

STATISTICS FOR COUNTIES

County Table 1.—FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE:

[Data for items shown in italics are based on

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	The State	Atlantic	Bergen	Burlington	Camden	Cape May	Cumberland	Essex	Gloucester
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE									
1 Farms.....number 1959...	15,459	1,060	384	1,351	385	256	1,600	91	1,267
2 farm definition 1954 to 1959.....	22,686	1,279	547	1,835	658	315	2,237	154	1,608
3 Decrease in farms due to change in farm definition 1954 to 1959.....number...	604	35	16	50	24	20	49	3	37
4 Approximate land area.....acres 1959...	4,813,440	368,000	149,120	524,160	141,440	170,880	321,920	81,920	210,560
5 Proportion in farms.....percent 1959...	28.6	12.4	5.0	35.2	13.7	11.7	36.7	4.9	43.5
6 Land in farms.....acres 1959...	1,379,002	45,796	7,456	184,727	19,439	19,991	118,261	3,996	91,531
7 1954.....	1,665,241	43,688	11,642	207,618	27,283	28,569	123,403	3,603	100,737
8 Average size of farm.....acres 1959...	89.2	43.2	19.4	136.7	50.5	78.1	73.9	43.9	72.2
9 1954.....	73.4	34.2	21.3	113.1	41.5	90.7	55.2	23.4	62.6
Value of land and buildings:									
10 Average per farm.....dollars 1959...	42,527	23,827	67,578	51,815	35,424	19,090	28,881	58,030	28,960
11 1954.....	27,575	19,167	36,050	36,875	17,785	21,210	22,412	49,104	24,226
12 Average per acre.....dollars 1959...	538.65	651.03	7,064.21	389.82	773.07	393.64	422.93	3,872.60	426.45
13 1954.....	399.00	578.92	2,148.98	322.33	587.83	274.61	407.32	3,576.63	373.72
14 Proportion of farms reporting value.....percent 1959...	76	86	73	79	80	82	83	75	77
15 1954.....	83	90	89	85	77	82	86	62	85
Land in farms according to use:									
16 Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1959...	11,098	589	228	1,191	253	180	942	64	974
17 1954.....	15,434	647	371	1,526	416	217	1,239	113	1,216
18 acres 1959.....	657,877	17,741	3,577	75,647	10,100	7,212	69,593	1,164	50,799
19 1954.....	788,398	16,284	4,543	87,651	14,009	9,352	66,680	1,308	56,981
20 1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	2,889	264	158	307	90	73	276	44	197
21 1954.....	4,738	310	271	416	171	80	440	80	284
22 10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	1,354	101	36	153	48	32	139	8	122
23 1954.....	1,948	127	48	189	66	37	203	16	181
24 20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	918	52	6	75	32	17	88	4	99
25 1954.....	1,251	52	21	95	39	26	121	6	113
26 30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	1,420	76	13	114	17	20	123	4	161
27 1954.....	1,944	77	13	169	59	26	168	4	194
28 50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	2,561	57	9	294	44	20	174	2	263
29 1954.....	3,335	52	11	398	45	24	178	6	315
30 100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	1,492	28	3	185	15	13	93	1	108
31 1954.....	1,715	19	5	193	29	16	96	1	106
32 200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	409	10	3	55	6	3	34	1	23
33 1954.....	460	8	2	60	6	8	24	...	21
34 500 to 999 acres.....farms reporting 1959...	46	1	...	8	1	2	10	...	1
35 1954.....	36	2	...	6	...	...	6	...	2
36 1,000 or more acres.....farms reporting 1959...	9	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...
37 1954.....	7	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...
38 Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1959...	4,791	58	26	370	79	56	333	11	303
39 1954.....	8,107	119	62	695	124	61	451	15	468
40 acres 1959.....	125,038	433	189	11,109	1,508	931	4,518	146	4,702
41 1954.....	184,230	725	805	21,861	1,730	732	5,003	153	5,329
42 Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1959...	5,065	408	37	532	113	82	370	19	576
43 1954.....	7,700	526	188	666	329	119	706	50	688
44 acres 1959.....	108,822	5,606	351	20,075	1,677	1,753	6,173	336	8,780
45 1954.....	113,498	5,927	1,387	13,419	4,082	1,694	7,567	488	8,469
46 Soil-improvement grasses and legumes.....farms reporting 1959...	1,399	144	16	92	45	27	135	5	167
47 1954.....	25,479	2,437	116	1,590	752	355	2,514	34	2,289
48 Other cropland (idle and crop failure).....farms reporting 1959...	4,085	294	24	476	80	69	264	16	472
49 1954.....	83,343	3,169	235	18,485	925	1,398	3,659	302	6,491
50 Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1959...	1,164	27	10	77	17	14	29	2	58
51 1954.....	1,920	45	16	170	35	24	50	2	132
52 acres 1959.....	24,194	153	111	1,700	197	175	660	74	474
53 1954.....	39,248	503	551	3,045	363	508	444	47	1,634
54 Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1959...	7,152	567	59	626	114	137	625	17	640
55 1954.....	9,982	633	154	855	215	168	790	50	770
56 acres 1959.....	226,816	14,903	1,337	43,841	2,610	5,391	18,723	1,318	12,841
57 1954.....	282,653	13,603	2,909	50,861	4,308	12,374	18,612	818	15,158
58 Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1959...	2,860	168	24	281	34	7	93	5	143
59 1954.....	3,713	146	33	323	30	33	199	7	245
60 acres 1959.....	81,641	923	393	11,041	818	222	716	22	2,353
61 1954.....	94,405	1,036	119	9,721	521	1,418	2,960	174	3,372
62 Improved pasture (see text).....farms reporting 1959...	817	27	12	88	5	...	48	...	30
63 1954.....	970	13	7	109	3	4	78	...	54
64 acres 1959.....	19,289	174	85	2,949	156	...	342	...	422
65 1954.....	19,805	63	22	3,022	26	82	885	...	604
66 Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....acres 1959...	154,614	6,037	1,498	21,314	2,529	4,307	17,878	936	11,582
67 1954.....	162,809	5,610	1,328	21,060	2,270	3,491	22,137	615	9,794
68 Cropland, total.....farms reporting 1959...	12,680	720	241	1,259	287	205	1,077	70	1,101
69 1954.....	19,300	866	447	1,701	542	259	1,610	127	1,409
70 acres 1959.....	6,795	246	53	571	109	64	420	17	425
71 1954.....	10,964	292	105	922	167	97	643	22	692
72 Woodland, total.....farms reporting 1959...	7,785	581	68	673	126	145	639	17	676
73 1954.....	11,171	663	165	952	240	178	825	50	856
74 Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1959...	1,902	288	57	207	55	41	359	9	215
75 1954.....	1,775	199	125	246	54	24	286	33	177
76 acres 1959.....	73,873	9,461	501	11,885	2,319	1,078	17,212	226	5,704
77 1954.....	58,912	5,952	1,205	13,779	2,217	524	9,490	367	4,437
Land-use practices:									
78 Cropland in cover crops.....farms reporting 1959...	3,241	210	15	423	86	90	505	15	482
79 acres 1959.....	124,754	5,900	150	23,214	3,315	4,400	24,576	60	18,325
80 Cropland used for grain or row crops farmed on the contour.....farms reporting 1959...	577	...	1	20	10	15	72	...	57
81 1954.....	19,840	...	54	550	50	415	1,948	...	785
82 Land in strip-cropping systems for soil-erosion control.....farms reporting 1959...	453	...	...	21	10	5	27	...	30
83 acres 1959.....	22,539	...	...	790	130	25	1,131	...	475
84 System of terraces on crop and pasture land.....farms reporting 1959...	572	...	...	21	20	...	53	...	51
85 acres 1959.....	28,087	...	...	460	295	...	7,763	50	892

