.1	293.3
6 1950.....	1,536.4	499.4	2,331.8	23,387.6	614.5	1,372.4	457.5	287.5
<b>Value of land and buildings:</b>								
7 Average per farm.....dollars 1954...	31,153	24,667	52,841	343,055	29,342	26,591	36,431	29,477
8 1950.....	24,276	20,028	41,215	270,241	22,432	18,068	22,533	18,626
9 Average per acre.....dollars 1954...	21.14	43.19	19.65	15.34	43.54	20.09	41.80	99.86
10 1950.....	22.49	36.30	18.71	8.49	36.97	13.50	49.25	70.30
11 Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent 1954...	87	92	80	77	82	89	83	77
<b>Land in farms according to use:</b>								
12 Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1954...	3,666	1,425	959	27	719	151	75	383
13 1949.....	3,975	1,709	933	44	668	118	61	321
14 acres 1954.....	415,259	134,452	160,682	19,592	84,461	11,787	10,689	50,160
15 1949.....	421,790	163,524	136,263	24,458	78,685	12,965	6,340	39,638
16 1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	233	36	2	...	5	...	...	...
17 10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	229	72	11	...	16	11	...	5
18 20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	191	87	26	...	17	6	...	1
19 30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	380	191	71	...	38	27	...	10
20 50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	1,117	546	222	5	285	74	32	131
21 100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	1,096	410	389	3	279	24	34	184
22 200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting 1954...	363	68	213	5	77	9	8	52
23 500 acres and over.....farms reporting 1954...	57	15	25	14	2	...	1	...
24 Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1954...	2,065	859	542	7	304	54	51	143
25 1949.....	1,713	839	382	7	200	39	11	95
26 acres 1954.....	120,847	53,540	37,456	857	20,114	3,770	6,278	4,318
27 1949.....	86,005	43,915	21,104	3,598	6,103	1,013	1,675	1,715
28 Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	791	295	262	1	156	24	28	95
29 1949.....	1,209	477	271	14	167	22	20	75
30 acres 1954.....	43,501	16,151	15,532	35	9,098	524	2,151	4,973
31 1949.....	63,107	17,380	13,264	1,315	10,008	2,993	430	3,985
32 Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1954...	337	105	143	1	57	6	20	29
33 acres 1954.....	18,112	4,160	8,098	35	4,594	314	2,079	2,060
34 Other cropland.....farms reporting 1954...	526	213	143	...	109	9	73	73
35 acres 1954.....	25,389	11,991	7,434	...	4,504	210	72	2,913
36 Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	245	75	67	1	36	8	1	21
37 acres 1954.....	28,153	6,041	10,567	300	4,065	1,250	20	2,520
38 Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1954...	48	27	21	...	...	...	...	...
39 acres 1954.....	1,708	830	878	...	...	...	...	...
40 Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1954...	2,687	917	783	30	385	110	54	148
41 acres 1954.....	6,047,156	644,842	2,659,611	603,637	337,206	209,306	39,645	34,549
42 Improved (see text).....farms reporting 1954...	871	345	241	17	131	37	8	58
43 acres 1954.....	73,311	31,549	18,761	11,107	7,844	3,455	147	1,375
44 Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1954...	3,914	1,455	947	25	703	153	74	373
45 acres 1954.....	136,152	42,989	60,370	540	24,075	2,630	2,483	15,824
46 Cropland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	3,889	1,496	966	27	723	154	76	383
47 1949.....	4,250	1,754	943	44	678	123	61	321
48 acres 1954.....	579,607	204,143	213,670	20,484	113,673	16,081	19,118	59,451
49 1949.....	570,902	224,819	170,631	29,371	94,796	16,971	8,445	45,338
50 Land pastured, total.....farms reporting 1954...	3,768	1,408	955	30	583	135	76	263
51 1949.....	3,827	1,599	889	49	571	127	51	230
52 acres 1954.....	6,196,156	704,423	2,707,634	604,794	361,385	214,326	45,943	41,387
53 1949.....	6,366,102	678,027	2,111,993	1,139,256	317,199	169,319	19,670	33,950
54 Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1954...	279	91	85	1	36	8	1	21
55 1949.....	592	230	166	14	97	10	25	14
56 acres 1954.....	29,861	6,871	11,445	300	4,065	1,250	20	2,520
57 1949.....	507,379	39,744	50,977	50,525	7,973	6,153	150	1,070
58 Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1954...	3,768	1,442	915	26	683	146	64	366
59 1949.....	3,882	1,615	912	44	634	104	56	311
60 acres 1954.....	507,110	186,012	176,012	27,166	93,698	15,806	11,668	51,350
61 1949.....	447,637	173,986	151,146	21,834	73,306	9,336	5,065	39,143
62 Land in row or close-seeded crops grown in strips for wind erosion control.....farms reporting 1954...	13	5	1	...	7	...	1	6
63 acres 1954.....	985	50	100	...	835	...	15	820
64 Cropland used for row or grain crops farmed on contour.....farms reporting 1954...	31	21	6	1	3	1	1	1
65 acres 1954.....	1,965	1,591	296	29	49	14	15	20
<b>USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER</b>								
<b>Crops on which commercial fertilizer was used, 1954:</b>								
66 Hay and cropland pastured.....farms reporting...	797	369	220	10	146	1	15	91
67 tons...	2,483	956	988	125	360	2	67	207
68 acres on which used...	31,194	11,384	12,898	1,339	5,078	42	735	3,119
69 Other pasture.....farms reporting...	120	41	43	...	10	...	...	...
70 tons...	200	125	56	...	5	...	...	...
71 acres on which used...	1,751	735	820	...	30	...	...	...
72 Sugar beets.....farms reporting...	484	176	112	...	191	2	17	151
73 tons...	2,618	760	574	...	1,274	14	102	1,014
74 acres on which used...	18,303	4,755	4,287	...	9,211	85	658	7,122
75 Wheat.....farms reporting...	167	82	60	2	18	...	2	11
76 tons...	271	102	114	2	51	...	28	18
77 acres on which used...	2,872	1,083	1,209	41	514	...	74	365
78 Fruits, vegetables, potatoes, etc....farms reporting...	80	26	22	2	20	...	...	10
79 tons...	295	93	63	98	39	...	...	19
80 acres on which used...	1,854	491	296	812	230	...	...	130
81 Other crops.....farms reporting...	635	241	198	8	178	20	17	110
82 tons...	1,691	541	673	65	404	53	67	235
83 acres on which used...	23,122	7,449	8,154	997	6,432	655	742	4,150

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