

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			
		Total	Commercial farms		
			Class I	Class II	Class III
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE					
Farms.....number...	138,098	73,310	2,259	2,188	4,476
Percent distribution.....percent...	100.0	53.1	1.6	1.6	3.2
Land in farms.....acres...	18,674,821	13,417,909	3,192,487	1,346,581	1,825,021
Percent distribution.....percent...	100.0	71.9	17.1	7.2	9.8
Average size of farm.....acres...	135.2	183.0	1,413.2	615.4	407.7
Value of land and buildings:					
Average per farm.....dollars...	12,728	17,067	208,956	62,427	37,181
Average per acre.....dollars...	107.38	107.85	149.71	114.82	104.68
Land in farms according to use:					
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting...	118,716	69,431	2,114	2,026	4,000
.....acres...	4,590,945	3,951,762	1,424,302	436,406	420,727
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting...	32,940	9,092	67	107	238
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting...	37,626	21,379	42	120	286
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting...	19,528	13,836	30	94	303
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting...	14,307	11,464	33	99	445
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting...	7,940	7,393	60	181	992
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting...	2,863	2,776	123	435	1,194
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting...	2,174	2,159	572	888	522
500 to 999 acres.....farms reporting...	931	929	797	91	19
1,000 or more acres.....farms reporting...	407	403	390	11	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting...	36,722	17,649	1,027	935	1,967
.....acres...	1,684,661	1,205,317	264,364	135,596	208,493
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting...	32,697	15,040	1,007	712	1,240
.....acres...	904,395	608,780	205,680	59,788	69,622
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes.....farms reporting...	5,451	3,162	453	246	405
.....acres...	235,401	193,406	95,215	19,393	26,177
Other cropland (idle and crop failure).....farms reporting...	29,053	12,918	706	560	957
.....acres...	668,994	415,374	110,465	40,395	43,445
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting...	64,313	29,225	795	1,097	2,451
.....acres...	4,085,534	2,554,880	259,053	230,073	371,720
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting...	43,504	21,161	1,374	1,075	1,877
.....acres...	3,497,077	2,312,003	573,491	204,847	302,385
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting...	58,821	28,622	859	1,046	2,533
.....acres...	3,153,670	2,260,719	334,897	224,181	393,714
Improved pasture.....farms reporting...	16,733	9,654	493	589	1,360
.....acres...	832,807	686,718	154,512	81,755	139,177
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting...	784	721	419	102	57
.....acres...	102,316	101,154	83,654	13,075	1,889
Land use practices:					
Cropland in cover crops.....farms reporting...	6,186	4,213	310	343	585
.....acres...	148,598	130,876	43,644	19,151	20,630
Cropland used for grain or row crops farmed on the contour.....farms reporting...	16,431	8,290	198	297	636
.....acres...	354,547	255,842	43,923	21,968	29,422
Land in strip-cropping systems for soil-erosion control.....farms reporting...	485	335	78	15	34
.....acres...	16,806	14,206	8,307	250	1,284
System of terraces on crop and pasture land.....farms reporting...	30,785	14,876	240	463	1,222
.....acres...	1,058,205	709,492	68,090	61,267	98,647
FARM OPERATORS BY AGE					
Operators reporting age.....number...	136,934	72,526	2,220	2,173	4,422
Under 25 years.....number...	2,517	1,766	19	31	27
25 to 34 years.....number...	12,451	7,015	308	230	454
35 to 44 years.....number...	27,573	15,664	588	565	1,134
45 to 54 years.....number...	38,671	23,875	748	708	1,368
55 to 64 years.....number...	30,541	20,472	371	474	1,078
65 or more years.....number...	25,181	3,734	186	165	361
Average age.....years...	51.4	48.7	47.2	48.4	49.0
OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME					
Farm operators—					
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting...	64,634	24,616	440	620	1,458
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting...	23,185	17,068	146	242	479
100 to 199 days.....operators reporting...	9,709	2,011	49	96	214
200 or more days.....operators reporting...	31,740	5,537	245	282	765
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	20,355	7,039	107	184	437
With income from sources other than farm operated and off-farm work.....operators reporting...	22,785	6,835	219	350	738
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	39,216	5,052	126	222	598
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting as to work off their farms.....operators reporting...	73,464	48,694	1,819	1,568	3,018
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	11,163	5,974	205	312	513
With income from sources other than farm operated.....operators reporting...	28,604	8,284	528	398	799
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	19,264	1,734	31	89	139
FARMS BY SIZE					
Under 10 acres.....number...	10,669	4,622	41	46	120
10 to 49 acres.....number...	54,377	28,691	69	110	272
50 to 99 acres.....number...	11,938	5,132	15	61	131
100 to 199 acres.....number...	17,142	7,631	36	90	300
200 to 499 acres.....number...	13,294	6,431	25	90	496
500 to 999 acres.....number...	8,792	4,740	39	130	450
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....number...	4,747	2,770	30	101	371
2,000 or more acres.....number...	3,164	2,012	35	95	315
.....number...	7,790	5,659	177	596	1,035
.....number...	3,735	3,264	663	538	611
.....number...	1,690	1,620	710	226	276
.....number...	760	738	419	105	99

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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
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms	9,058	22,176	33,153	43,308	21,447	33
Percent distribution	6.6	16.1	24.0	31.4	15.5	(2)
Land in farms	2,228,830	2,788,325	2,036,665	3,205,900	1,946,705	104,307
Percent distribution	11.9	14.9	10.9	17.2	10.4	0.6
Average size of farm	246.1	125.7	61.4	74.0	90.8	3,160.8
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm	21,393	10,789	5,108	8,129	8,048	145,676
Average per acre	97.89	92.58	84.56	112.92	93.36	171.60
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested	8,500	21,167	31,624	32,678	16,580	27
1 to 9 acres	469,357	664,791	536,179	419,971	199,728	19,484
10 to 19 acres	333	831	7,516	15,567	8,281	...
20 to 29 acres	752	6,176	14,003	10,601	5,646	...
30 to 39 acres	1,386	5,485	6,538	4,078	1,614	...
40 to 49 acres	2,300	5,575	3,012	2,032	811	...
50 to 99 acres	2,846	2,770	544	339	197	11
100 to 199 acres	726	287	11	50	30	7
200 to 499 acres	142	35	...	11	1	3
500 to 999 acres	14	8	...	...	...	2
1,000 or more acres	1	...	...	...	...	4
Cropland used only for pasture	3,059	4,935	5,726	12,834	6,210	29
Cropland not harvested and not pastured	207,826	246,573	142,465	307,078	167,229	5,037
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes	1,962	3,895	6,224	11,322	6,324	11
Other cropland (idle and crop failure)	84,168	98,869	90,653	176,290	117,867	1,458
Woodland pastured	484	893	681	1,569	718	2
Woodland not pastured	19,496	25,065	8,060	25,264	16,641	90
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland)	1,620	3,284	5,791	10,265	5,859	11
Improved pasture	64,672	73,804	82,593	151,026	101,226	1,368
Irrigated land in farms	4,408	8,188	12,286	23,097	11,980	11
Land use practices	511,974	661,819	520,241	954,424	564,462	11,768
Land in cover crops	3,291	5,763	7,781	14,239	8,083	21
Land used for grain or row crops	405,948	487,075	338,257	669,560	461,729	53,785
Land in strip-cropping systems for	4,521	8,369	11,294	19,598	10,584	17
soil-erosion control	467,933	523,534	316,460	540,501	345,093	7,357
System of terraces on crop and pasture land	2,175	3,052	1,985	5,367	1,702	10
Irrigated land in farms	139,880	135,229	36,165	104,349	38,530	3,210
Land use practices	47	71	25	40	15	8
Land in cover crops	856	1,193	926	1,388	577	8
Land used for grain or row crops	17,974	20,147	9,330	11,430	5,798	494
Land in strip-cropping systems for	1,151	2,131	3,877	5,601	2,523	17
soil-erosion control	37,719	58,836	63,974	68,357	28,896	1,452
System of terraces on crop and pasture land	52	96	60	125	25	...
Irrigated land in farms	1,385	2,285	695	2,320	280	...
Land use practices	2,417	4,211	632	11,021	4,873	15
Irrigated land in farms	155,006	183,234	143,248	238,152	107,265	3,296
FARM OPERATORS BY AGE						
Operators reporting age	8,960	21,913	32,838	42,932	21,447	29
Under 25 years	93	326	1,270	751	...	...
25 to 34 years	803	1,897	3,323	5,430	...	6
35 to 44 years	2,214	5,251	5,912	11,903	...	6
45 to 54 years	3,066	7,596	10,389	14,782	...	14
55 to 64 years	1,987	4,618	11,944	10,066	...	3
65 or more years	797	2,225	...	...	21,447	...
Average age	49.1	49.2	48.3	46.2	71.0	44.7
OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME						
Farm operators—						
Working off their farms, total	3,352	8,552	10,194	36,999	3,009	10
1 to 99 days	1,578	4,429	10,194	4,375	1,742	...
100 to 199 days	447	1,205	...	7,311	387	...
200 or more days	1,327	2,918	...	25,313	880	10
With other members of family working off farm	1,267	2,959	2,085	12,571	740	5
With income from sources other than farm	1,273	2,570	1,685	13,488	2,462	...
operated and off-farm work	1,164	2,942	...	31,902	2,257	5
With other income of family exceeding value of	1,164	2,942	...	31,902	2,257	5
agricultural products sold	5,706	13,624	22,959	6,309	18,438	23
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting	1,015	1,851	2,078	2,904	2,284	1
as to work off their farms	1,271	2,673	2,615	4,381	15,938	1
With other members of family working off farm	1,271	2,673	2,615	4,381	15,938	1
With income from sources other than farm operated	1,271	2,673	2,615	4,381	15,938	1
With other income of family exceeding value	398	1,077	...	6,309	11,220	1
of agricultural products sold	398	1,077	...	6,309	11,220	1
FARMS BY SIZE						
Under 10 acres	60	325	4,030	4,526	1,521	...
10 to 49 acres	1,840	10,065	16,335	17,646	8,035	5
50 to 99 acres	655	1,575	2,695	4,625	2,181	...
100 to 199 acres	1,060	2,205	3,940	6,391	3,120	...
200 to 299 acres	1,050	2,150	2,620	4,292	2,571	...
300 to 399 acres	965	1,556	1,600	2,461	1,586	5
400 to 499 acres	626	922	720	1,277	700	...
500 to 599 acres	515	691	361	637	515	...
600 to 699 acres	1,324	1,795	732	1,146	980	5
700 to 799 acres	681	681	90	265	200	6
800 to 899 acres	213	170	25	37	29	4
900 to 999 acres	69	41	5	5	9	8
1,000 to 1,999 acres	69	41	5	5	9	8
2,000 or more acres	69	41	5	5	9	8

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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
FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR					
All farm operators:					
Full owners..... number...	75,283	27,721	763	907	2,156
Part owners..... number...	18,527	12,988	950	915	1,562
All tenants..... number...	43,599	31,965	292	275	641
Cash tenants..... number...	4,199	2,259	147	141	181
Share-cash tenants..... number...	524	529	26	25	46
Crop-share tenants..... number...	11,045	8,170	36	60	183
Livestock-share tenants..... number...	292	202	5	6	26
Croppers..... number...	22,339	18,374	23	8	97
Other and unspecified tenants..... number...	5,100	2,431	55	35	108
White farm operators:					
Full owners..... number...	57,675	21,369	758	870	2,101
Part owners..... number...	13,500	9,831	922	909	1,460
All tenants..... number...	11,356	7,348	285	253	556
Croppers..... number...	3,058	2,273	18	8	42
Nonwhite farm operators:					
Full owners..... number...	17,608	6,352	5	37	55
Part owners..... number...	5,027	3,157	28	6	102
All tenants..... number...	32,243	24,617	7	22	85
Croppers..... number...	19,281	16,101	5	...	55
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM					
Cash-grain farms..... number...	1,670	1,670	110	94	202
Tobacco farms..... number...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton farms..... number...	46,589	46,589	1,460	957	1,262
Other field-crop farms..... number...	470	470	7	1	51
Vegetable farms..... number...	250	250	...	...	...
Fruit-and-nut farms..... number...	276	276	...	38	54
Poultry farms..... number...	2,673	2,673	364	529	761
Dairy farms..... number...	5,509	5,509	66	237	1,115
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms..... number...	11,843	11,843	132	222	694
General farms..... number...	3,085	3,085	65	80	259
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms..... number...	65,733	945	31	30	78
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD					
Grain combines..... farms reporting...	6,024	5,566	1,482	886	1,113
number.....	7,369	6,893	2,361	1,094	1,224
Corn pickers..... farms reporting...	3,386	2,982	588	322	542
number.....	3,584	3,169	713	346	555
Pick-up balers..... farms reporting...	5,855	5,155	874	606	1,046
number.....	6,065	5,356	971	628	1,083
Field forage harvesters..... farms reporting...	1,922	1,727	386	328	369
number.....	2,115	1,907	479	368	390
Motortrucks..... farms reporting...	61,472	35,995	2,092	1,943	3,748
number.....	71,489	44,696	5,579	3,250	5,153
Tractors..... farms reporting...	52,630	33,068	2,095	1,902	3,886
number.....	87,003	64,841	16,257	6,480	8,600
Tractors other than garden..... farms reporting...	51,351	32,639	2,082	1,900	3,845
number.....	84,425	63,561	16,128	6,412	8,420
1 tractor..... farms reporting...	38,309	21,169	178	354	1,334
2 tractors..... farms reporting...	7,266	5,953	112	384	1,336
3 tractors..... farms reporting...	2,203	2,034	80	366	682
4 tractors..... farms reporting...	1,086	1,042	80	328	263
5 or more tractors..... farms reporting...	2,487	2,441	1,531	468	230
Wheel tractors..... farms reporting...	51,046	32,500	2,077	1,894	3,823
number.....	82,656	62,196	15,540	6,246	8,262
Crawler tractors..... farms reporting...	1,530	1,188	488	130	146
number.....	1,769	1,365	588	166	158
Garden tractors..... farms reporting...	2,348	1,070	80	48	161
number.....	2,578	1,280	129	68	180
Automobiles..... farms reporting...	72,882	36,955	2,111	1,839	3,488
number.....	81,834	42,500	4,003	2,433	4,223
Automobiles and/or motortrucks..... farms reporting...	102,902	54,042	2,229	2,144	4,289
Telephone..... farms reporting...	36,876	17,680	1,919	1,585	2,884
Home freezer..... farms reporting...	58,827	28,964	1,803	1,704	3,530
Milking machine..... farms reporting...	5,843	5,129	113	328	1,305
Electric milk cooler..... farms reporting...	5,025	4,617	116	328	1,206
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops)..... farms reporting...	507	473	263	61	42
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower..... farms reporting...	2,578	2,398	896	426	418
Farms by kind of road on which located:					
Hard surface..... farms reporting...	34,524	16,789	1,078	868	1,632
Gravel, shell, or shale..... farms reporting...	69,041	38,574	1,037	1,070	2,308
Dirt or unimproved..... farms reporting...	31,725	16,459	129	215	466
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road..... farms reporting...	10,221	5,629	57	60	131
1 or more miles to a hard surface road..... farms reporting...	21,504	10,830	72	155	335
1 mile..... farms reporting...	6,526	3,224	22	42	122
2 or 3 miles..... farms reporting...	9,141	4,755	27	78	144
4 miles..... farms reporting...	2,340	1,073	18	29	35
5 or more miles..... farms reporting...	3,497	1,778	5	6	34
FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION					
Hired workers..... farms reporting...	15,440	12,524	1,942	1,535	2,279
persons.....	96,658	90,424	43,015	12,146	11,025
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)..... farms reporting...	7,002	6,415	1,704	1,127	1,398
persons.....	24,817	23,974	14,782	3,219	2,654
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:					
1 hired worker..... farms reporting...	3,304	2,843	173	336	737
2 hired workers..... farms reporting...	1,250	1,144	179	297	351
3 or 4 hired workers..... farms reporting...	1,140	1,128	363	322	245
5 to 9 hired workers..... farms reporting...	788	786	503	144	65
10 or more hired workers..... farms reporting...	520	514	486	28	...
RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR					
Residing on farm operated..... operators reporting...	121,234	63,789	1,675	1,733	3,784
Not residing on farm operated..... operators reporting...	6,657	3,961	472	359	460
Operators not reporting residence..... number...	10,207	5,560	112	96	232

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	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR						
All farm operators:						
Full owners number	3,969	7,617	12,309	30,798	16,764	...
Part owners number	2,517	3,663	3,381	4,363	1,176	...
All tenants number	2,477	10,826	17,454	8,132	3,502	...
Cash tenants number	196	448	1,146	1,330	610	...
Share-cash tenants number	67	145	220	90	5	...
Crop-share tenants number	601	2,525	4,765	1,985	890	...
Livestock-share tenants number	30	65	70	75	15	...
Croppers number	1,415	7,045	9,786	2,675	1,290	...
Other and unspecified tenants number	168	598	1,467	1,977	692	...
White farm operators:						
Full owners number	3,667	6,405	7,568	25,133	11,173	...
Part owners number	2,196	2,748	1,596	3,153	516	...
All tenants number	826	2,184	3,244	3,177	831	...
Croppers number	235	775	1,195	645	140	...
Nonwhite farm operators:						
Full owners number	302	1,212	4,741	5,665	5,591	...
Part owners number	321	915	1,785	1,210	660	...
All tenants number	1,651	8,642	14,210	4,955	2,671	...
Croppers number	1,180	6,270	8,591	2,030	1,150	...
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM						
Cash-grain farms number	185	305	774	...	...	...
Tobacco farms number . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton farms number	4,278	14,956	23,676	...	...	...
Other field-crop farms number	66	95	250	...	...	...
Vegetable farms number	15	20	215	...	...	...
Fruit-and-nut farms number	45	60	55	...	...	...
Poultry farms number	567	301	151	...	...	...
Dairy farms number	1,592	1,314	1,185	...	...	...
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms number	1,762	3,882	5,151	...	...	...
General farms number	355	995	1,331	...	...	...
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms number	193	248	365	43,308	21,447	33
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD						
Grain combines farms reporting	981	886	218	289	153	16
number	1,050	916	248	295	159	22
farms reporting	653	646	231	322	73	9
number	678	646	231	332	74	9
farms reporting	1,187	1,043	399	526	149	25
number	1,207	1,053	414	526	149	34
Field forage harvesters farms reporting	311	218	115	137	40	18
number	318	227	125	142	45	21
farms reporting	6,239	10,731	11,242	18,833	6,612	32
number	7,348	11,749	11,617	19,823	6,769	201
Tractors farms reporting	6,650	10,725	7,810	15,126	4,408	28
number	10,654	13,808	9,042	16,881	5,056	225
farms reporting	6,574	10,588	7,650	14,446	4,238	28
number	10,378	13,436	8,787	15,851	4,796	217
1 tractor farms reporting	3,979	8,395	6,929	13,279	3,860	1
2 tractors farms reporting	1,834	1,769	518	1,016	289	8
3 tractors farms reporting	484	296	126	107	57	5
4 tractors farms reporting	172	72	26	32	11	1
5 or more tractors farms reporting	105	56	51	12	21	13
Wheel tractors farms reporting	6,569	10,542	7,595	14,325	4,193	28
number	10,219	13,233	8,696	15,544	4,729	187
Crawler tractors farms reporting	142	196	86	268	62	12
number	159	203	91	307	67	30
Garden tractors farms reporting	245	311	225	1,020	255	3
number	276	372	255	1,030	260	8
Automobiles farms reporting	6,027	11,431	12,059	28,237	7,679	11
number	6,840	12,470	12,531	31,116	8,162	56
Automobiles and/or motortrucks farms reporting	8,213	16,906	20,261	36,350	12,477	33
Telephone farms reporting	3,812	4,660	2,820	14,011	5,153	32
Home freezer farms reporting	5,786	8,957	7,184	22,409	7,431	23
Milking machine farms reporting	1,743	1,244	396	525	165	24
Electric milk cooler farms reporting	1,657	1,074	236	310	75	23
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops) farms reporting	66	31	10	30	...	4
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower farms reporting	355	247	56	132	37	11
Farms by kind of road on which located:						
Hard surface farms reporting	2,554	4,914	5,743	12,619	5,091	25
Gravel, shell, or shale farms reporting	4,990	12,127	17,042	20,278	10,181	8
Dirt or unimproved farms reporting	1,381	4,669	9,599	9,504	5,762	...
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road farms reporting	541	1,795	3,045	2,885	1,707	...
1 or more miles to a hard surface road farms reporting	840	2,874	6,554	6,619	4,055	...
1 mile farms reporting	285	918	1,835	2,097	1,205	...
2 or 3 miles farms reporting	342	1,254	2,910	2,668	1,718	...
4 miles farms reporting	63	267	661	797	470	...
5 or more miles farms reporting	150	435	1,148	1,057	662	...
FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION						
Hired workers farms reporting	2,603	3,079	1,086	2,029	856	31
persons	10,534	9,824	3,880	4,125	1,813	296
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days) farms reporting	1,146	907	133	412	145	30
persons	1,869	1,232	218	498	180	165
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:						
1 hired worker farms reporting	810	709	78	346	110	5
2 hired workers farms reporting	163	119	35	56	35	15
3 or 4 hired workers farms reporting	109	69	20	10	...	2
5 to 9 hired workers farms reporting	64	10	...	...	...	2
10 or more hired workers farms reporting . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	6
RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR						
Residing on farm operated operators reporting	7,858	19,267	29,472	37,991	19,431	23
Not residing on farm operated operators reporting	594	1,118	958	2,181	908	7
Operators not reporting residence number	606	1,791	2,723	3,136	1,508	3

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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
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER AND LIME					
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing materials used during the year..... farms reporting... acres on which used... tons...	114,041 3,483,738 586,336	68,318 2,909,894 471,471	2,046 894,784 103,840	1,988 273,186 42,564	3,865 299,598 56,140
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	109,386 532,491	64,223 419,496	1,591 68,465	1,761 37,398	3,638 53,188
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	7,974 53,845	6,991 51,975	1,176 35,375	528 5,166	520 2,952
Crops on which used—					
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting... acres...	14,435 408,855	8,827 344,985	445 83,778	520 38,071	1,304 65,604
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	14,325 73,184	8,737 59,084	413 9,526	512 6,512	1,289 12,551
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	222 1,165	182 920	48 421	10 134	52 224
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting... acres...	7,912 256,317	4,879 213,592	294 57,730	314 26,705	724 35,328
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	7,868 47,997	4,850 37,985	283 6,649	312 4,018	724 7,964
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	94 494	74 469	23 293	13 42	5 ...
Corn..... farms reporting... acres...	77,547 1,008,321	43,875 719,472	1,145 83,718	1,214 47,775	2,401 72,588
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	75,363 162,343	41,913 110,758	710 6,849	1,028 7,337	2,230 12,471
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	3,196 7,275	2,738 6,646	530 3,639	227 747	283 690
Soybeans..... farms reporting... acres...	2,293 51,221	1,574 46,346	76 15,700	112 7,985	179 6,556
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	2,264 6,465	1,545 5,561	63 1,310	106 891	179 1,073
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	48 127	42 123	14 94	11 13	2 5
Cotton..... farms reporting... acres...	76,958 1,436,080	54,937 1,298,590	1,767 502,116	1,351 108,762	2,263 84,042
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	71,813 203,553	50,288 174,478	997 32,330	1,043 13,584	2,028 14,475
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	6,566 39,554	5,988 38,701	1,085 27,653	452 3,031	364 1,668
All other crops..... farms reporting... acres...	18,147 322,944	9,564 286,909	848 151,742	515 43,888	914 35,480
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	17,766 38,949	9,238 31,630	677 11,801	470 5,056	875 4,654
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	508 5,230	436 5,116	207 3,275	60 1,199	56 365
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting... acres limed... tons...	11,822 298,922 335,663	7,626 246,277 285,194	404 54,223 76,689	463 25,856 30,183	1,138 47,440 53,299
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES					
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting...	136,034	73,310	2,259	2,188	4,476
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms reporting... dollars...	85,035 76,417,593	42,096 69,131,646	1,421 25,455,253	1,604 12,030,946	3,678 13,731,690
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	36,738	15,266	44	72	238
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting...	38,230	17,513	462	379	945
\$1,000 to \$1,999..... farms reporting...	3,602	3,022	160	142	440
\$2,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	3,459	3,317	144	273	935
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	3,006	2,978	611	738	1,120
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting... dollars...	31,144 35,676,116	17,825 32,648,982	916 13,976,927	1,132 5,032,961	2,252 5,727,853
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting...	25,376	12,711	222	301	947
\$1,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	2,683	2,182	74	186	493
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,597	1,470	97	277	498
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	871	849	171	264	208
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting...	617	613	352	104	106
Machine hire..... farms reporting... dollars...	92,998 33,052,571	61,171 30,505,826	1,921 12,998,780	1,641 2,888,901	3,108 2,949,724
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	64,621	35,095	71	224	560
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting...	23,548	21,296	123	405	1,606
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	4,829	4,780	1,727	1,012	942
Hired labor..... farms reporting... dollars...	50,878 56,047,993	34,130 53,555,789	2,242 30,118,915	2,068 7,541,117	3,578 6,330,695
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	27,671	14,051	15	160	391
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting...	10,108	7,711	56	162	483
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	4,566	4,052	68	181	538
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	4,066	3,898	240	379	1,187
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,965	1,928	253	255	773
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	1,268	1,264	546	500	183
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting...	732	729	574	124	23
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting...	409	406	399	7	...
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting...	93	91	91	...	...
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting... dollars...	55,627 7,398,929	32,985 6,566,864	1,448 2,862,873	1,179 757,701	2,501 907,543
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	43,877	22,767	68	185	631
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	8,907	7,470	247	432	1,260
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	1,547	1,472	311	352	469
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	1,296	1,276	822	210	141
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting... dollars...	117,428 29,650,509	65,797 26,117,224	2,249 10,615,453	2,183 3,362,049	4,358 3,400,683
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	75,080	33,001	57	223	491
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	32,204	23,137	166	365	1,454
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	4,812	4,392	146	262	1,207
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	4,429	4,368	1,098	1,254	1,174
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	903	899	782	79	32

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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
USE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER AND LIME						
Commercial fertilizer and fertilizing materials used during the year..... farms reporting...	8,402	21,019	30,998	30,733	14,958	32
..... acres on which used...	394,062	587,991	460,273	387,075	165,986	20,783
..... tons...	74,679	108,384	85,864	79,858	31,634	3,373
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	7,889	19,416	29,928	30,388	14,743	32
..... tons...	71,937	104,277	84,231	79,115	31,121	2,759
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	909	2,333	1,525	655	320	8
..... tons...	2,742	4,107	1,633	743	513	614
Crops on which used—						
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting...	2,149	2,676	1,733	4,045	1,534	29
..... acres...	74,157	64,225	19,150	42,818	16,423	4,629
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	2,124	2,676	1,723	4,035	1,524	29
..... tons...	14,344	12,420	3,731	9,563	3,451	1,086
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	36	11	25	25	10	5
..... tons...	71	18	52	56	159	30
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting...	1,351	1,515	681	2,437	591	5
..... acres...	45,701	40,251	7,877	33,083	8,355	1,287
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	1,346	1,504	681	2,432	581	5
..... tons...	9,503	7,811	2,040	7,844	1,815	353
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	11	22	5	10	10	...
..... tons...	56	68	10	5	20	...
Corn..... farms reporting...	5,371	13,243	20,501	22,623	11,028	21
..... acres...	113,949	197,750	203,692	198,056	85,935	4,858
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	5,131	12,528	20,286	22,493	10,938	19
..... tons...	19,562	32,669	31,870	36,662	14,450	473
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	416	977	305	325	130	3
..... tons...	584	735	251	269	89	271
Soybeans..... farms reporting...	298	548	361	523	190	6
..... acres...	6,130	7,255	2,720	3,176	1,480	219
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	298	543	356	523	190	6
..... tons...	853	987	447	593	266	45
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	...	10	5	5	...	1
..... tons...	...	5	6	2	...	2
Cotton..... farms reporting...	5,712	17,388	26,456	13,993	8,023	5
..... acres...	132,037	257,235	214,398	87,755	44,736	4,999
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	5,141	15,713	25,366	13,683	7,838	4
..... tons...	23,963	46,529	43,597	19,655	9,360	60
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	727	2,020	1,340	355	220	3
..... tons...	1,820	3,226	1,303	325	242	286
All other crops..... farms reporting...	1,342	2,228	3,717	5,903	2,666	14
..... acres...	22,088	21,275	12,436	22,187	9,057	4,791
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	1,316	2,198	3,702	5,853	2,661	14
..... tons...	3,712	3,861	2,546	4,798	1,779	742
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	43	50	20	60	5	7
..... tons...	211	55	11	86	3	25
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting...	1,726	2,537	1,358	3,224	962	10
..... acres limed...	47,559	54,944	16,255	39,497	11,525	1,623
..... tons...	52,638	55,648	16,737	37,588	11,590	1,291
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES						
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting...	9,058	22,176	33,153	42,410	20,281	33
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	6,619	12,627	16,147	29,211	13,696	32
..... dollars...	9,505,540	5,945,519	2,462,698	5,118,405	1,838,156	329,386
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,152	4,251	9,509	13,392	8,080	...
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting...	2,681	6,701	6,345	15,257	5,454	6
\$1,000 to \$1,999..... farms reporting...	1,001	1,066	213	451	127	2
\$2,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,348	547	70	96	35	11
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	437	62	10	15	...	13
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	3,445	5,392	4,688	9,542	3,754	23
..... dollars...	4,062,746	3,029,040	819,455	2,290,692	584,472	151,970
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting...	2,234	4,509	4,498	9,033	3,626	6
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	720	579	130	393	101	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	331	219	55	95	27	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	122	72	5	21	...	1
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting...	38	13	...	...	...	4
Machine hire..... farms reporting...	7,236	19,269	27,996	20,691	11,125	11
..... dollars...	3,603,374	5,144,111	2,920,936	1,652,715	786,408	107,622
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	1,535	6,898	25,807	19,093	10,433	...
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting...	4,970	12,060	2,132	1,567	682	3
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	731	311	57	31	10	8
Hired labor..... farms reporting...	6,023	10,950	9,269	10,979	5,736	33
..... dollars...	4,549,185	3,795,937	1,219,940	1,539,200	577,141	375,863
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	1,527	4,853	7,105	8,667	4,953	...
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting...	1,579	3,579	1,871	1,773	624	...
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	1,251	1,780	234	398	116	...
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	1,360	683	49	121	42	...
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	265	72	10	20	1	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	34	1	...	...	...	16
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting...	7	1	...	...	...	4
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	3
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting...	4,631	9,556	13,670	15,536	7,085	21
..... dollars...	781,027	791,523	466,197	562,429	234,261	35,375
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,985	6,927	12,971	14,463	6,647	...
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	2,345	2,512	674	1,030	403	4
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	239	81	20	33	30	12
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	62	36	5	10	5	5
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting...	8,802	20,693	27,512	37,670	13,928	33
..... dollars...	3,105,453	3,551,507	2,082,079	2,515,666	915,847	101,772
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,798	9,277	21,155	30,495	11,584	...
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	4,930	10,136	6,086	6,908	2,148	11
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	1,498	1,059	220	239	170	11
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	570	221	51	28	26	7
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	6	4

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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
ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY SOURCE					
All farm products sold.....total, dollars...	564,344,205	517,868,945	216,467,220	60,723,564	62,083,273
.....average per farm, dollars...	4,087	7,064	95,824	27,753	13,870
All crops sold.....dollars...	358,914,384	335,389,345	157,765,920	32,314,815	25,375,912
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	340,214,219	319,685,843	152,110,449	30,305,167	22,821,179
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	1,926,271	1,244,480	203,322	16,475	104,150
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	4,971,552	4,527,036	1,987,208	936,113	788,184
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	11,802,342	9,931,986	3,464,941	1,057,060	1,662,399
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	205,429,821	182,479,600	58,701,300	28,408,749	36,707,361
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	64,717,578	63,668,538	32,466,226	13,957,912	11,250,342
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	40,897,113	38,612,185	3,765,964	5,815,302	12,847,348
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	99,815,130	80,196,877	22,469,110	8,635,535	12,609,671
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS					
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	101,269	49,401	1,459	1,568	3,708
.....number...	2,023,148	1,512,368	258,621	159,522	260,654
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	98,729	48,432	1,409	1,519	3,619
.....number...	1,148,356	867,560	129,984	91,164	157,191
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	67,540	34,536	547	843	2,486
.....number...	333,089	254,417	15,793	24,219	60,246
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	78,996	38,910	1,283	1,416	3,263
.....number...	550,213	397,748	63,665	39,933	66,849
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	60,502	30,495	1,237	1,339	3,085
.....number...	324,579	247,060	64,972	28,425	36,614
Farms reporting by number on hand:					
Cattle and calves—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	7,481	4,024	44	32	167
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	28,132	11,818	115	111	303
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	22,441	8,313	84	84	290
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	18,506	7,803	129	131	344
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	15,716	8,862	194	260	658
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	5,734	5,338	244	279	1,058
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	3,100	3,089	540	561	881
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	159	154	109	34	7
Cows, including heifers that have calved—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	18,439	8,825	87	102	354
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	52,950	21,052	259	299	641
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	12,906	6,458	141	141	346
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	5,397	3,589	104	132	332
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	4,613	4,109	180	223	683
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	2,182	2,165	130	153	627
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	821	821	70	162	246
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	1,421	1,413	438	307	390
Milk cows—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	23,053	10,824	175	226	515
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	38,290	17,970	237	283	687
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	2,492	2,071	18	20	100
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	1,367	1,347	16	20	202
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	1,351	1,344	12	60	453
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	642	640	2	78	438
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	196	195	15	101	73
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	149	145	72	55	18
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...					
.....number...	64,269	32,611	1,404	1,082	2,245
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	143,092	85,940	8,103	5,062	7,993
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	86,170	48,314	992	1,039	2,222
.....number...	825,203	565,507	69,486	36,094	57,000
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	48,640	27,345	722	725	1,425
.....number...	444,862	303,045	35,335	20,887	31,363
.....number...	72,943	41,501	869	913	1,943
.....number...	380,341	262,462	34,151	15,207	25,637
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...					
.....number...	1,430	804	118	94	103
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	92,190	78,067	17,074	27,426	11,863
.....number...	988	570	87	68	65
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	22,814	18,864	5,757	4,505	1,994
.....number...	1,360	775	116	92	103
Ewes.....farms reporting...	69,376	59,203	11,317	22,921	9,869
.....number...	1,256	713	111	86	97
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	60,715	52,243	10,008	19,976	9,355
.....number...	1,162	702	105	88	91
.....number...	8,661	6,960	1,309	2,945	514
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...					
.....number...	97,520	50,605	770	1,065	2,666
.....number...	7,020,091	5,665,784	1,469,845	616,083	1,357,505
Livestock and livestock products sold:					
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...	73,687	34,841	1,262	1,397	3,265
.....number...	783,269	617,503	132,254	66,458	108,725
.....dollars...	81,820,289	66,441,820	19,644,511	7,332,829	10,714,413
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	30,902	17,626	687	701	1,352
.....number...	591,891	451,950	93,434	37,015	61,537
.....dollars...	16,572,948	12,654,600	2,616,152	1,036,420	1,723,036
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	1,072	637	99	81	84
.....number...	60,139	52,366	13,431	19,057	8,034
.....dollars...	661,529	576,026	147,741	209,627	88,374
Milk and cream sold.....farms reporting...	15,307	10,907	155	350	1,421
.....pounds...	942,475,306	878,682,778	78,033,487	122,016,049	278,209,166
.....dollars...	40,897,113	38,612,185	3,765,964	5,815,302	12,847,348
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	8,164	5,483	492	654	1,062
.....dollars...	43,641,838	43,480,357	24,467,191	10,161,288	6,111,489
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	17,310	9,242	259	306	842
.....dozens...	50,048,464	47,994,881	18,939,513	9,044,081	12,192,640
.....dollars...	20,519,882	19,677,904	7,765,200	3,708,073	4,998,982

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)	Economic class—Continued					
	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY SOURCE						
All farm products sold.....total, dollars...	61,389,430	75,712,193	41,493,265	29,168,410	14,322,646	2,984,204
.....average per farm, dollars...	6,777	3,414	1,252	674	668	90,430
All crops sold.....dollars...	32,918,878	53,754,242	33,259,578	13,995,755	7,794,963	1,734,321
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	30,537,785	51,787,411	32,123,852	12,333,469	6,764,535	1,430,372
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	231,278	321,350	367,905	298,705	149,660	233,426
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	412,050	332,892	70,589	249,426	144,058	51,032
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	1,737,765	1,312,589	697,232	1,114,155	736,710	19,491
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	28,470,552	21,957,951	8,233,687	15,172,655	6,527,683	1,249,883
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	4,088,778	1,503,685	401,595	541,511	371,720	135,809
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	10,152,504	4,397,935	1,633,132	1,079,060	644,375	561,493
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	14,229,270	16,056,331	6,198,960	13,552,084	5,511,588	552,581
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS						
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	6,943	14,310	21,413	34,349	17,488	31
.....number...	302,527	344,981	186,063	348,563	154,773	7,444
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	6,833	14,044	21,008	33,114	17,153	30
.....number...	180,659	201,781	106,781	190,274	87,148	3,374
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	4,899	10,037	15,724	20,996	12,984	24
.....number...	60,515	49,699	43,945	48,991	28,129	1,552
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	5,858	11,359	15,731	26,872	13,184	30
.....number...	80,470	92,674	54,157	105,584	44,485	2,396
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	5,170	9,186	10,478	20,422	9,554	31
.....number...	41,398	50,526	25,125	52,705	23,140	1,674
Farms reporting by number on hand:						
Cattle and calves—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	375	1,201	2,205	2,205	1,252	...
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	984	2,960	7,345	9,996	6,318	...
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	581	1,831	5,367	9,436	4,692	...
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	681	2,350	4,168	7,578	3,120	5
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	2,012	3,622	2,116	4,816	2,038	...
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	1,535	2,010	212	318	68	10
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	771	336	...	...	...	11
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	4	...	...	...	...	5
Cows including heifers that have calved—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	856	2,516	4,910	6,146	3,468	...
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	1,587	5,222	13,044	20,888	11,005	5
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	936	2,576	2,318	4,409	2,039	...
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	1,088	1,431	502	1,300	508	...
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	1,229	1,570	224	361	128	15
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	670	575	10	10	5	2
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	257	86	...	...	...	...
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	210	68	...	...	...	8
Milk cows—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	1,302	3,273	5,333	7,899	4,330	...
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	1,703	5,169	9,891	12,796	7,519	5
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	380	1,053	500	286	135	...
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	693	416	...	15	...	5
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	703	116	...	...	...	7
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	112	10	...	...	...	2
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	6	...	...	...	...	1
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...	3,464	8,094	16,322	20,089	11,543	26
.....number...	10,571	21,003	33,208	35,261	21,077	814
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	5,463	15,331	23,267	26,005	11,822	29
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	3,512	8,913	137,831	189,481	63,705	6,510
.....number...	58,675	88,094	12,048	15,045	6,221	29
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	4,717	13,284	68,691	104,826	33,240	3,751
.....number...	46,298	72,029	19,775	21,598	9,816	28
.....number...	...	...	69,140	84,655	30,465	2,759
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...	154	224	111	519	99	8
.....number...	7,026	11,093	3,585	10,822	2,166	1,135
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	105	179	66	323	87	8
.....number...	1,686	3,531	1,391	2,785	622	543
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	144	219	101	494	84	7
.....number...	5,340	7,562	2,194	8,037	1,544	592
Ewes.....farms reporting...	126	197	96	458	78	7
.....number...	4,601	6,635	1,668	6,698	1,344	430
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	130	207	81	374	79	7
.....number...	739	927	526	1,339	200	162
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...	6,102	15,342	24,660	29,430	17,463	22
.....number...	841,744	697,279	683,328	829,090	503,297	21,920
Livestock and livestock products sold:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...	5,667	10,517	12,733	25,928	12,888	30
.....number...	120,576	133,158	56,332	111,319	51,693	2,754
.....dollars...	11,542,540	12,735,155	4,472,372	10,392,783	4,602,622	383,064
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	2,852	5,836	6,198	9,830	3,418	28
.....number...	90,107	111,073	58,784	105,073	29,469	5,399
.....dollars...	2,522,996	3,110,044	1,645,952	2,942,044	825,132	151,172
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	123	180	70	333	94	8
.....number...	3,375	7,549	1,220	6,013	1,039	721
.....dollars...	37,125	83,039	10,120	66,143	11,429	7,931
Milk and cream sold.....farms reporting...	2,300	3,180	3,501	2,546	1,830	24
.....pounds...	227,375,648	119,391,822	53,656,606	33,966,361	20,572,117	9,254,070
.....dollars...	10,152,504	4,397,935	1,633,132	1,079,060	644,375	561,493
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	1,039	1,179	1,057	1,460	1,200	21
.....dollars...	2,055,890	606,110	78,389	94,639	38,015	28,847
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	1,305	2,563	3,967	4,005	4,042	21
.....dozens...	4,920,357	2,144,370	753,920	1,033,070	773,280	247,233
.....dollars...	2,017,348	879,195	309,106	423,562	317,050	101,366

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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
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Continued					
Litters farrowed December 1, 1958, to					
November 30, 1959..... farms reporting...	35,055	20,595	619	604	1,267
number of litters...	116,276	83,593	13,164	5,740	9,748
1 or 2 litters..... farms reporting...	24,720	13,679	158	205	482
3 to 9 litters..... farms reporting...	8,403	5,226	228	242	510
10 to 19 litters..... farms reporting...	1,363	1,166	119	99	167
20 to 39 litters..... farms reporting...	388	346	47	29	84
40 to 69 litters..... farms reporting...	116	115	28	16	19
70 or more litters..... farms reporting...	65	63	39	13	5
June 2 to November 30..... farms reporting...	26,917	15,722	528	526	966
number of litters...	60,613	41,904	6,333	2,965	4,369
December 1 to June 1..... farms reporting...	19,789	12,450	475	424	928
number of litters...	55,563	41,689	6,831	2,775	5,379
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED					
Corn for all purposes..... farms reporting...					
acres...	92,164	53,064	1,322	1,387	2,787
Under 11 acres..... farms reporting...	1,141,210	819,035	91,202	53,999	82,946
11 to 24 acres..... farms reporting...	60,670	30,389	293	467	873
25 to 49 acres..... farms reporting...	21,469	14,009	210	252	749
50 to 74 acres..... farms reporting...	7,443	6,220	236	310	651
75 to 99 acres..... farms reporting...	1,450	1,332	179	151	268
100 or more acres..... farms reporting...	1,458	1,453	93	70	125
Harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	674	661	311	137	121
acres...	90,585	52,147	1,263	1,321	2,633
bushels...	1,078,323	769,386	81,668	47,727	72,586
Sales..... farms reporting...	32,144,060	24,140,183	3,692,093	1,795,025	2,770,088
bushels...	20,481	13,234	565	312	638
Sales..... farms reporting...	6,947,891	5,674,343	1,662,393	383,505	540,945
bushels...	1,285	1,217	436	228	210
acres...	30,391	29,650	18,477	5,027	3,293
bushels...	763,090	744,760	480,780	119,825	76,770
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,090	1,043	433	218	179
bushels...	698,162	685,273	463,874	108,998	65,678
Oats harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	4,419	3,837	963	572	715
acres...	195,776	188,273	116,050	27,767	21,672
bushels...	7,643,602	7,444,649	4,865,000	1,016,004	793,410
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,840	1,681	686	280	255
bushels...	4,803,955	4,759,360	3,505,355	574,280	379,065
Rice harvested..... farms reporting...	209	208	167	34	7
acres...	46,905	46,702	38,871	7,154	677
bushels...	2,726,899	2,715,599	2,353,587	316,712	45,300
Sales..... farms reporting...	209	208	167	34	7
bushels...	2,603,896	2,593,002	2,262,505	285,197	45,300
Soybeans harvested for beans..... farms reporting...	9,604	8,483	1,534	907	1,179
acres grown alone..... farms reporting...	958,500	943,678	542,702	148,575	113,494
acres grown with other crops..... farms reporting...	1,912	1,617	520	272	300
bushels...	21,189,075	20,941,474	12,846,307	3,163,380	2,280,325
Hay crops:					
Land from which hay was cut..... acres...	545,922	448,696	78,612	58,110	84,288
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for hay and for dehydrating..... farms reporting...	666	483	62	45	78
acres...	8,883	7,579	2,384	1,064	1,416
tons...	17,129	15,358	7,029	1,855	2,744
Sales..... farms reporting...	60	35	8	2	...
tons...	774	619	252	112	...
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses cut for hay..... farms reporting...	4,228	2,630	96	91	322
acres...	56,578	46,236	7,661	4,366	8,264
tons...	75,320	62,475	11,302	6,398	10,821
Sales..... farms reporting...	315	180	17	16	23
tons...	6,025	4,930	1,432	845	437
Lespedeza cut for hay..... farms reporting...	12,125	8,177	352	368	829
acres...	144,832	117,971	22,032	12,037	19,308
tons...	202,223	169,164	33,247	17,566	29,093
Sales..... farms reporting...	657	432	24	22	33
tons...	10,411	8,656	1,623	1,102	1,006
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grains cut for hay..... farms reporting...	5,922	3,834	141	212	592
acres...	73,096	59,275	6,321	8,603	13,204
tons...	85,026	71,326	7,765	10,205	17,743
Sales..... farms reporting...	153	108	3	6	6
tons...	3,796	3,616	2,231	310	32
Other hay cut..... farms reporting...	13,240	7,950	363	464	955
acres...	260,017	215,195	39,809	30,675	41,561
tons...	342,033	296,669	63,682	46,194	66,187
Sales..... farms reporting...	927	580	31	49	75
tons...	36,226	31,646	3,774	6,949	7,413
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa, clover, or small grains..... farms reporting...	53	52	4	12	26
acres...	2,516	2,440	405	1,365	535
tons, green weight...	11,425	10,930	1,525	4,970	3,435
Cotton harvested..... farms reporting...	77,244	55,081	1,772	1,353	2,270
acres...	1,439,166	1,300,387	502,508	108,982	84,311
bales...	1,556,762	1,458,589	658,718	125,289	92,184
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale..... farms reporting...	27,785	14,403	163	312	789
acres ² ...	1,512	873	24	34	80
bushels...	313,583	181,685	4,332	4,207	12,773
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale..... farms reporting...	30,523	16,281	171	296	696
acres ² ...	15,555	11,573	1,172	262	2,819
bushels...	2,027,018	1,572,556	252,610	43,454	349,691
Vegetables harvested for sale..... farms reporting...	6,760	3,548	69	32	140
Sales.....dollars...	1,926,271	1,244,480	203,322	16,475	104,150
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees ³ farms reporting...	10,908	5,116	399	226	620
acres...	106,983	82,515	27,333	17,618	15,641

² Less than 0.05 percent. ¹ Includes milk equivalent of cream and butterfat sold. ³ Does not include acreage for farms with less than 20 bushels harvested. ³ 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
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Continued						
Litters farrowed December 1, 1958, to						
November 30, 1959..... farms reporting...	2,899	6,833	8,373	10,411	4,021	28
..... number of litters...	16,147	22,625	16,169	24,260	7,342	981
1 or 2 litters..... farms reporting...	1,434	4,456	6,944	7,734	3,307	...
3 to 9 litters..... farms reporting...	1,014	1,904	1,328	2,472	694	11
10 to 19 litters..... farms reporting...	328	367	86	170	20	7
20 to 39 litters..... farms reporting...	80	91	15	35	...	7
40 to 69 litters..... farms reporting...	37	15	...	...	...	1
70 or more litters..... farms reporting...	6	...	...	...	...	2
June 2 to November 30..... farms reporting...	2,317	5,234	6,151	8,098	3,069	28
..... number of litters...	7,687	11,452	9,098	13,725	4,439	545
December 1 to June 1..... farms reporting...	2,050	4,171	4,402	5,411	1,901	27
..... number of litters...	8,460	11,173	7,071	10,535	2,903	436
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED						
Com for all purposes..... farms reporting...	6,290	15,900	25,378	25,710	13,369	21
..... acres...	127,022	222,183	241,583	217,845	99,456	4,874
Under 11 acres..... farms reporting...	2,654	8,457	17,645	19,357	10,919	5
11 to 24 acres..... farms reporting...	1,636	4,623	6,539	5,345	2,109	6
25 to 49 acres..... farms reporting...	1,489	2,416	1,118	932	290	1
50 to 74 acres..... farms reporting...	329	335	70	71	45	2
75 to 99 acres..... farms reporting...	108	52	5	5	...	...
100 or more acres..... farms reporting...	74	17	1	...	6	7
Harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	6,141	15,677	25,112	25,218	13,199	21
..... acres...	117,030	213,970	236,405	207,780	96,396	4,761
..... bushels...	3,919,411	6,395,191	5,568,375	5,492,488	2,306,560	204,829
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,566	4,261	5,892	5,096	2,147	4
..... bushels...	721,730	1,287,195	1,078,575	890,757	333,765	49,026
Wheat harvested..... farms reporting...	158	130	55	25	40	3
..... acres...	1,508	1,095	250	300	380	61
..... bushels...	35,230	26,005	6,150	7,380	9,550	1,400
Sales..... farms reporting...	108	70	35	20	25	2
..... bushels...	23,524	18,499	4,700	6,850	5,255	784
Oats harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	679	722	186	340	225	17
..... acres...	11,214	10,255	1,315	3,410	1,955	2,138
..... bushels...	383,050	348,610	38,575	85,260	58,040	55,653
Sales..... farms reporting...	231	209	20	95	55	9
..... bushels...	148,920	146,080	5,660	23,925	12,800	7,870
Rice harvested..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	1
..... acres...	...	...	...	...	...	203
..... bushels...	...	...	...	...	...	11,300
Sales..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	1
..... bushels...	...	...	...	...	...	10,894
Soybeans harvested for beans..... farms reporting...	1,730	2,228	905	617	500	4
..... acres grown alone...	75,178	52,984	10,745	8,350	6,080	392
..... acres grown with other crops...	80	255	190	220	75	...
..... bushels...	1,490,422	984,905	176,135	136,015	105,550	6,036
Hay crops:						
Land from which hay was cut..... acres...	93,438	92,144	42,104	63,537	31,036	2,653
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for						
hay and for dehydrating..... farms reporting...	61	172	65	106	75	2
..... acres...	570	1,395	750	766	480	58
..... tons...	865	1,995	870	897	635	239
Sales..... farms reporting...	...	10	15	20	5	...
..... tons...	...	230	25	145	10	...
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover						
and grasses cut for hay..... farms reporting...	518	843	760	1,047	540	11
..... acres...	10,944	10,301	4,700	6,794	3,255	293
..... tons...	16,528	12,391	5,035	8,660	3,688	497
Sales..... farms reporting...	39	60	25	75	60	...
..... tons...	1,441	605	170	505	590	...
Lespedeza cut for hay..... farms reporting...	1,427	2,739	2,462	2,579	1,365	4
..... acres...	20,576	29,026	14,992	17,785	9,001	75
..... tons...	30,788	39,762	18,708	22,150	10,743	166
Sales..... farms reporting...	115	178	60	170	55	...
..... tons...	2,103	2,337	485	1,045	710	...
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small						
grains cut for hay..... farms reporting...	992	1,231	666	1,372	710	9
..... acres...	14,180	12,740	4,227	8,840	4,508	473
..... tons...	17,197	13,864	4,552	8,855	4,508	337
Sales..... farms reporting...	42	36	15	20	20	...
..... tons...	433	575	35	85	95	...
Other hay cut..... farms reporting...	1,580	2,212	2,376	3,285	1,984	21
..... acres...	47,033	38,682	17,435	29,352	13,792	1,678
..... tons...	59,325	44,037	17,244	29,174	13,810	2,380
Sales..... farms reporting...	148	181	96	190	151	6
..... tons...	6,756	5,870	884	2,545	1,630	405
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa,						
clover, or small grains..... farms reporting...	10	...	...	...	...	1
..... acres...	135	...	...	...	...	76
..... tons, green weight...	1,000	...	...	...	...	495
Cotton..... farms reporting...	5,718	17,425	26,543	14,084	8,074	5
..... acres...	132,192	257,681	214,713	88,165	45,615	4,999
..... bales...	145,998	267,523	168,877	58,648	32,858	6,667
Irish potatoes harvested for home use						
or for sale..... farms reporting...	1,531	4,244	7,364	8,662	4,707	13
..... acres...	106	292	337	366	111	...
..... bushels...	19,980	63,384	77,009	82,796	40,701	8,401
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use						
or for sale..... farms reporting...	1,465	4,537	9,116	8,730	5,500	12
..... acres...	1,961	2,368	2,991	2,375	1,273	134
..... bushels...	257,916	359,609	309,276	277,245	150,321	26,896
Vegetables harvested for sale..... farms reporting...	376	911	2,020	2,117	1,088	7
Sales..... dollars...	231,278	321,350	367,905	298,705	149,660	233,426
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit						
orchards, groves, vineyards, and						
planted nut trees..... farms reporting...	989	1,439	1,443	3,767	2,006	19
..... acres...	9,374	9,327	3,222	17,249	6,963	256