

DRAINAGE OF AGRICULTURAL LANDS

Summary Table 2.—DRAINAGE PROJECTS,

[Data for

	Size of project (Based on area of agricultural land in project)	Number of projects	Area drained and used for agriculture, 1960		Area by period drainage was established			
			Total ¹ (acres)	Served by two or more projects ¹ (acres)	Before 1950		Area added 1950-1959	
					Projects reporting	Acres ¹	Projects reporting	Acres ¹
1	All projects.....	8,461	99,098,430	13,078,003	7,190	93,616,607	1,791	5,481,823
2	500 to 999 acres.....	2,847	1,950,621	723,167	2,140	1,449,315	823	501,306
3	1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	2,081	2,881,301	823,257	1,744	2,386,675	440	494,626
4	2,000 to 4,999 acres.....	1,588	4,883,398	1,010,151	1,431	4,308,074	238	575,324
5	5,000 to 9,999 acres.....	728	5,081,845	785,772	682	4,589,121	91	492,724
6	10,000 to 19,999 acres.....	499	6,963,107	1,171,097	484	6,608,196	45	354,911
7	20,000 to 49,999 acres.....	320	9,795,271	1,719,709	314	9,344,850	23	450,421
8	50,000 to 99,999 acres.....	152	10,630,513	1,612,601	150	9,796,395	33	834,118
9	100,000 or more acres.....	246	56,912,374	5,232,249	245	55,133,981	98	1,778,393

¹Areas served by two or more projects included in each project.

Summary Table 3.—DRAINAGE PROJECTS, BY

[Data for

	Type of organization	Number of projects	Area drained and used for agriculture, 1960		Area by period drainage was established			
			Total ¹ (acres)	Served by two or more projects ¹ (acres)	Before 1950		Area added 1950-1959	
					Projects reporting	Acres ¹	Projects reporting	Acres ¹
1	All projects.....	8,461	99,098,430	13,078,003	7,190	93,616,607	1,791	5,481,823
2	Drains owned by one landowner.....	1,817	4,162,544	1,794,051	1,360	3,286,656	569	875,888
3	Cooperative or mutual drains.....	2,469	3,577,204	1,244,573	1,768	2,338,334	895	1,238,870
4	Legally organized public drains.....	4,175	91,358,682	10,039,379	4,062	87,991,617	327	3,367,065

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Summary Table 4.—DRAINAGE PROJECTS, BY

[Data for

	Year of organization	Number of projects	Area drained and used for agriculture, 1960		Area by period drainage was established			
			Total ¹ (acres)	Served by two or more projects ¹ (acres)	Before 1950		Area added 1950-1959	
					Projects reporting	Acres ¹	Projects reporting	Acres ¹
1	All projects.....	8,461	99,098,430	13,078,003	7,190	93,616,607	1,791	5,481,823
2	1960-1959.....	2,503	6,258,852	2,149,374	1,232	2,637,792	1,521	3,621,060
3	Prior to 1950.....	5,958	92,839,578	10,928,629	5,958	90,978,815	270	1,860,763

¹Areas served by two or more projects included in each project.