

## STATISTICS FOR THE STATE

State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>					
Farms.....number...	106,271	61,955	1,769	4,279	9,358
Percent distribution.....percent...	100.0	58.3	1.7	4.0	8.8
Land in farms.....acres...	19,644,019	15,497,901	2,342,878	2,403,299	3,315,758
Percent distribution.....percent...	100.0	78.9	11.9	12.2	16.9
Average size of farm.....acres...	184.8	250.1	1,324.4	561.6	354.3
<b>Value of land and buildings:</b>					
Average per farm.....dollars...	16,464	21,130	112,113	48,266	30,438
Average per acre.....dollars...	100.03	95.29	97.68	100.65	95.97
<b>Land in farms according to use:</b>					
<b>Cropland harvested.....farms reporting...</b>					
.....acres...	90,409	56,311	1,502	3,628	8,236
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting...	4,984,896	4,414,908	601,834	661,853	957,513
.....acres...	20,292	5,767	106	387	855
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting...	16,106	6,460	55	236	622
.....acres...	11,423	6,721	29	180	365
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting...	13,971	10,353	90	229	530
.....acres...	16,134	14,681	135	424	1,763
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting...	8,277	8,158	185	746	2,719
.....acres...	3,478	3,450	442	1,237	1,326
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting...	607	602	353	180	54
.....acres...	121	119	107	9	2
1,000 or more acres.....farms reporting...	38,164	24,183	915	2,004	4,520
Cropland used only for pasture.....acres...	1,340,763	1,037,213	152,382	178,802	238,275
<b>Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting...</b>					
.....acres...	40,189	21,953	672	1,663	3,703
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes.....farms reporting...	1,209,851	772,141	87,277	107,317	151,700
.....acres...	9,386	5,459	263	630	1,039
Other cropland (idle and crop failure).....farms reporting...	273,085	190,862	27,563	32,413	34,998
.....acres...	34,831	18,745	524	1,300	3,089
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting...	936,766	581,279	59,714	74,904	116,702
.....acres...	44,550	26,540	798	2,156	4,935
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting...	3,092,515	2,366,075	291,243	351,591	548,235
.....acres...	61,958	36,033	1,304	2,854	6,228
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting...	7,058,719	5,425,947	962,869	851,124	1,102,377
.....acres...	37,419	21,238	843	2,120	4,286
Improved pasture.....farms reporting...	1,389,473	1,070,998	175,618	198,442	240,107
.....acres...	19,461	12,566	631	1,528	2,919
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting...	683,087	575,844	112,188	124,974	136,990
.....acres...	2,268	2,114	165	315	558
Land use practices:	37,963	36,304	13,867	7,444	7,330
<b>Cropland in cover crops.....farms reporting...</b>					
.....acres...	6,959	5,644	338	642	1,300
Cropland used for grain or row crops	191,707	175,685	37,266	32,244	42,992
farmed on the contour.....farms reporting...	14,367	9,375	391	953	1,753
.....acres...	723,971	637,425	92,264	109,173	161,839
Land in strip-cropping systems for	955	697	67	71	127
soil-erosion control.....farms reporting...	30,633	27,206	9,641	2,355	4,180
.....acres...	33,062	20,960	758	1,852	3,634
System of terraces on crop and pasture land.....farms reporting...	2,003,270	1,630,120	191,998	268,328	364,191
.....acres...					
<b>FARM OPERATORS BY AGE</b>					
Operators reporting age.....number...	105,223	61,220	1,738	4,213	9,301
Under 25 years.....number...	1,552	1,056	21	44	104
25 to 34 years.....number...	9,611	5,980	210	606	980
35 to 44 years.....number...	22,408	14,101	582	1,159	2,668
45 to 54 years.....number...	30,706	19,781	552	1,355	3,027
55 to 64 years.....number...	23,370	15,537	262	722	1,834
65 or more years.....number...	17,576	4,765	111	327	688
Average age.....years...	51.0	49.0	46.1	46.9	47.7
<b>OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME</b>					
<b>Farm operators—</b>					
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting...	50,576	21,458	559	1,290	3,144
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting...	13,817	10,430	154	394	1,119
100 to 199 days.....operators reporting...	7,288	2,895	85	182	516
200 or more days.....operators reporting...	29,471	8,133	320	714	1,509
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	17,805	6,370	158	357	887
With income from sources other than farm	18,180	7,139	327	563	1,294
operated and off-farm work.....operators reporting...	33,947	8,214	232	553	1,364
With other income of family exceeding value of	55,695	40,497	1,210	2,989	6,214
agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	12,845	8,166	211	580	1,346
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting	20,291	8,536	383	707	1,442
as to work off their farms.....operators reporting...	13,679	3,193	53	132	508
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...					
With income from sources other than farm operated.....operators reporting...					
With other income of family exceeding value					
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...					
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>					
Under 10 acres.....number...	6,825	2,675	68	225	380
10 to 49 acres.....number...	27,956	12,449	136	385	876
50 to 99 acres.....number...	11,754	5,792	28	165	417
100 to 199 acres.....number...	12,095	6,711	59	245	630
200 to 299 acres.....number...	12,943	7,743	61	235	742
300 to 399 acres.....number...	8,001	5,129	45	170	700
400 to 499 acres.....number...	5,697	4,080	32	190	782
500 to 599 acres.....number...	3,761	2,801	93	185	661
600 to 699 acres.....number...	9,617	7,828	187	1,005	2,340
700 to 799 acres.....number...	4,917	4,408	433	880	1,326
800 to 899 acres.....number...	1,749	1,613	341	418	371
900 or more acres.....number...	756	726	286	176	133

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Economic class—Continued					
	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
<b>FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE</b>						
Farms.....number...	14,784	17,698	14,067	31,456	12,781	79
Percent distribution.....percent...	13.9	16.7	13.2	29.6	12.0	0.1
Land in farms.....acres...	3,356,735	2,731,704	1,347,527	2,667,428	1,375,652	103,038
Percent distribution.....percent...	17.1	13.9	6.9	13.6	7.0	0.5
Average size of farm.....acres...	227.1	154.4	95.8	84.8	107.6	1,304.3
<b>Value of land and buildings:</b>						
Average per farm.....dollars...	20,317	13,222	7,235	9,924	10,083	139,133
Average per acre.....dollars...	96.75	93.10	82.13	124.13	99.25	122.59
<b>Land in farms according to use:</b>						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting...	13,469	16,345	13,131	23,849	10,171	78
.....acres...	1,034,493	795,881	363,334	388,631	166,068	15,289
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting...	1,191	1,160	2,068	10,207	4,308	10
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting...	791	1,441	3,315	6,820	4,811	15
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting...	774	2,259	3,114	3,250	1,447	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting...	1,766	4,816	2,922	2,518	1,090	10
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting...	5,212	5,555	1,592	952	480	21
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting...	3,334	1,066	108	84	34	1
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting...	386	47	12	18	1	9
500 to 999 acres.....farms reporting...	14	1	...	...	...	5
1,000 or more acres.....farms reporting...	1	...	...	...	...	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting...	6,254	6,530	3,960	9,630	4,322	25
.....acres...	210,800	187,672	69,282	201,059	96,094	6,397
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting...	5,266	5,844	4,805	12,709	5,506	21
.....acres...	166,288	159,647	99,912	286,341	149,571	1,798
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes.....farms reporting...	1,378	1,279	870	2,866	1,053	8
.....acres...	42,939	36,565	16,384	57,228	24,539	456
Other cropland (idle and crop failure).....farms reporting...	4,447	5,092	4,293	11,170	4,896	20
.....acres...	123,349	123,082	83,528	229,113	125,032	1,342
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting...	6,664	6,919	5,068	12,242	5,742	26
.....acres...	523,281	437,236	214,489	474,561	244,712	7,167
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting...	8,893	9,473	7,281	17,544	8,339	42
.....acres...	1,129,485	896,975	483,117	993,026	581,653	58,093
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting...	5,278	4,945	3,766	4,772	4,772	44
.....acres...	209,412	171,586	75,833	219,026	89,940	9,509
Improved pasture.....farms reporting...	3,347	2,695	1,446	4,965	1,913	17
.....acres...	108,485	70,222	22,985	75,491	26,791	4,961
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting...	660	366	50	112	31	11
.....acres...	4,510	2,743	410	1,243	101	315
<b>Land use practices:</b>						
Cropland in cover crops.....farms reporting...	1,587	1,267	510	939	359	17
.....acres...	34,704	23,447	5,032	9,731	5,673	618
Cropland used for grain or row crops farmed on the contour.....farms reporting...	2,152	2,214	1,912	3,553	1,413	26
.....acres...	130,788	93,594	49,767	59,371	22,766	4,409
Land in strip-cropping systems for soil-erosion control.....farms reporting...	164	182	86	186	70	2
.....acres...	4,261	4,840	1,929	1,642	1,365	420
System of terraces on crop and pasture land.....farms reporting...	4,954	5,523	4,239	8,587	3,492	23
.....acres...	363,028	297,655	144,920	261,233	105,001	6,916
<b>FARM OPERATORS BY AGE</b>						
Operators reporting age.....number...	14,649	17,466	13,853	31,174	12,781	48
Under 25 years.....number...	31	341	315	496	...	...
25 to 34 years.....number...	1,609	1,668	907	3,631	...	...
35 to 44 years.....number...	3,770	3,780	2,142	8,303	...	4
45 to 54 years.....number...	4,714	5,517	4,616	10,917	...	8
55 to 64 years.....number...	2,862	4,004	5,873	7,827	...	6
65 or more years.....number...	1,483	2,156	...	...	12,781	30
Average age.....years...	48.4	49.8	50.7	46.8	70.8	53.6
<b>OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME</b>						
<b>Farm operators—</b>						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting...	5,515	7,413	3,537	27,095	2,017	6
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting...	2,271	2,955	3,537	2,323	1,064	...
100 to 199 days.....operators reporting...	879	1,233	...	4,167	226	...
200 or more days.....operators reporting...	2,365	3,225	...	20,605	727	6
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	1,766	2,462	740	10,859	571	5
With income from sources other than farm operated and off-farm work.....operators reporting...	1,856	2,507	592	9,522	1,518	1
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	2,484	3,581	...	24,176	1,551	6
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting as to work off their farms.....operators reporting...	9,269	10,285	10,530	4,361	10,764	73
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	2,279	2,156	1,594	2,521	2,151	7
With income from sources other than farm operated.....operators reporting...	2,167	2,467	1,370	2,835	8,907	13
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	1,026	1,474	...	4,361	6,113	12
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
Under 10 acres.....number...	676	601	725	3,330	820	...
10 to 49 acres.....number...	1,540	4,137	5,375	11,590	3,897	20
50 to 99 acres.....number...	1,146	1,975	2,061	4,317	1,635	10
100 to 199 acres.....number...	1,701	2,380	1,696	3,678	1,706	...
200 to 299 acres.....number...	2,096	2,873	1,736	3,368	1,827	5
300 to 499 acres.....number...	1,803	1,596	815	1,901	966	5
500 to 999 acres.....number...	1,316	1,202	558	1,061	556	...
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....number...	961	656	245	600	360	...
2,000 or more acres.....number...	2,217	1,424	655	1,178	790	...
.....number...	984	629	156	341	163	21
.....number...	266	181	36	75	55	5
.....number...	78	44	9	17	6	7

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Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class				
		Commercial farms				
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III	
<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>						
<b>All farm operators:</b>						
Full owners .....	number...	62,240	28,931	763	2,078	4,536
Part owners .....	number...	17,643	14,047	704	1,908	3,255
All tenants .....	number...	25,627	18,327	123	548	1,437
Cash tenants .....	number...	4,940	2,723	27	119	252
Share-cash tenants .....	number...	586	511	9	43	112
Crop-share tenants .....	number...	4,008	3,088	12	67	251
Livestock-share tenants .....	number...	1,560	1,460	10	109	347
Croppers .....	number...	10,412	8,323	40	117	306
Other and unspecified tenants .....	number...	4,121	2,222	25	93	169
<b>White farm operators:</b>						
Full owners .....	number...	56,172	26,715	763	2,068	4,505
Part owners .....	number...	15,617	12,632	693	1,502	3,124
All tenants .....	number...	14,999	10,372	118	533	1,321
Croppers .....	number...	4,280	3,413	35	107	250
<b>Nonwhite farm operators:</b>						
Full owners .....	number...	6,068	2,216	...	10	31
Part owners .....	number...	2,026	1,415	11	6	131
All tenants .....	number...	11,228	7,955	5	15	116
Croppers .....	number...	6,132	4,910	5	10	56
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>						
Cash-grain farms .....	number...	1,329	1,329	32	53	87
Tobacco farms .....	number...	7,961	7,961	23	153	828
Cotton farms .....	number...	12,476	12,476	59	165	714
Other field-crop farms .....	number...	3,401	3,401	87	195	458
Vegetable farms .....	number...	456	456	17	4	11
Fruit-and-nut farms .....	number...	504	504	98	61	96
Poultry farms .....	number...	9,923	9,923	646	1,670	2,772
Dairy farms .....	number...	2,319	2,319	193	567	924
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms .....	number...	9,280	9,280	158	333	948
General farms .....	number...	12,648	12,648	350	875	2,182
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms .....	number...	45,974	1,658	106	203	338
<b>SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD</b>						
Grain combines .....	farms reporting...	9,285	7,939	818	1,465	2,093
Com pickers .....	farms reporting...	10,340	8,935	1,186	1,717	2,272
Pick-up balers .....	farms reporting...	9,410	8,815	611	1,227	2,340
Field forage harvesters .....	farms reporting...	9,677	9,073	695	1,277	2,384
Motortrucks .....	farms reporting...	5,742	5,077	677	1,129	1,438
Tractors .....	farms reporting...	5,875	5,204	717	1,155	1,476
Tractors other than garden .....	farms reporting...	1,490	1,391	249	414	322
1 tractor .....	farms reporting...	1,651	1,534	326	440	337
2 tractors .....	farms reporting...	60,627	41,101	1,603	3,768	7,873
3 tractors .....	farms reporting...	72,784	51,660	4,150	6,058	10,355
4 tractors .....	farms reporting...	62,587	42,714	1,573	3,670	7,878
5 or more tractors .....	farms reporting...	93,089	70,210	6,456	9,101	15,095
Wheel tractors .....	farms reporting...	60,711	41,825	1,554	3,604	7,725
Crawler tractors .....	farms reporting...	89,392	68,191	6,308	8,906	14,711
Garden tractors .....	farms reporting...	43,436	26,284	334	1,120	3,154
Automobiles .....	farms reporting...	11,360	9,881	234	966	2,893
Automobiles and/or motortrucks .....	farms reporting...	3,537	3,353	239	830	1,182
Telephone .....	farms reporting...	1,248	1,208	223	362	372
Home freezer .....	farms reporting...	1,130	1,099	524	326	124
Milking machine .....	farms reporting...	60,407	41,693	1,547	3,601	7,698
Electric milk cooler .....	farms reporting...	87,719	67,042	6,067	8,747	14,470
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops) .....	farms reporting...	1,415	995	191	145	205
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower .....	farms reporting...	1,673	1,149	241	159	241
Farms by kind of road on which located:	farms reporting...	3,531	1,881	117	183	356
Hard surface .....	farms reporting...	3,697	2,019	148	195	384
Gravel, shell, or shale .....	farms reporting...	75,649	43,983	1,608	3,795	7,601
Dirt or unimproved .....	farms reporting...	88,323	51,480	2,690	5,059	9,094
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road .....	farms reporting...	93,734	56,235	1,732	4,223	9,152
1 or more miles to a hard surface road .....	farms reporting...	47,247	26,656	1,485	3,169	5,834
1 mile .....	farms reporting...	56,668	35,097	1,354	3,251	6,830
2 or 3 miles .....	farms reporting...	2,735	2,549	254	652	960
4 miles .....	farms reporting...	2,746	2,597	260	635	971
5 or more miles .....	farms reporting...	830	806	176	213	124
Farm labor, week preceding enumeration:	farms reporting...	5,712	5,496	732	1,077	1,526
Hired workers .....	persons...	18,674	15,589	1,489	2,695	4,037
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days) .....	persons...	60,144	54,153	12,985	11,016	12,131
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:	persons...	9,700	9,014	1,344	2,239	2,617
1 hired worker .....	farms reporting...	23,729	22,721	7,931	5,800	4,796
2 hired workers .....	farms reporting...	5,310	4,749	223	872	1,578
3 or 4 hired workers .....	farms reporting...	1,958	1,849	215	606	551
5 to 9 hired workers .....	farms reporting...	1,412	1,406	372	476	367
10 or more hired workers .....	farms reporting...	731	728	344	232	93
Residence of farm operator:	operators reporting...	289	282	190	53	28
Residing on farm operated .....	operators reporting...	93,746	54,314	1,379	3,640	8,232
Not residing on farm operated .....	operators reporting...	5,908	3,519	304	379	605
Operators not reporting residence .....	number...	6,615	4,122	86	260	521

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<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>						
<b>All farm operators:</b>						
Full owners .....	6,734	8,311	6,509	22,791	10,518	...
Part owners .....	3,889	2,990	1,701	2,932	664	...
All tenants .....	4,033	6,342	5,844	5,703	1,597	...
Cash tenants .....	550	772	1,003	1,672	545	...
Share-cash tenants .....	145	106	96	60	15	...
Crop-share tenants .....	806	1,095	857	710	210	...
Livestock-share tenants .....	523	340	131	65	35	...
Croppers .....	1,653	3,346	2,861	1,723	366	...
Other and unspecified tenants .....	356	683	896	1,473	426	...
<b>White farm operators:</b>						
Full owners .....	6,568	7,714	5,097	20,724	8,733	...
Part owners .....	3,622	2,600	1,091	2,501	484	...
All tenants .....	2,946	3,279	2,175	3,366	661	...
Croppers .....	932	1,269	820	746	121	...
<b>Nonwhite farm operators:</b>						
Full owners .....	166	597	1,412	2,067	1,785	...
Part owners .....	267	390	610	431	180	...
All tenants .....	1,087	3,063	3,669	2,337	936	...
Croppers .....	721	2,077	2,041	977	245	...
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>						
Cash-grain farms .....	205	319	633	...	...	...
Tobacco farms .....	2,486	3,165	1,306	...	...	...
Cotton farms .....	1,765	4,183	5,590	...	...	...
Other field-crop farms .....	707	893	1,061	...	...	...
Vegetable farms .....	38	70	316	...	...	...
Fruit-and-nut farms .....	55	77	117	...	...	...
Poultry farms .....	2,801	1,768	266	...	...	...
Dairy farms .....	388	157	90	...	...	...
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms .....	1,924	3,011	2,906	...	...	...
General farms .....	4,017	3,662	1,562	...	...	...
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms .....	398	393	220	31,456	12,781	79
<b>SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD</b>						
Grain combines .....	1,777	1,252	534	997	333	16
number .....	1,901	1,320	539	1,028	343	34
Corn pickers .....	2,701	1,498	438	434	156	5
number .....	2,756	1,518	443	439	156	9
Pick-up balers .....	956	603	274	552	98	15
number .....	964	608	284	552	98	21
Field forage harvesters .....	198	138	70	75	16	8
number .....	208	148	75	85	16	16
Motortrucks .....	10,943	10,760	6,154	15,081	4,377	68
number .....	12,814	11,852	6,431	16,135	4,560	429
Tractors .....	11,610	12,021	5,962	15,412	4,398	63
number .....	17,356	15,444	6,758	17,505	4,975	399
Tractors other than garden .....	11,360	11,780	5,802	14,637	4,216	63
number .....	16,810	14,923	6,533	16,110	4,703	388
1 tractor .....	7,132	9,326	5,218	13,326	3,800	26
2 tractors .....	3,328	1,992	468	1,107	362	10
3 tractors .....	699	309	94	137	42	5
4 tractors .....	135	100	16	31	7	2
5 or more tractors .....	66	53	6	6	5	20
Wheel tractors .....	11,353	11,723	5,771	14,485	4,171	58
number .....	16,593	14,697	6,468	15,745	4,602	330
Crawler tractors .....	202	194	58	309	91	20
number .....	217	226	65	365	101	58
Garden tractors .....	516	490	219	1,374	267	9
number .....	546	521	225	1,395	272	11
Automobiles .....	11,292	12,099	7,588	24,512	7,118	36
number .....	13,010	13,602	8,025	29,043	7,689	111
Automobiles and/or motortrucks .....	14,083	15,992	11,053	28,236	9,195	68
farms reporting .....	7,042	6,522	2,604	15,314	5,205	72
Home freezer .....	9,712	9,397	4,553	16,525	4,996	50
farms reporting .....	433	159	91	110	62	14
Electric milk cooler .....	490	195	86	95	41	13
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops) .....	156	117	20	20	1	3
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower .....	1,389	643	129	170	37	9
<b>Farms by kind of road on which located:</b>						
Hard surface .....	4,948	5,589	3,509	12,537	4,570	57
farms reporting .....	798	948	814	2,017	723	11
Gravel, shell, or shale .....	8,749	10,777	9,428	16,435	7,210	5
farms reporting .....	3,213	4,065	3,358	6,827	2,901	5
Dirt or unimproved .....	5,536	6,712	6,070	9,608	4,309	...
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road .....	2,217	2,643	2,255	4,397	1,819	...
1 or more miles to a hard surface road .....	2,217	3,437	3,087	4,266	2,013	...
1 mile .....	273	346	413	507	227	...
2 or 3 miles .....	165	286	315	438	250	...
4 miles .....	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 or more miles .....	...	...	...	...	...	7
<b>FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION</b>						
Hired workers .....	3,719	2,857	792	2,208	836	41
persons .....	9,778	6,578	1,665	4,106	1,515	370
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days) .....	1,718	988	108	484	161	41
persons .....	2,630	1,403	161	567	182	259
<b>-Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:</b>						
1 hired worker .....	1,247	749	80	401	140	20
farms reporting .....	306	158	13	83	21	5
2 or 3 hired workers .....	127	49	15	...	...	6
farms reporting .....	27	32	...	...	...	3
4 or more hired workers .....	11	...	...	...	...	7
<b>RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR</b>						
Residing on farm operated .....	13,056	15,529	12,478	27,754	11,640	40
operators reporting .....	713	950	568	1,987	394	8
Not residing on farm operated .....	1,015	1,219	1,021	1,715	747	31
operators not reporting residence .....	...	...	...	...	...	...

See footnotes at end of table.

State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
<b>USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER AND LIME</b>					
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing materials used during the year..... farms reporting...	87,332	55,461	1,431	3,547	8,044
acres on which used...	5,243,840	4,650,613	650,141	734,745	1,018,392
tons...	1,197,593	1,070,490	163,270	174,287	238,988
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	87,139	55,328	1,425	3,525	8,035
tons...	1,157,043	1,031,733	153,483	164,462	229,816
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	5,553	4,907	386	678	1,207
tons...	40,550	38,757	9,787	9,825	9,172
<b>Crops on which used—</b>					
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting...	20,319	14,293	778	1,737	3,169
acres...	728,824	637,114	123,814	137,731	152,171
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	19,938	13,972	758	1,685	3,112
tons...	148,062	128,171	24,366	27,816	32,099
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	1,476	1,298	180	284	345
tons...	8,165	7,701	2,096	2,365	1,706
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting...	10,814	7,593	439	885	1,840
acres...	369,328	324,744	68,174	65,352	83,884
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	10,582	7,396	414	861	1,779
tons...	69,510	60,432	11,790	12,102	15,407
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	767	668	78	101	238
tons...	4,848	4,457	1,035	1,216	1,354
Corn..... farms reporting...	70,936	46,744	1,033	2,756	6,753
acres...	2,350,653	2,061,828	179,030	260,988	441,245
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	70,723	46,576	1,016	2,737	6,728
tons...	442,914	390,414	38,341	52,706	88,976
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	3,684	3,382	264	439	856
tons...	18,760	18,137	3,694	4,173	4,687
Soybeans..... farms reporting...	1,994	1,480	92	175	337
acres...	43,355	40,036	10,655	8,840	7,251
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	1,979	1,465	87	175	337
tons...	6,969	6,377	1,610	1,447	1,197
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	27	27	5	12	...
tons...	110	110	25	69	...
Cotton..... farms reporting...	42,186	32,933	737	1,752	4,402
acres...	624,659	563,270	62,517	68,139	111,140
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	42,105	32,877	737	1,752	4,397
tons...	203,359	184,618	23,416	23,177	37,807
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	1,171	1,076	83	147	287
tons...	3,696	3,564	1,113	606	853
All other crops..... farms reporting...	48,770	36,400	988	2,373	5,350
acres...	1,127,386	1,023,986	205,951	193,695	222,701
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	48,593	36,268	984	2,357	5,338
tons...	286,229	261,721	53,960	47,214	54,330
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	801	704	88	118	134
tons...	4,971	4,788	1,824	1,396	572
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting...	14,978	10,818	638	1,462	2,587
acres limed...	414,941	352,317	65,001	77,532	87,930
tons...	409,880	346,065	64,216	74,262	87,890
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES</b>					
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting...	105,201	61,945	1,769	4,279	9,358
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	75,606	45,929	1,624	4,026	8,454
dollars...	155,928,719	148,563,131	40,999,760	39,045,054	36,334,355
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	21,535	9,102	14	149	380
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting...	35,933	19,623	220	843	2,937
\$1,000 to \$1,999..... farms reporting...	4,308	3,480	125	329	819
\$2,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	3,399	3,118	179	408	1,087
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	8,431	8,406	1,086	2,297	3,231
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	41,439	27,651	1,320	3,030	6,014
dollars...	58,260,630	55,339,726	19,384,045	12,474,317	12,307,991
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting...	29,948	16,741	175	661	2,577
\$1,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	5,836	5,343	177	547	1,389
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	3,219	3,138	190	768	1,646
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	1,679	1,675	318	886	307
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting...	757	754	460	168	95
Machine hire..... farms reporting...	58,267	41,298	1,024	2,558	6,063
dollars...	17,165,247	15,418,262	1,720,361	2,213,169	3,501,409
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	34,964	20,342	140	658	1,799
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting...	20,222	17,942	412	1,213	3,330
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	3,081	3,014	472	687	934
Hired labor..... farms reporting...	54,681	40,942	1,691	3,782	7,236
dollars...	57,248,360	54,017,416	17,723,738	11,524,641	11,112,988
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	20,794	11,046	24	253	848
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting...	13,978	11,224	70	423	1,069
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	7,388	6,603	85	389	1,388
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	7,337	6,950	190	1,018	2,485
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	3,009	2,960	323	956	1,109
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	1,402	1,397	474	566	284
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting...	504	500	305	137	51
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting...	218	215	173	40	2
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting...	51	47	47	...	...
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting...	50,368	33,629	1,098	2,430	5,401
dollars...	12,035,242	10,831,082	2,065,169	2,068,140	2,426,696
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	26,970	13,348	73	387	1,204
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	17,476	14,662	263	727	2,395
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	3,635	3,388	200	567	1,202
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	2,287	2,231	562	749	600
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting...	98,184	59,242	1,765	4,263	9,290
dollars...	31,647,435	28,222,110	4,500,444	4,872,384	6,377,807
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	45,356	16,991	82	467	1,341
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	34,501	24,979	259	987	2,770
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	10,768	10,264	234	859	2,623
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	7,197	7,053	933	1,878	2,532
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	362	355	257	72	24

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Economic class—Continued					
	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
<b>USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER AND LIME</b>						
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing materials used during the year..... farms reporting... acres on which used..... tons...	13,300 1,080,074 246,115	16,321 812,467 176,575	12,818 354,794 71,255	22,505 408,221 89,062	9,288 162,892 33,341	78 22,114 4,700
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	13,269 239,847	16,281 173,538	12,793 70,607	22,460 87,867	9,273 32,807	78 4,636
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	1,407 6,268	979 3,057	250 648	478 1,195	161 534	7 64
Crops on which used—						
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	3,703 119,907 3,564	3,297 80,436 3,249	1,609 23,055 1,604	4,454 64,535 4,404	1,539 20,540 1,529	33 6,635 33
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	23,596 316 1,138	16,168 153 373	4,126 20 23	14,208 136 354	4,233 35 62	1,450 7 48
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	2,001 55,459 1,945	1,669 41,703 1,643	759 10,172 754	2,430 31,426 2,405	775 10,395 765	16 2,763 16
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	11,122 166 524	8,094 55 280	1,917 30 48	6,681 73 197	1,971 25 193	426 1 1
Corn..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	11,547 562,524 11,501	13,757 425,657 13,721	10,898 192,384 10,873	16,693 195,077 16,663	7,444 86,157 7,429	55 7,591 55
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	105,600 991 3,389	74,299 672 1,836	30,492 160 358	36,308 225 417	14,836 76 201	1,356 1 5
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	389 6,168 384	337 5,517 332	150 1,605 150	370 2,410 370	140 760 140	4 149 4
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	1,003 5 6	878 5 10	242 ... ...	425 ... ...	138 ... ...	29 ... ...
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	7,899 127,223 7,888	9,957 124,742 9,922	8,186 69,509 8,181	6,351 43,040 6,331	2,898 18,153 2,893	4 196 4
Cotton..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	41,253 303 612	38,479 176 265	20,486 80 115	13,072 70 108	5,615 25 24	54 ... ...
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	9,941 208,793 9,896	10,748 134,777 10,708	7,000 58,069 6,985	8,617 71,733 8,587	3,696 26,887 3,681	57 4,780 57
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	57,273 182 599	35,600 142 293	13,344 40 104	17,173 60 119	6,014 35 54	1,321 2 10
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting... acres limed... tons...	2,954 67,205 67,154	2,340 42,712 40,717	837 11,937 11,826	3,170 46,108 47,458	975 14,181 13,934	15 2,335 2,423
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES</b>						
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting...	14,784	17,693	14,062	30,934	12,243	79
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms reporting... dollars...	12,261 21,849,353	12,249 8,764,819	7,315 1,569,790	21,374 5,017,178	8,234 1,659,327	69 689,083
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,595	3,067	3,897	8,395	4,038	...
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting...	6,039	6,692	3,092	12,178	3,895	37
\$1,000 to \$1,999..... farms reporting...	1,064	928	215	565	251	12
\$2,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,842	1,501	101	226	45	10
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	1,721	61	10	10	5	10
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting... dollars...	7,506 7,282,440	6,618 3,399,205	3,618 491,728	10,284 2,283,334	3,473 548,167	31 89,403
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting...	4,631	5,602	3,095	9,818	3,372	17
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	2,370	809	51	391	96	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	358	159	17	75	5	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	116	48	...	...	...	4
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting...	31	...	...	...	...	3
Machine hire..... farms reporting... dollars...	10,137 3,742,653	12,347 3,073,033	9,169 1,167,637	11,770 1,242,072	5,174 492,489	25 12,424
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	3,767	6,255	7,723	10,067	4,544	11
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting...	5,750	5,821	1,416	1,658	610	12
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	620	271	30	45	20	2
Hired labor..... farms reporting... dollars...	10,868 8,032,678	11,555 4,589,815	5,810 1,033,556	9,718 1,891,273	3,973 615,618	48 724,053
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	2,107	3,889	3,925	6,649	3,098	1
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting...	3,305	4,763	1,594	2,143	611	...
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	2,699	1,850	192	616	169	...
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	2,252	934	71	283	79	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	425	119	28	27	16	6
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	73	...	...	...	...	5
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting...	7	...	...	...	...	4
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	3
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting... dollars...	8,543 2,185,064	9,676 1,546,567	6,481 539,446	12,179 806,348	4,514 308,209	46 89,603
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	2,469	4,624	4,591	9,891	3,721	10
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	4,889	4,580	1,808	2,092	701	21
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	953	390	76	165	76	6
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	232	82	6	31	16	9
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting... dollars...	14,512 6,302,501	17,037 4,408,748	12,375 1,560,226	28,980 2,459,152	9,889 853,974	73 112,199
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	2,519	4,638	7,544	7,544	7,320	10
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	6,621	9,994	4,348	7,093	2,394	35
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	4,082	2,069	397	365	132	7
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,289	335	86	87	43	14
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	1	1	...	...	...	7

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
<b>ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY SOURCE</b>					
All farm products sold.....total, dollars...	607,903,993	572,151,761	134,372,649	116,387,665	131,199,617
.....average per farm, dollars...	5,720	9,235	75,960	27,200	14,020
All crops sold.....dollars...	283,809,547	266,646,189	48,271,253	42,504,995	58,455,097
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	229,006,309	215,843,136	26,821,971	33,346,850	49,216,150
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	7,232,937	6,251,102	1,489,169	709,069	1,138,500
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	16,026,208	14,996,619	8,635,088	2,702,097	1,790,569
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	31,544,093	29,555,332	11,325,025	5,747,979	6,309,878
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	324,094,446	305,505,572	86,101,396	73,882,670	72,744,520
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	163,977,836	161,616,488	49,762,625	44,591,975	38,558,210
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	40,177,610	39,428,718	11,214,856	12,763,288	11,881,008
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	119,939,000	104,460,366	25,123,915	16,527,407	22,305,302
<b>LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS</b>					
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	71,778	42,587	1,367	3,389	7,512
.....number...	1,394,763	1,168,401	224,411	273,582	273,689
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	67,160	40,693	1,294	3,243	7,158
.....number...	700,591	591,672	99,628	117,777	147,222
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	43,177	25,874	623	1,911	4,552
.....number...	197,223	165,205	30,590	40,394	45,360
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	53,158	33,266	1,228	2,939	6,320
.....number...	390,141	318,907	54,653	61,419	76,420
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	46,135	29,686	1,202	2,846	5,864
.....number...	304,031	257,822	70,130	45,386	50,047
Farms reporting by number on hand:					
Cattle and calves—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	8,580	4,032	57	132	431
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	20,010	9,910	45	300	1,063
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	14,227	7,220	59	247	843
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	12,246	7,457	92	420	1,324
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	10,233	7,575	218	711	1,919
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	4,098	4,018	256	826	1,349
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	2,280	2,274	559	739	579
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	104	101	81	14	4
Cows, including heifers that have calved—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	18,739	9,490	94	300	1,112
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	31,891	17,490	157	725	2,291
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	7,423	5,191	99	505	1,670
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	3,038	2,593	100	275	670
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	3,043	2,923	199	478	1,105
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	1,585	1,574	174	514	489
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	602	600	119	193	186
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	839	832	352	253	145
Milk cows—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	21,198	11,789	144	618	1,840
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	19,443	11,581	204	655	1,750
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	320	300	8	17	26
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	368	367	6	16	151
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	945	940	27	191	551
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	533	533	60	252	206
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	184	182	48	113	21
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	186	182	126	49	7
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...	39,774	23,046	827	1,830	3,524
.....number...	72,846	47,626	4,870	5,104	7,508
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	73,176	45,162	978	2,619	6,792
.....number...	1,867,046	1,544,337	109,489	163,846	352,226
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	49,121	32,363	729	1,975	5,176
.....number...	1,040,306	860,092	65,048	95,069	195,139
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	66,474	41,800	928	2,423	6,314
.....number...	826,740	684,245	44,441	68,777	157,087
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...	848	611	38	108	149
.....number...	33,332	29,632	2,470	7,375	6,926
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	547	419	29	77	107
.....number...	7,950	7,081	733	1,898	1,557
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	783	566	32	97	139
.....number...	25,382	22,551	1,737	5,477	5,369
Ewes.....farms reporting...	698	503	31	97	118
.....number...	22,359	19,941	1,592	5,208	4,951
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	658	491	31	79	136
.....number...	3,023	2,610	145	269	418
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...	66,153	38,905	811	1,927	5,148
.....number...	12,008,339	10,915,804	3,997,541	2,735,117	1,613,505
Livestock and livestock products sold:					
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...	48,428	29,451	1,251	3,054	6,099
.....number...	602,048	519,857	135,294	100,989	112,521
.....dollars...	69,695,428	60,980,654	20,845,201	10,997,007	11,736,369
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	48,270	32,956	803	2,059	5,287
.....number...	1,700,323	1,474,675	141,737	186,759	360,187
.....dollars...	49,309,367	42,765,575	4,110,373	5,416,011	10,445,423
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	549	430	24	80	94
.....number...	19,813	18,038	2,901	4,490	3,307
.....dollars...	237,756	216,456	34,812	53,880	39,684
Milk and cream sold <sup>1</sup> .....farms reporting...	5,308	3,782	293	681	1,161
.....pounds...	736,613,811	721,437,957	194,022,680	233,880,365	219,741,102
.....dollars...	40,177,610	39,428,718	11,214,856	12,763,288	11,881,008
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	15,473	12,606	823	1,947	3,208
.....dollars...	116,739,209	115,681,098	27,141,772	33,899,299	32,201,257
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	13,187	8,339	464	733	1,313
.....dozens...	111,355,325	108,271,809	52,639,970	25,609,377	15,009,567
.....dollars...	45,655,694	44,391,451	21,582,381	10,499,845	6,153,928

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Economic class—Continued					
	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
<b>ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY SOURCE</b>						
All farm products sold.....total, dollars...	106,858,077	64,805,172	18,528,581	23,038,923	9,251,459	3,461,850
.....average per farm, dollars...	7,228	3,662	1,317	732	724	43,821
All crops sold.....dollars...	61,189,828	41,990,762	14,234,254	11,554,383	4,827,375	781,600
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	55,247,298	38,315,700	12,895,167	9,238,486	3,728,720	195,967
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	1,390,624	913,635	610,105	472,815	181,040	327,980
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	914,939	685,633	269,293	639,528	350,553	39,508
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	3,636,967	2,075,794	459,689	1,203,554	567,062	218,145
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	45,668,249	22,814,410	4,294,327	11,484,540	4,424,084	2,680,250
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	21,166,230	6,993,350	544,098	1,347,546	567,179	446,623
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	2,870,497	563,534	135,535	163,845	131,035	454,012
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	21,631,522	15,257,526	3,614,694	9,973,149	3,725,870	1,779,615
<b>LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS</b>						
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	10,656	11,253	8,410	20,509	8,625	57
.....number...	221,204	170,329	54,186	156,298	62,845	7,219
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	10,175	10,779	8,044	18,348	8,063	56
.....number...	112,418	86,686	27,941	73,767	31,229	3,923
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	6,252	6,635	5,901	11,657	5,596	50
.....number...	22,138	15,499	11,224	20,219	10,397	1,442
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	8,704	8,645	5,430	14,092	5,744	56
.....number...	62,335	47,931	16,149	49,707	19,569	1,958
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	7,853	7,798	4,123	11,940	4,462	47
.....number...	46,451	35,712	10,096	32,824	12,047	1,338
Farms reporting by number on hand:						
Cattle and calves—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	836	996	1,580	3,081	1,467	...
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	2,154	2,958	3,390	7,105	2,984	11
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	1,899	2,366	1,806	5,020	1,987	...
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	2,322	2,282	1,017	3,352	1,427	10
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	2,305	1,825	597	1,899	744	15
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	840	727	20	52	16	12
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	298	99	...	...	...	6
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	2	...	...	...	...	3
Cows including heifers that have calved—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	2,091	2,561	3,332	6,445	2,799	5
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	4,729	5,580	4,008	9,883	4,503	15
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	1,569	1,318	540	1,598	624	10
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	784	631	133	323	121	1
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	604	506	31	94	11	15
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	253	144	...	5	5	1
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	81	21	...	...	...	2
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	64	18	...	...	...	7
Milk cows—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	2,864	3,164	3,159	6,480	2,924	5
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	2,979	3,297	2,696	5,167	2,672	23
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	107	111	31	10	...	10
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	136	43	15	...	...	1
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	156	15	...	...	...	5
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	10	5	...	...	...	...
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	2
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...	4,641	5,753	6,471	10,830	5,834	64
.....number...	9,477	10,417	10,250	16,466	8,417	337
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	11,180	13,066	10,527	20,229	7,711	74
.....number...	449,633	338,200	130,943	228,017	84,999	9,693
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	8,787	9,406	6,290	12,375	4,319	64
.....number...	253,959	184,370	66,507	129,698	45,294	5,222
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	10,427	12,133	9,575	17,742	6,859	73
.....number...	195,674	153,830	64,436	98,319	39,705	4,471
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...	130	115	71	208	25	4
.....number...	5,791	5,794	1,276	3,090	205	405
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	78	82	46	121	5	2
.....number...	1,039	1,433	421	717	10	142
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	130	103	65	188	25	4
.....number...	4,752	4,361	855	2,373	195	263
Ewes.....farms reporting...	119	93	45	168	25	2
.....number...	3,749	3,766	675	2,029	150	239
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	104	96	45	138	25	4
.....number...	1,003	595	180	344	45	24
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...	9,208	11,666	10,145	18,081	9,139	28
.....number...	1,281,570	931,616	356,455	708,013	304,124	80,398
Livestock and livestock products sold:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...	7,675	7,422	3,950	13,364	5,563	50
.....number...	89,953	65,389	15,711	54,112	21,764	6,315
.....dollars...	9,095,743	6,963,617	1,342,717	5,315,207	2,031,039	1,368,528
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	9,262	9,866	11,094	4,152	4,152	68
.....number...	426,649	282,174	77,169	154,659	56,905	14,084
.....dollars...	12,372,821	8,183,046	2,237,901	4,485,111	1,650,245	408,436
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	109	83	40	107	10	2
.....number...	4,086	2,599	655	1,517	130	128
.....dollars...	49,032	31,188	7,860	18,204	1,560	1,536
Milk and cream sold <sup>1</sup> .....farms reporting...	722	518	407	823	670	33
.....pounds...	56,749,681	13,246,566	3,797,563	3,498,817	2,857,642	8,819,395
.....dollars...	2,870,497	563,534	135,535	163,845	131,035	454,012
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	3,512	2,470	646	1,748	1,098	21
.....dollars...	17,160,752	5,001,595	276,423	766,883	230,611	60,617
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	2,053	2,223	1,553	2,555	2,272	21
.....dozens...	9,397,795	4,818,743	596,397	1,366,426	802,136	914,954
.....dollars...	3,935,097	1,975,690	244,510	560,234	328,878	375,131

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
<b>LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Continued</b>					
Litters farrowed December 1, 1958, to					
November 30, 1959..... farms reporting...	46,553	32,086	693	1,882	4,955
..... number of litters...	322,244	271,378	18,357	30,863	61,762
1 or 2 litters..... farms reporting...	16,442	8,570	70	235	775
3 to 9 litters..... farms reporting...	19,729	13,912	177	583	1,746
10 to 19 litters..... farms reporting...	7,335	6,651	144	527	1,460
20 to 39 litters..... farms reporting...	2,474	2,391	148	375	818
40 to 69 litters..... farms reporting...	434	428	102	121	125
70 or more litters..... farms reporting...	139	134	52	41	31
June 2 to November 30..... farms reporting...	38,962	27,266	644	1,739	4,612
..... number of litters...	151,743	125,238	8,051	14,216	28,372
December 1 to June 1..... farms reporting...	36,338	26,549	609	1,624	4,266
..... number of litters...	170,501	146,140	10,306	16,647	33,390
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>					
Corn for all purposes..... farms reporting...					
..... acres...	75,395	49,108	1,075	2,913	7,133
Under 11 acres..... farms reporting...	2,431,487	2,124,721	185,567	266,087	457,873
..... acres...	29,726	12,181	96	504	1,347
11 to 24 acres..... farms reporting...	15,717	9,903	53	258	722
25 to 49 acres..... farms reporting...	14,501	12,225	115	410	1,216
50 to 74 acres..... farms reporting...	7,284	6,809	87	364	1,325
75 to 99 acres..... farms reporting...	3,029	2,922	80	259	804
100 or more acres..... farms reporting...	5,138	5,068	644	1,118	1,719
Harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	71,148	46,849	1,015	2,746	6,815
..... acres...	1,940,852	1,699,078	161,462	228,311	367,897
..... bushels...	49,748,504	44,874,641	5,343,833	7,241,586	10,546,206
Sales..... farms reporting...	28,637	21,722	535	1,431	3,470
..... bushels...	20,713,476	19,440,424	2,724,039	3,680,425	4,535,388
Wheat harvested..... farms reporting...					
..... acres...	7,574	5,357	262	625	1,050
..... bushels...	99,160	84,744	13,815	16,210	19,948
Sales..... farms reporting...	2,139,291	1,889,204	350,803	386,577	450,838
..... bushels...	4,405	3,451	248	511	802
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,666,363	1,531,475	324,810	339,107	380,605
..... bushels...	10,132	7,729	694	1,160	1,796
Oats harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	249,608	229,304	61,824	52,820	48,635
..... acres...	8,497,523	7,946,047	2,420,584	1,916,635	1,570,675
Sales..... farms reporting...	3,459	2,904	334	478	680
..... bushels...	4,037,472	3,847,682	1,353,638	933,128	705,596
Barley harvested..... farms reporting...					
..... acres...	670	570	47	122	151
..... bushels...	13,659	12,764	2,418	2,497	4,687
Sales..... farms reporting...	423,775	395,655	86,625	84,120	152,855
..... bushels...	195	155	21	19	50
Sales..... farms reporting...	178,335	171,895	54,240	15,420	75,935
..... bushels...	1,097	1,003	180	248	236
Rye harvested..... farms reporting...	22,093	21,578	7,838	5,843	3,628
..... acres...	330,652	324,537	119,205	92,780	50,918
Sales..... farms reporting...	663	625	151	171	138
..... bushels...	251,155	248,860	99,288	75,447	31,956
Peanuts harvested for nuts..... farms reporting...					
..... acres grown alone...	22,794	19,847	592	1,422	3,348
..... acres grown with other crops...	466,747	449,364	59,563	84,602	108,299
..... pounds...	741	736	96	68	148
Sales..... farms reporting...	499,464,819	486,912,323	74,529,473	99,223,220	125,025,248
Hay crops:					
Land from which hay was cut..... acres...	376,447	313,075	63,141	65,431	79,414
-Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for					
hay and for dehydrating..... farms reporting...	2,136	1,563	81	340	443
..... acres...	20,829	17,162	2,302	4,700	4,738
..... tons...	43,035	37,372	5,361	11,326	10,593
Sales..... farms reporting...	254	147	10	40	46
..... tons...	3,522	2,746	193	411	949
Coastal Bermuda grass					
cut for hay..... farms reporting...	3,729	3,222	465	663	882
..... acres...	95,688	89,744	29,303	21,033	20,961
..... tons...	186,082	178,832	65,184	40,993	39,504
Sales..... farms reporting...	716	620	97	153	138
..... tons...	29,834	28,763	10,264	8,479	5,074
Lespedeza cut for hay..... farms reporting...					
..... acres...	6,764	3,676	127	376	723
..... tons...	76,582	56,609	4,351	8,525	12,454
Sales..... farms reporting...	88,522	68,220	5,925	11,481	16,303
..... tons...	702	330	9	29	55
Sales..... farms reporting...	10,624	8,401	330	1,444	1,757
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small					
grains cut for hay..... farms reporting...	5,281	3,410	211	472	758
..... acres...	65,899	54,895	9,501	11,724	15,152
..... tons...	72,310	62,964	12,505	16,483	16,094
Sales..... farms reporting...	270	144	9	18	32
..... tons...	2,344	1,643	232	233	573
Other hay cut..... farms reporting...					
..... acres...	7,322	4,289	313	599	1,082
..... tons...	116,781	94,095	17,326	19,327	26,019
Sales..... farms reporting...	127,188	104,807	19,754	25,606	29,346
..... tons...	610	330	42	68	96
Sales..... farms reporting...	14,621	13,011	3,202	4,758	3,422
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa,					
clover, or small grains..... farms reporting...	10	9	3	1	5
..... acres...	668	570	358	122	90
..... tons, green weight...	5,474	4,690	3,040	750	900

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Economic class—Continued					
	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
<b>LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Continued</b>						
<b>Litters farrowed December 1, 1958, to</b>						
November 30, 1959.....	farms reporting... 8,807	9,641	6,108	10,336	4,063	68
	number of litters... 79,903	59,814	20,679	35,848	13,301	1,717
1 or 2 litters.....	farms reporting... 1,413	2,746	3,321	5,565	2,302	5
3 to 9 litters.....	farms reporting... 4,037	4,907	2,462	4,230	1,557	30
10 to 19 litters.....	farms reporting... 2,563	1,687	270	485	178	21
20 to 39 litters.....	farms reporting... 722	283	45	51	26	6
40 to 69 litters.....	farms reporting... 62	18	...	5	...	1
70 or more litters.....	farms reporting... 10	...	...	...	...	5
June 2 to November 30.....	farms reporting... 7,763	7,885	4,623	8,494	3,139	63
	number of litters... 37,217	27,317	10,065	18,986	6,617	902
December 1 to June 1.....	farms reporting... 7,642	8,056	4,352	6,864	2,857	68
	number of litters... 42,686	32,497	10,614	16,862	6,684	815
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
<b>Corn for all purposes.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 12,019	14,367	11,601	18,104	8,123	60
	acres... 572,510	439,944	202,740	207,340	91,812	7,614
Under 11 acres.....	farms reporting... 1,913	3,135	5,186	12,203	5,327	15
11 to 24 acres.....	farms reporting... 1,649	3,551	3,670	3,875	1,929	10
25 to 49 acres.....	farms reporting... 3,445	4,886	2,153	1,582	678	16
50 to 74 acres.....	farms reporting... 2,622	1,957	454	322	147	6
75 to 99 acres.....	farms reporting... 1,179	509	91	76	30	1
100 or more acres.....	farms reporting... 1,211	329	47	46	12	1
Harvested for grain.....	farms reporting... 11,552	13,618	11,103	16,600	7,646	53
	acres... 441,253	337,821	162,334	162,301	74,770	4,703
	bushels... 11,348,860	7,557,386	2,836,770	3,303,060	1,421,912	148,891
Sales.....	farms reporting... 6,115	6,520	3,651	4,832	2,078	5
	bushels... 4,703,823	3,008,894	787,855	914,185	358,367	500
<b>Wheat harvested.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 1,228	1,155	1,037	1,445	762	10
	acres... 17,155	11,213	6,403	9,779	4,377	260
	bushels... 361,089	237,467	102,430	171,340	72,009	6,738
Sales.....	farms reporting... 825	714	351	659	286	9
	bushels... 287,240	158,008	41,705	94,255	33,963	6,670
<b>Oats harvested for grain.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 1,725	1,466	888	1,566	824	13
	acres... 37,775	21,311	6,939	12,661	6,223	1,420
	bushels... 1,225,210	622,685	190,258	355,090	165,077	31,309
Sales.....	farms reporting... 755	470	187	407	146	2
	bushels... 565,655	234,560	55,105	132,095	51,295	6,400
<b>Barley harvested.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 114	101	35	65	35	...
	acres... 1,886	1,081	195	715	180	...
	bushels... 45,375	22,640	4,040	23,450	4,670	...
Sales.....	farms reporting... 30	35	...	25	15	...
	bushels... 17,400	8,900	...	3,075	3,365	...
<b>Rye harvested.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 144	139	56	66	26	2
	acres... 2,231	1,749	289	390	95	30
	bushels... 30,709	27,750	3,175	4,835	855	425
Sales.....	farms reporting... 72	73	20	26	10	2
	bushels... 22,374	18,100	1,695	1,820	325	150
<b>Peanuts harvested for nuts.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 5,615	5,486	3,384	2,009	936	2
	acres grown alone... 102,512	65,347	29,041	11,636	5,654	93
	acres grown with other crops... 249	85	90	5	...	...
	pounds... 108,341,792	59,988,920	19,803,670	8,702,670	3,719,871	129,955
<b>Hay crops:</b>						
<b>Land from which hay was cut.....</b>						
	acres... 50,907	39,365	14,817	44,534	16,954	1,884
<b>Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for</b>						
<b>hay and for dehydrating.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 333	230	136	368	200	5
	acres... 2,882	1,665	875	2,547	840	280
	tons... 5,681	3,171	1,240	3,523	1,500	640
Sales.....	farms reporting... 20	26	5	42	65	...
	tons... 585	558	50	461	315	...
<b>Coastal Bermuda grass</b>						
<b>cut for hay.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 656	435	121	386	112	9
	acres... 11,275	6,287	885	4,814	757	373
	tons... 21,960	10,136	1,055	5,135	1,086	1,029
Sales.....	farms reporting... 137	80	15	76	20	...
	tons... 3,614	1,247	85	921	150	...
<b>Lespedeza cut for hay.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 754	923	773	2,170	916	2
	acres... 13,472	12,177	5,630	14,586	5,315	72
	tons... 15,838	13,967	4,706	14,877	5,323	102
Sales.....	farms reporting... 92	110	35	262	110	...
	tons... 2,855	1,805	210	1,298	925	...
<b>Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small</b>						
<b>grains cut for hay.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 587	746	636	1,189	670	12
	acres... 7,524	7,668	3,326	7,092	3,732	180
	tons... 8,013	7,248	2,621	6,295	2,811	240
Sales.....	farms reporting... 35	35	15	70	56	...
	tons... 410	170	25	310	391	...
<b>Other hay cut.....</b>						
	farms reporting... 810	820	665	2,097	918	18
	acres... 15,754	11,568	4,101	15,495	6,310	881
	tons... 15,139	11,147	3,815	14,666	6,448	1,267
Sales.....	farms reporting... 53	56	15	190	90	...
	tons... 732	842	55	1,245	365	...
<b>Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa,</b>						
<b>clover, or small grains.....</b>						
	farms reporting... ..	...	...	...	...	1
	acres... ..	...	...	...	...	98
	tons, green weight... ..	...	...	...	...	784

See footnotes at end of table.

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State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Total all farms	Economic class			
		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued					
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting...	42,450	33,087	740	1,761	4,429
acres...	628,614	565,885	62,586	68,344	111,687
bales...	513,742	472,215	60,196	61,901	96,212
Irish potatoes harvested for home use					
or for sale.....farms reporting...	10,081	5,555	83	336	850
acres <sup>2</sup> ...	1,036	636	27	24	78
bushels...	152,548	91,534	2,623	5,272	12,719
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use					
or for sale.....farms reporting...	14,682	8,780	152	399	1,185
acres <sup>2</sup> ...	14,647	12,623	2,863	2,155	1,843
bushels...	1,857,739	1,640,876	497,742	287,226	279,297
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting...	19,515	17,082	246	786	2,570
acres...	68,661	64,737	3,074	6,304	14,453
pounds...	97,867,882	93,950,371	4,952,758	10,910,107	22,951,053
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting...	10,911	8,075	239	514	1,212
Sales.....dollars...	7,232,937	6,251,102	1,489,169	709,069	1,138,500
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit					
orchards, groves, vineyards, and					
planted nut trees <sup>3</sup> .....farms reporting...	18,762	11,580	740	1,331	2,364
acres...	194,664	164,839	63,221	28,040	29,778

<sup>1</sup>Includes milk equivalent of cream and butterfat sold.<sup>2</sup>Does not include acreage for farms with less than 20 bushels harvested.<sup>3</sup>Does not include data for farms with less than 20 trees and grapevines.

State Table 17.—FARMS AND FARM CHARACTERISTICS BY ECONOMIC CLASS OF FARM: CENSUS OF 1959—Continued

[Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Economic class—Continued					
	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued</b>						
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting...	7,932	9,998	8,227	6,431	2,928	4
acres...	128,025	125,524	69,719	44,245	18,288	196
bales...	108,107	99,571	46,228	29,047	12,348	132
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting...	1,290	1,438	1,558	3,031	1,456	39
acres <sup>2</sup> ...	147	118	242	225	121	54
bushels...	21,918	20,491	28,511	37,307	17,191	6,516
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting...	1,928	2,504	2,612	3,620	2,242	40
acres <sup>2</sup> ...	2,560	1,929	1,273	976	714	334
bushels...	266,228	197,164	113,219	94,135	72,618	50,110
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting...	5,650	5,819	2,011	1,774	657	2
acres...	21,850	15,595	3,461	2,935	964	25
pounds...	32,894,327	18,999,581	3,242,545	2,946,956	936,769	33,786
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting...	1,925	2,152	2,033	1,932	872	32
Sales.....dollars...	1,390,624	913,635	610,105	472,815	181,040	327,980
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees <sup>3</sup> .....farms reporting...	2,837	2,750	1,558	4,730	2,414	38
acres...	21,526	15,806	6,468	21,568	7,853	404