

GENERAL REPORT

Table 24.—AVERAGE EXPENDITURES PER FARM REPORTING FOR SPECIFIED ITEMS, BY DIVISIONS AND STATES: 1939 TO 1959

[Figures based on data shown in Table 23. All 1959, 1954, and 1949 data for the conterminous United States are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Region, division, and State	Specified farm expenditures, 1959 ¹ (dollars)	Machine hire (dollars)			Hired labor (dollars)					Feed for livestock and poultry (dollars)					Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business (dollars)				Purchase of livestock and poultry, 1959 (dollars)	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees, 1959 (dollars)
		1959	1954	1949	1959	1954	1949	1944	1939	1959	1954	1949	1944	1939	1959	1954	1949	1939		
1 U. S.	3,836	404	NA	NA	1,469	NA	927	NA	NA	1,673	NA	781	NA	NA	449	NA	NA	NA	2,310	254
2 Conterminous U.S.	3,822	403	251	222	1,440	1,026	906	666	346	1,670	1,069	780	568	219	448	418	380	112	2,310	254
3 The North	4,085	276	223	206	1,020	813	701	550	316	1,799	1,304	960	713	254	515	446	388	122	2,350	297
4 The South	2,497	404	209	192	1,161	753	735	483	247	1,138	632	420	317	122	305	317	307	71	1,407	188
5 The West	8,905	1,139	NA	NA	4,581	NA	2,846	NA	NA	3,630	NA	1,637	NA	NA	749	NA	NA	NA	5,837	605
6 Conterminous area	8,839	1,135	626	459	4,346	3,181	2,646	1,911	826	3,631	2,127	1,633	990	413	747	648	556	200	5,882	608
7 Geo. Div.:																				
8 N. E.	6,340	236	177	151	3,198	2,181	1,982	1,216	716	4,164	2,691	2,178	1,240	613	405	336	303	119	1,534	469
9 M. A.	4,647	216	187	165	2,175	1,659	1,327	897	521	2,694	2,093	1,669	1,115	462	421	355	300	111	1,413	373
10 E. N. C.	3,443	230	194	179	887	696	594	469	280	1,458	1,052	745	589	169	461	399	347	110	1,735	231
11 W. N. C.	4,542	327	259	244	670	562	520	442	234	1,700	1,185	830	631	209	592	517	453	133	2,986	245
12 S. A.	2,520	258	144	120	1,219	738	622	446	269	1,428	767	527	404	148	290	280	259	59	1,014	194
13 E. S. C.	1,495	244	130	123	663	401	393	291	167	758	366	238	199	74	198	219	234	42	893	118
14 W. S. C.	3,603	774	390	366	1,613	1,157	1,190	682	278	1,214	750	486	336	137	436	450	404	101	2,376	262
15 Mt.	7,459	864	576	443	2,970	1,730	1,228	580	240	1,468	1,137	722	291	843	697	608	179	5,753	395	
16 Pac.	9,978	1,378	NA	NA	6,087	NA	3,759	NA	NA	4,752	NA	2,023	NA	NA	680	NA	NA	NA	5,918	811
17 Conterminous area	9,898	1,374	668	474	5,699	4,010	3,404	2,462	1,012	4,785	2,670	2,024	1,189	498	673	606	513	219	6,010	822
18 N. E.:																				
19 Maine	5,441	210	143	134	2,562	1,821	1,655	1,031	378	3,760	2,062	1,259	685	337	370	336	307	97	1,613	395
20 N. H.	5,114	186	138	109	2,388	1,584	1,426	816	582	3,720	2,481	2,154	1,304	618	296	249	227	94	1,033	208
21 Vt.	4,691	220	179	138	1,599	1,257	1,046	692	400	2,971	2,017	1,832	1,249	465	386	321	257	78	1,138	159
22 Mass.	7,347	260	201	164	4,763	3,123	2,796	1,541	1,237	4,814	3,422	2,922	1,483	892	455	375	325	166	1,603	807
23 R. I.	9,084	359	194	190	3,923	2,581	2,371	1,608	1,342	6,351	2,920	3,039	1,759	1,009	540	416	422	188	1,942	1,135
24 Conn.	9,804	318	234	213	5,308	3,202	3,316	2,161	1,195	6,326	3,972	3,256	1,691	825	498	359	358	147	2,064	825
25 M. A.:																				
26 N. Y.	4,600	224	196	165	2,229	1,743	1,378	985	518	2,610	1,967	1,680	1,184	501	469	372	303	116	1,268	419
27 N. J.	9,449	339	242	228	4,425	3,395	2,805	1,105	1,208	6,743	5,285	3,774	2,120	974	607	504	415	201	2,169	872
28 Pa.	3,941	199	174	157	1,628	1,179	975	608	394	2,258	1,697	1,330	902	348	352	314	275	90	1,404	268
29 E. N. C.:																				
30 Ohio	2,712	198	177	163	972	649	587	445	282	1,296	940	711	532	165	375	339	305	95	1,331	223
31 Ind.	3,113	222	196	188	721	604	507	393	254	1,667	1,227	816	606	174	433	389	370	108	1,491	204
32 Ill.	4,880	296	241	239	930	829	692	544	329	1,924	1,387	867	686	191	657	577	489	159	3,242	309
33 Mich.	2,146	228	179	153	1,056	726	619	508	270	935	661	489	397	132	363	307	261	81	1,061	217
34 Wis.	2,632	199	173	149	758	646	541	440	249	1,273	936	783	689	176	432	353	293	93	871	182
35 W. N. C.:																				
36 Minn.	3,603	241	222	204	653	534	501	401	231	1,676	1,065	767	589	145	556	484	426	141	1,704	256
37 Iowa	6,749	275	237	236	635	553	520	456	270	2,608	1,856	1,288	963	301	570	482	437	134	4,236	277
38 Mo.	2,663	350	230	198	655	523	442	370	218	1,157	882	627	549	147	337	316	260	60	1,519	182
39 N. Dak.	2,740	321	312	300	822	751	729	644	247	671	402	296	178	116	988	839	736	194	1,031	358
40 S. Dak.	4,430	302	313	280	641	563	563	433	193	1,519	832	671	427	192	812	694	587	157	2,381	268
41 Nebr.	6,412	372	275	255	767	625	543	463	243	1,984	1,468	999	698	315	717	593	509	139	4,618	290
42 Kans.	4,569	482	337	331	627	511	495	433	198	1,226	964	679	537	199	644	548	464	157	3,835	193
43 S. A.:																				
44 Del.	10,796	324	239	216	2,303	2,208	1,483	1,042	468	8,776	8,300	6,733	5,144	1,040	479	524	406	131	2,952	455
45 Md.	5,276	265	234	202	1,952	1,581	1,349	917	512	3,178	2,135	1,761	1,236	331	440	413	356	115	1,900	343
46 D. C.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
47 Va.	2,129	173	126	111	1,110	760	695	451	290	1,064	696	532	364	147	245	257	231	49	925	151
48 W. Va.	1,306	116	81	72	767	482	420	230	154	742	527	410	278	89	129	146	151	39	668	73
49 N. C.	1,585	158	109	93	665	423	326	272	156	890	412	239	203	71	265	239	209	46	484	103
50 S. C.	1,533	190	98	97	880	453	441	341	225	788	357	264	178	97	274	245	240	55	568	128
51 Ga.	3,159	295	141	132	1,047	587	493	347	210	2,062	946	459	317	114	322	312	301	48	1,406	239
52 Fla.	6,193	1,183	486	294	4,748	2,827	2,640	1,550	752	2,961	1,359	901	579	296	474	490	477	149	3,417	803
53 E. S. C.:																				
54 Ky.	1,253	168	126	131	465	336	373	298	181	516	343	273	220	75	182	199	209	39	857	102
55 Tenn.	1,217	209	109	110	508	334	324	221	141	547	307	232	210	72	168	197	202	39	663	112
56 Ala.	1,678	208	107	105	735	407	346	259	144	1,279	453	229	178	75	196	206	241	36	1,133	133
57 Miss.	1,751	355	165	141	1,102	529	545	423	218	899	385	208	171	72	252	278	303	58	1,146	133
58 W. S. C.:																				
59 Ark.	3,101	728	268	215	1,906	1,017	857	569	250	1,354	671	364	248	84	390	394	346	64	1,322	269
60 La.	1,946	396	263	180	1,476	894	897	716	374	749	387	272	205	93	292	358	399	71	998	234
61 Okla.	2,836	551	3																	