

## 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 .....	15,869	9,799	1,071	1,407	1,837
Percent distribution .....	100.0	61.7	6.7	8.9	11.6
Land in farms .....	46,268,314	38,559,436	16,567,777	7,232,814	6,338,020
Percent distribution .....	100.0	83.3	35.8	15.6	13.7
Average size of farm .....	2,915.6	3,935.0	15,469.4	5,140.6	3,450.2
<b>Value of land and buildings:</b>					
Average per farm .....	56,561	82,977	299,062	122,280	72,686
Average per acre .....	28.57	27.22	26.72	29.71	25.75
<b>Land in farms according to use:</b>					
<b>Cropland harvested .....</b>					
..... farms reporting .....	10,515	6,555	762	1,063	1,289
..... acres .....	1,081,391	1,013,963	318,821	237,418	212,144
1 to 9 acres .....	3,061	767	6	13	31
10 to 19 acres .....	1,490	619	5	23	32
20 to 29 acres .....	739	404	3	13	22
30 to 49 acres .....	1,000	752	24	40	153
50 to 99 acres .....	1,339	1,200	47	208	435
100 to 199 acres .....	1,376	1,310	161	449	280
200 to 499 acres .....	1,066	1,065	321	186	254
500 to 999 acres .....	365	362	138	118	77
1,000 or more acres .....	79	76	57	13	5
Cropland used only for pasture .....	4,127	2,313	276	354	437
..... farms reporting .....	425,759	322,481	92,456	54,052	55,387
..... acres .....	4,511	3,272	465	558	711
<b>Cropland not harvested and not pastured .....</b>					
..... farms reporting .....	788,024	660,891	131,763	111,092	131,188
..... acres .....	1,391	1,210	258	285	281
Cultivated summer fallow .....	131,059	127,754	41,351	27,152	20,383
..... farms reporting .....	1,858	1,416	151	165	331
..... acres .....	494,560	403,335	56,173	55,271	86,383
Other cropland (idle and crop failure) .....	2,207	1,508	206	290	317
..... farms reporting .....	162,405	129,802	34,239	28,669	24,422
..... acres .....	1,515	717	35	38	61
Woodland pastured .....	3,546,517	1,466,074	495,685	261,027	214,969
..... farms reporting .....	350	153	7	9	24
..... acres .....	283,713	235,279	159,774	1,171	28,400
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland) .....	8,694	6,064	647	876	1,155
..... farms reporting .....	39,380,473	34,375,405	15,146,151	6,488,322	5,631,393
..... acres .....	647	389	59	66	59
Improved pasture .....	287,704	253,638	91,281	33,779	51,328
..... farms reporting .....	8,735	5,208	710	930	1,043
..... acres .....	718,435	655,581	276,902	151,853	116,158
Irrigated cropland harvested .....	8,327	5,055	695	915	1,019
..... farms reporting .....	605,454	559,673	239,597	133,254	98,367
..... acres .....					
<b>Land use practices:</b>					
<b>Cropland in cover crops .....</b>					
..... farms reporting .....	242	187	34	43	51
..... acres .....	15,906	10,233	3,309	1,517	890
<b>Cropland used for grain or row crops</b>					
farmed on the contour .....	368	323	31	64	55
..... farms reporting .....	68,099	66,178	23,416	11,733	13,503
..... acres .....					
<b>Land in strip-cropping systems for</b>					
<b>soil-erosion control .....</b>					
..... farms reporting .....	49	44	4	8	2
..... acres .....	9,757	9,672	1,681	5,107	300
<b>System of terraces on crop and pasture land .....</b>					
..... farms reporting .....	913	741	141	122	161
..... acres .....	228,314	217,179	88,067	34,385	40,994
<b>FARM OPERATORS BY AGE</b>					
Operators reporting age .....	15,564	9,611	1,043	1,389	1,790
Under 25 years .....	226	171	9	8	49
25 to 34 years .....	1,704	1,090	185	206	221
35 to 44 years .....	3,182	2,021	287	354	374
45 to 54 years .....	4,224	2,872	300	436	568
55 to 64 years .....	3,337	2,285	176	218	366
65 or more years .....	2,891	1,172	86	167	212
Average age .....	51.1	49.8	46.1	48.1	48.9
<b>OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME</b>					
<b>Farm operators—</b>					
<b>Working off their farms, total .....</b>					
..... operators reporting .....	7,067	2,903	175	327	514
1 to 99 days .....	1,871	1,389	66	201	242
100 to 199 days .....	1,142	378	27	16	84
200 or more days .....	4,054	1,136	82	110	188
With other members of family working off farm .....	1,665	674	27	90	137
With income from sources other than farm					
operated and off-farm work .....	3,204	1,380	102	161	232
With other income of family exceeding value of					
agricultural products sold .....	4,291	868	37	50	131
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting					
as to work off their farms .....	8,802	6,896	896	1,080	1,323
With other members of family working off farm .....	1,037	650	54	74	151
With income from sources other than farm operated .....	3,027	1,665	258	246	309
With other income of family exceeding value					
of agricultural products sold .....	1,464	239	13	18	43
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>					
Under 10 acres .....	1,757	522	1	15	20
10 to 49 acres .....	3,226	1,074	13	15	61
50 to 99 acres .....	527	286	5	15	105
100 to 199 acres .....	726	416	11	60	155
200 to 499 acres .....	587	381	21	65	115
500 to 999 acres .....	863	561	34	145	82
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	381	271	41	90	20
2,000 or more acres .....	352	282	40	70	45
..... number .....	1,578	1,096	171	190	252
..... number .....	1,655	1,117	138	148	157
..... number .....	1,359	1,104	94	110	190
..... number .....	2,858	2,689	502	484	635

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

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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.....	1,840	1,904	1,740	4,284	1,717	69
Percent distribution.....percent.....	11.6	12.0	11.0	27.0	10.8	0.4
Land in farms.....acres.....	4,419,757	3,224,020	777,048	955,641	605,470	6,147,767
Percent distribution.....percent.....	9.6	7.0	1.7	2.1	1.3	13.3
Average size of farm.....acres.....	2,402.0	1,693.3	446.6	223.1	352.6	89,098.1
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars.....	49,999	40,001	15,555	14,974	13,920	196,305
Average per acre.....dollars.....	26.17	26.71	34.63	78.00	40.85	12.73
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting.....	1,236	1,098	1,107	2,855	1,064	41
.....acres.....	145,188	76,602	23,790	38,604	16,764	12,060
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting.....	56	139	522	1,707	587	...
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting.....	75	183	301	605	260	6
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting.....	126	130	110	237	87	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting.....	260	213	62	179	69	...
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting.....	285	164	61	91	43	5
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting.....	189	185	46	35	18	13
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting.....	218	81	5	1	...	...
500 to 999 acres.....farms reporting.....	26	3	...	...	...	3
1,000 or more acres.....farms reporting.....	1	...	...	...	...	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting.....	384	405	457	1,309	498	...
.....acres.....	40,514	49,209	30,863	55,032	34,451	13,795
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting.....	591	592	355	893	322	24
.....acres.....	128,992	114,072	43,784	67,072	49,685	9,777
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting.....	160	157	69	128	47	6
.....acres.....	15,946	20,487	2,435	2,141	935	229
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes.....farms reporting.....	347	329	93	286	153	3
.....acres.....	95,369	75,291	34,848	49,600	40,801	824
Other cropland (idle and crop failure).....farms reporting.....	204	250	241	545	135	19
.....acres.....	17,677	18,294	6,501	15,930	7,949	8,724
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting.....	101	197	285	556	219	23
.....acres.....	237,978	160,194	96,221	114,940	53,162	1,912,341
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting.....	27	34	52	139	53	5
.....acres.....	11,920	10,707	23,307	16,494	7,881	24,059
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting.....	1,278	1,327	781	1,750	837	43
.....acres.....	3,799,135	2,768,027	542,377	634,387	425,133	3,945,548
Improved pasture.....farms reporting.....	83	55	67	185	66	7
.....acres.....	23,141	36,355	17,754	6,067	2,869	25,130
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting.....	837	790	898	900	900	35
.....acres.....	54,906	36,226	19,536	39,217	11,955	11,682
Irrigated cropland harvested.....farms reporting.....	812	748	866	2,403	836	33
.....acres.....	45,441	28,995	14,019	26,989	9,002	9,790
Land use practices:						
Cropland in cover crops.....farms reporting.....	31	22	6	21	27	7
.....acres.....	2,641	1,666	210	3,310	1,428	935
Cropland used for grain or row crops farmed on the contour.....farms reporting.....	81	64	28	27	11	7
.....acres.....	9,541	6,819	1,166	1,045	125	751
Land in strip-cropping systems for soil-erosion control.....farms reporting.....	12	11	7	...	5	...
.....acres.....	1,834	530	220	...	85	...
System of terraces on crop and pasture land.....farms reporting.....	164	117	36	123	42	7
.....acres.....	36,107	14,598	3,028	6,434	3,682	1,019
<b>FARM OPERATORS BY AGE</b>						
Operators reporting age.....number.....	1,811	1,874	1,704	4,208	1,717	28
Under 25 years.....number.....	49	11	45	55	...	...
25 to 34 years.....number.....	139	195	144	614	...	...
35 to 44 years.....number.....	389	306	311	1,149	...	12
45 to 54 years.....number.....	549	487	532	1,349	...	3
55 to 64 years.....number.....	415	438	672	1,041	...	11
65 or more years.....number.....	270	437	...	...	1,717	2
Average age.....years.....	50.9	53.0	49.6	46.3	69.8	49.5
<b>OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME</b>						
Farm operators—						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting.....	744	778	365	3,705	451	8
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting.....	297	218	365	329	153	...
100 to 199 days.....operators reporting.....	123	128	...	668	96	...
200 or more days.....operators reporting.....	324	432	...	2,708	202	8
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting.....	190	162	68	904	86	1
With income from sources other than farm operated and off-farm work.....operators reporting.....	404	386	95	1,510	311	3
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting.....	219	431	...	3,083	338	2
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting as to work off their farms.....operators reporting.....	1,096	1,126	1,375	579	1,266	61
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting.....	102	170	99	198	185	4
With income from sources other than farm operated.....operators reporting.....	302	402	148	395	957	10
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting.....	43	122	...	579	638	8
<b>FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
Under 10 acres.....number.....	40	106	340	935	300	...
10 to 49 acres.....number.....	228	260	497	1,637	505	10
50 to 99 acres.....number.....	51	60	50	176	65	...
70 to 99 acres.....number.....	75	70	45	240	65	5
100 to 199 acres.....number.....	35	60	85	146	60	...
140 to 179 acres.....number.....	100	70	130	197	100	5
180 to 219 acres.....number.....	45	30	30	70	40	...
220 to 259 acres.....number.....	36	45	56	50	20	...
260 to 499 acres.....number.....	167	185	131	294	178	10
500 to 999 acres.....number.....	223	300	151	301	237	...
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....number.....	280	287	143	156	96	3
2,000 or more acres.....number.....	560	426	82	82	51	36

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		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>					
All farm operators:					
Full owners.....number...	8,959	4,174	223	383	602
Part owners.....number...	4,963	4,075	617	766	840
All tenants.....number...	1,698	1,372	151	218	376
Cash tenants.....number...	468	351	28	51	86
Share-cash tenants.....number...	99	79	10	15	21
Crop-share tenants.....number...	698	636	91	114	225
Livestock-share tenants.....number...	104	94	14	26	18
Other and unspecified tenants.....number...	329	212	8	12	26
White farm operators:					
Full owners.....number...	8,348	3,870	221	377	596
Part owners.....number...	4,925	4,058	607	765	840
All tenants.....number...	1,597	1,314	151	218	370
Nonwhite farm operators:					
Full owners.....number...	611	304	2	6	6
Part owners.....number...	38	17	10	1	...
All tenants.....number...	101	58	...	...	6
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>					
Cash-grain farms.....number...	626	626	53	74	142
Tobacco farms.....number...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton farms.....number...	2,177	2,177	428	572	545
Other field-crop farms.....number...	198	198	2	37	60
Vegetable farms.....number...	71	71	20	6	15
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number...	188	188	7	8	16
Poultry farms.....number...	193	193	13	27	36
Dairy farms.....number...	393	393	44	100	126
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms and livestock ranches.....number...	1,346	1,346	50	84	114
Livestock ranches.....number...	3,771	3,771	404	446	676
General farms.....number...	735	735	46	53	106
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number...	6,171	101	4	...	1
<b>SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD</b>					
Grain combines.....farms reporting...	2,025	1,815	257	328	403
number.....	2,358	2,118	353	391	473
Com pickers.....farms reporting...	122	111	26	11	14
number.....	125	114	28	11	14
Pick-up balers.....farms reporting...	1,994	1,714	410	388	348
number.....	2,150	1,838	489	418	359
Field forage harvesters.....farms reporting...	613	534	163	117	99
number.....	728	638	223	137	113
Motortrucks.....farms reporting...	12,488	8,446	1,026	1,338	1,695
number.....	20,271	14,117	3,296	2,508	2,664
Tractors.....farms reporting...	9,466	6,866	907	1,179	1,481
number.....	18,107	14,741	3,813	3,160	2,919
Tractors other than garden.....farms reporting...	9,080	6,701	897	1,165	1,458
number.....	17,146	14,247	3,759	3,053	2,852
1 tractor.....farms reporting...	5,064	3,028	147	222	264
2 tractors.....farms reporting...	2,178	1,884	137	361	546
3 tractors.....farms reporting...	1,042	1,010	201	365	249
4 tractors.....farms reporting...	385	378	126	150	59
5 or more tractors.....farms reporting...	411	401	286	67	40
Wheel tractors.....farms reporting...	8,939	6,613	878	1,153	1,432
number.....	16,269	13,497	3,480	2,905	2,699
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting...	686	576	204	111	126
number.....	877	750	279	148	153
Garden tractors.....farms reporting...	795	408	45	62	58
number.....	961	494	54	107	67
Automobiles.....farms reporting...	10,735	7,125	979	1,278	1,480
number.....	13,939	9,232	1,790	1,656	1,830
Automobiles and/or motortrucks.....farms reporting...	14,553	9,251	1,061	1,385	1,792
Telephone.....farms reporting...	6,810	4,633	798	893	1,021
Home freezer.....farms reporting...	8,673	6,032	809	1,130	1,285
Milking machine.....farms reporting...	611	542	61	153	152
Electric milk cooler.....farms reporting...	476	454	60	128	139
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops).....farms reporting...	35	34	12	10	2
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower.....farms reporting...	738	693	192	164	171
Farms by kind of road on which located:					
Hard surface.....farms reporting...	4,327	2,434	347	405	470
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting...	1,993	1,008	199	188	156
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting...	9,428	6,037	494	778	1,169
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road.....farms reporting...	2,754	1,404	82	162	243
1 or more miles to a hard surface road.....farms reporting...	6,674	4,633	412	616	926
1 mile.....farms reporting...	1,385	842	66	132	147
2 or 3 miles.....farms reporting...	2,055	1,504	102	210	329
4 miles.....farms reporting...	512	383	35	41	108
5 or more miles.....farms reporting...	2,722	1,904	209	233	342
<b>FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION</b>					
Hired workers.....farms reporting...	3,807	3,446	927	976	730
persons.....	17,690	17,049	7,871	4,798	2,656
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days).....farms reporting...	2,724	2,570	861	784	488
persons.....	7,327	7,063	4,120	1,513	902
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:					
1 hired worker.....farms reporting...	1,471	1,363	267	421	315
2 hired workers.....farms reporting...	535	506	152	205	84
3 or 4 hired workers.....farms reporting...	365	358	174	116	56
5 to 9 hired workers.....farms reporting...	242	234	167	35	32
10 or more hired workers.....farms reporting...	111	109	101	7	1
<b>RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR</b>					
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting...	12,820	7,800	797	1,149	1,495
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting...	1,882	1,304	186	165	249
Operators not reporting residence.....number...	1,167	695	88	93	93

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	Commercial farms—Continued			Other farms		
	Class IV	Class V	Class VI	Part-time	Part-retirement	Abnormal
<b>FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All farm operators:						
Full owners..... number...	770	944	1,252	3,392	1,393	...
Part owners..... number...	791	757	304	612	276	...
All tenants..... number...	260	186	181	279	47	...
Cash tenants..... number...	67	60	59	100	17	...
Share-cash tenants..... number...	18	15	...	20	...	...
Crop-share tenants..... number...	125	48	33	62	...	...
Livestock-share tenants..... number...	9	12	15	5	5	...
Other and unspecified tenants..... number...	41	51	74	92	25	...
White farm operators:						
Full owners..... number...	752	910	1,014	3,190	1,288	...
Part owners..... number...	791	756	299	596	271	...
All tenants..... number...	255	176	144	246	37	...
Nonwhite farm operators:						
Full owners..... number...	18	34	238	202	105	...
Part owners..... number...	...	1	5	16	5	...
All tenants..... number...	5	10	37	33	10	...
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM</b>						
Cash-grain farms..... number...	187	122	48	...	...	...
Tobacco farms..... number...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton farms..... number...	345	207	80	...	...	...
Other field-crop farms..... number...	54	25	20	...	...	...
Vegetable farms..... number...	...	5	25	...	...	...
Fruit-and-nut farms..... number...	25	26	106	...	...	...
Poultry farms..... number...	23	42	52	...	...	...
Dairy farms..... number...	63	43	17	...	...	...
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms and livestock ranches..... number...	177	293	628	...	...	...
Livestock ranches..... number...	788	917	540	...	...	...
General farms..... number...	150	192	188	...	...	...
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms..... number...	28	32	36	4,284	1,717	69
<b>SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD</b>						
Grain combines..... farms reporting... number...	403	297	127	136	59	15
number.....	437	334	130	151	64	25
Corn pickers..... farms reporting... number...	32	18	10	10	1	...
number.....	33	18	10	10	1	...
Pick-up balers..... farms reporting... number...	240	212	116	201	68	11
number.....	243	213	116	201	68	43
Field forage harvesters..... farms reporting... number...	72	44	39	64	12	3
number.....	77	46	42	74	12	4
Mototrucks..... farms reporting... number...	1,650	1,623	1,114	2,994	1,002	46
number.....	2,242	2,103	1,304	3,279	1,085	1,790
Tractors..... farms reporting... number...	1,382	1,224	693	1,872	686	42
number.....	2,177	1,813	859	2,342	791	233
Tractors other than garden..... farms reporting... number...	1,355	1,185	641	1,700	642	37
number.....	2,109	1,686	788	2,000	716	183
1 tractor..... farms reporting... number...	789	782	524	1,452	570	14
2 tractors..... farms reporting... number...	424	326	90	218	70	6
3 tractors..... farms reporting... number...	112	59	24	18	2	12
4 tractors..... farms reporting... number...	23	17	3	7	...	...
5 or more tractors..... farms reporting... number...	7	1	...	5	...	5
Wheel tractors..... farms reporting... number...	1,390	1,168	632	1,668	621	37
number.....	2,045	1,617	751	1,912	690	170
Crawler tractors..... farms reporting... number...	47	53	35	78	26	6
number.....	64	69	37	88	26	13
Garden tractors..... farms reporting... number...	62	117	64	292	75	20
number.....	68	127	71	342	75	50
Automobiles..... farms reporting... number...	1,415	1,254	719	2,766	799	45
number.....	1,667	1,538	751	3,160	893	654
Automobiles and/or mototrucks..... farms reporting... number...	1,798	1,816	1,399	3,919	1,330	53
number.....	853	732	336	1,594	538	45
Home freezer..... farms reporting... number...	1,227	1,096	485	1,999	620	22
number.....	117	53	6	47	10	12
Electric milk cooler..... farms reporting... number...	87	34	6	11	5	6
number.....	10	...	...	...	...	1
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops)..... farms reporting... number...	106	50	10	27	10	8
number.....						
Farms by kind of road on which located:						
Hard surface..... farms reporting... number...	428	480	304	1,359	498	36
number.....	170	159	136	382	197	6
Gravel, shell, or shale..... farms reporting... number...	1,187	1,209	1,200	2,417	966	8
number.....	254	316	347	999	349	2
Dirt or unimproved..... farms reporting... number...	933	893	853	1,418	617	6
number.....	159	144	194	362	180	1
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road..... farms reporting... number...	319	301	243	380	171	...
number.....	89	60	50	90	39	...
1 or more miles to a hard surface road..... farms reporting... number...	366	388	366	586	227	5
number.....						
1 mile..... farms reporting... number...						
2 or 3 miles..... farms reporting... number...						
4 miles..... farms reporting... number...						
5 or more miles..... farms reporting... number...						
<b>FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION</b>						
Hired workers..... farms reporting... persons...	391	339	83	252	75	34
persons.....	925	627	172	362	146	133
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)..... farms reporting... persons...	231	174	32	86	34	34
persons.....	289	201	38	98	49	117
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:						
1 hired worker..... farms reporting... number...	185	149	26	74	24	10
2 hired workers..... farms reporting... number...	36	23	6	12	5	12
3 or 4 hired workers..... farms reporting... number...	10	2	...	...	5	2
5 to 9 hired workers..... farms reporting... number...	...	...	...	...	...	8
10 or more hired workers..... farms reporting... number...	...	...	...	...	...	2
<b>RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR</b>						
Residing on farm operated..... operators reporting... number...	1,459	1,483	1,417	3,479	1,522	19
number.....	254	306	144	497	76	5
Not residing on farm operated..... operators reporting... number...	127	115	179	308	119	45
number.....						

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[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...	3,908	3,231	607	764	808
..... acres on which used...	351,880	344,524	171,041	88,553	54,899
..... tons...	42,773	41,899	21,878	10,304	6,134
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	3,632	2,955	550	707	711
..... tons...	36,128	35,220	18,513	8,547	5,019
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	969	999	276	281	220
..... tons...	6,645	6,639	3,365	1,757	1,115
<b>Crops on which used—</b>					
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting...	1,894	1,488	349	383	315
..... acres...	87,689	83,544	43,536	21,314	8,975
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	1,866	1,460	339	371	315
..... tons...	10,527	9,960	5,075	2,551	1,227
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	53	53	18	28	1
..... tons...	188	188	94	87	3
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting...	120	75	16	17	16
..... acres...	1,737	1,327	550	275	297
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	114	69	15	17	16
..... tons...	196	155	65	18	49
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	6	6	1	...	...
..... tons...	4	4	3	...	...
Sorghums..... farms reporting...	544	513	137	144	156
..... acres...	46,316	45,721	15,647	14,536	12,204
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	387	356	96	99	103
..... tons...	1,726	1,697	693	530	298
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	212	212	57	74	63
..... tons...	1,511	1,511	428	552	465
Barley..... farms reporting...	233	227	93	67	23
..... acres...	10,567	10,515	6,512	2,736	520
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	176	170	64	56	16
..... tons...	877	867	540	217	26
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	77	77	33	27	7
..... tons...	204	204	131	56	13
Cotton..... farms reporting...	2,372	2,281	507	586	611
..... acres...	155,454	154,868	81,766	39,046	24,014
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	2,083	1,992	443	525	515
..... tons...	17,946	17,855	9,509	4,454	2,713
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	689	679	188	199	154
..... tons...	3,286	3,282	2,005	667	388
All other crops..... farms reporting...	1,170	981	188	204	260
..... acres...	50,117	48,549	23,030	10,646	8,889
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	977	788	135	174	196
..... tons...	4,856	4,686	2,631	777	706
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	325	320	90	72	82
..... tons...	1,452	1,450	704	395	246
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...
..... acres limed...	...	...	...	...	...
..... tons...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES</b>					
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting...	15,585	9,793	1,071	1,407	1,837
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	11,235	7,506	827	1,035	1,396
..... dollars...	20,830,454	19,427,749	9,602,731	3,661,950	2,900,854
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	2,214	878	23	71	66
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting...	5,842	3,632	198	335	594
\$1,000 to \$1,999..... farms reporting...	1,186	1,031	77	111	240
\$2,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,034	1,016	154	242	288
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	999	949	375	276	208
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	5,256	3,791	577	620	795
..... dollars...	27,448,809	26,885,985	18,933,716	3,195,668	2,390,130
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting...	3,349	1,979	98	223	387
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	672	608	70	108	159
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	450	430	54	111	122
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	309	301	90	76	63
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting...	476	473	265	102	64
Machine hire..... farms reporting...	6,134	4,700	728	933	1,124
..... dollars...	7,261,163	6,938,483	3,231,394	1,796,170	1,163,011
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	2,025	878	10	57	92
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting...	2,195	1,933	101	195	579
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	1,914	1,889	617	681	453
Hired labor..... farms reporting...	7,853	6,408	1,066	1,367	1,463
..... dollars...	25,014,649	24,167,630	13,719,266	5,439,653	3,048,626
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	1,855	904	3	34	113
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting...	1,246	990	15	80	254
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	817	728	25	89	181
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	1,620	1,519	126	398	452
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,018	1,002	237	327	323
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	738	717	227	338	126
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting...	343	336	229	93	14
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting...	178	175	168	7	...
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting...	38	37	36	1	...
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting...	4,703	3,624	531	709	724
..... dollars...	1,587,453	1,416,376	584,729	325,479	228,266
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,908	1,114	19	78	146
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	1,975	1,744	191	440	438
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	466	440	152	121	100
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	354	326	169	70	40
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting...	14,784	9,450	1,071	1,406	1,825
..... dollars...	9,753,073	8,945,001	3,403,993	2,051,529	1,574,547
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	4,848	1,279	1	5	67
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	4,921	3,345	85	186	540
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	2,159	2,030	99	324	578
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	2,632	2,578	699	864	636
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	224	218	187	27	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)	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...	518 18,808 2,438	351 9,496 905	183 1,727 200	488 4,966 510	165 1,065 268	24 1,325 136
Dry materials..... farms reporting... tons...	478 2,100	341 864	168 177	488 504	165 268	24 136
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	121 338	<del>404</del> 41	20 23	10 6	10 ...	...
<b>Crops on which used—</b>						
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	218 5,343 212 817	159 3,856 159 245	64 520 64 45	303 3,251 303 314	85 520 85 198	18 374 18 55
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	6 4	...	...	...	...	...
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	16 100 11 10	...	10 105 10 13	30 220 30 30	15 190 15 11	...
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	5 1	...	...	...	...	...
Sorghums..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	47 2,088 29 62	28 1,238 28 114	1 8 1 (2)	10 100 10 2	5 10 5 3	16 485 16 24
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	18 66	...	...	...	...	...
Barley..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	18 150 13 16	16 272 16 45	10 325 5 23	...	...	6 52 6 10
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	5 3	...	5 1	...	...	...
Cotton..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	339 7,370 296 818	187 2,359 172 335	51 313 41 26	60 300 60 62	25 110 25 15	6 176 6 14
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	103 194	25 18	10 10	10 4	...	...
All other crops..... farms reporting... acres... tons...	155 3,757 134 377	102 1,771 87 125	72 456 62 70	131 1,095 131 96	50 235 50 41	8 238 8 33
Liquid materials..... farms reporting... tons...	41 70	25 23	10 12	5 2	...	...
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting... acres limed... tons...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES</b>						
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting... dollars...	1,840 1,523 1,713,116	1,899 1,547 1,259,051	1,739 1,178 290,047	4,139 2,574 627,088	1,601 1,123 293,085	52 32 482,532
Under \$100..... farms reporting... dollars...	124	133	461	964	372	...
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting... dollars...	821	1,018	666	1,511	689	10
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	306	248	49	91	61	3
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting... dollars...	205	125	2	8	1	9
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting... dollars...	790 1,355,162	740 887,037	269 124,272	1,022 334,696	427 81,878	16 146,250
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting... dollars...	488	542	241	950	414	6
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting... dollars...	150	102	19	49	12	3
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	85	52	6	16	1	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	39	32	1	6	...	2
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting... dollars...	28	12	2	1	...	2
Machine hire..... farms reporting... dollars...	905 466,256	656 227,691	354 53,961	1,007 132,425	403 50,126	24 140,129
Under \$200..... farms reporting... dollars...	207	241	271	803	334	10
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting... dollars...	594	381	83	186	69	7
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting... dollars...	104	34	...	18	...	7
Hired labor..... farms reporting... dollars...	1,250 1,224,617	925 623,113	337 112,355	986 278,757	420 112,182	39 456,080
Under \$200..... farms reporting... dollars...	296	260	198	640	311	...
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting... dollars...	315	263	63	196	60	...
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting... dollars...	202	193	38	67	21	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting... dollars...	330	176	37	77	22	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	90	24	1	6	6	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	17	9	...	...	...	21
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	...	...	...	...	...	7
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	...	...	...	...	...	3
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting... dollars...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting... dollars...	750 142,257	602 102,851	308 32,794	734 94,682	323 34,625	22 41,770
Under \$100..... farms reporting... dollars...	312	305	254	574	215	5
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting... dollars...	385	255	35	131	95	5
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting... dollars...	33	25	9	12	7	7
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting... dollars...	20	17	10	17	6	5
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting... dollars...	1,822 1,026,980	1,868 662,774	1,458 225,178	3,903 431,147	1,380 155,385	51 221,540
Under \$100..... farms reporting... dollars...	106	286	814	2,693	870	6
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting... dollars...	835	1,145	554	1,077	482	17
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting... dollars...	626	331	72	106	15	8
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting... dollars...	255	106	18	27	13	14
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting... dollars...	...	...	...	...	...	6

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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...	196,114,104	190,006,854	102,750,384	39,415,433	26,251,346
.....average per farm, dollars...	12,358	19,390	95,939	28,014	14,290
All crops sold.....dollars...	86,930,582	85,014,357	43,654,318	20,737,177	12,430,960
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	78,309,401	77,271,170	38,212,132	19,897,439	11,829,861
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	3,600,956	3,516,001	2,673,008	450,325	241,132
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	3,296,214	2,985,623	1,928,588	322,679	297,842
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	1,724,011	1,241,563	840,590	66,734	62,125
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	109,183,522	104,992,497	59,096,066	18,678,256	13,820,386
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	3,999,879	3,790,309	1,872,765	779,907	537,344
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	9,317,157	9,210,296	4,765,066	2,238,849	1,576,699
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	95,866,486	91,991,892	52,458,235	15,659,500	11,706,343
<b>LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS</b>					
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	11,361	7,338	819	1,037	1,427
.....number...	1,064,379	1,003,062	435,190	182,713	166,385
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	10,712	6,982	743	973	1,358
.....number...	549,942	514,697	197,822	99,988	94,431
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	5,854	4,142	497	681	863
.....number...	35,016	31,962	10,927	7,413	6,637
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	9,204	6,331	691	865	1,261
.....number...	272,575	257,653	119,920	44,830	39,417
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	8,650	6,211	732	838	1,282
.....number...	241,862	230,712	117,448	37,895	32,537
Farms reporting by number on hand:					
Cattle and calves—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	453	220	17	47	36
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	1,869	750	78	146	134
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	1,565	522	56	65	60
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	1,665	767	33	32	82
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	2,092	1,408	40	93	255
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	1,452	1,420	61	178	262
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	1,837	1,830	254	374	575
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	428	421	280	102	23
Cows, including heifers that have calved—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	1,261	604	90	130	119
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	3,830	1,610	124	166	230
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	1,400	876	41	62	115
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	859	642	36	38	121
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	989	890	32	112	149
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	680	680	27	83	132
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	355	353	38	50	76
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	1,338	1,327	355	332	416
Milk cows—					
1 head.....farms reporting...	2,660	1,690	185	245	342
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	2,689	1,961	245	317	369
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	149	137	8	3	20
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	76	76	2	8	43
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	138	138	4	50	60
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	74	73	4	41	28
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	36	35	21	13	1
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	32	32	28	4	...
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...	8,513	5,490	698	724	1,011
.....number...	42,940	27,128	8,043	4,431	4,423
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	4,871	2,777	216	400	517
.....number...	58,725	46,415	7,415	11,853	8,387
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	2,966	1,722	129	263	312
.....number...	32,475	25,958	4,440	5,867	4,553
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	3,647	2,178	181	329	421
.....number...	26,250	20,457	2,975	5,986	3,834
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...	3,116	1,833	228	227	253
.....number...	973,618	840,478	328,114	202,531	123,334
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	2,232	1,281	170	189	154
.....number...	246,675	212,738	99,170	47,338	26,522
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	2,875	1,723	218	210	244
.....number...	726,943	627,740	228,944	155,193	96,812
Ewes.....farms reporting...	2,815	1,703	217	204	243
.....number...	684,802	591,174	216,228	144,208	90,289
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	1,853	1,240	188	170	186
.....number...	42,141	36,566	12,716	10,985	6,523
Goats and kids.....farms reporting...	1,125	597	35	61	52
.....number...	62,358	22,428	1,700	3,817	3,899
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...	8,058	4,914	384	703	978
.....number...	884,832	747,238	233,171	163,071	118,937
Livestock and livestock products sold:					
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...					
.....number...	9,328	6,393	713	842	1,255
.....dollars...	597,569	575,012	308,925	100,730	79,935
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	83,550,982	81,085,807	48,017,744	13,069,157	10,076,410
.....number...	1,771	1,228	104	240	257
.....dollars...	55,981	48,817	6,909	17,286	8,437
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	1,679,430	1,464,510	207,270	518,580	253,110
.....number...	2,434	1,520	214	203	223
.....dollars...	584,423	516,982	250,329	104,274	71,572
Milk and cream sold <sup>1</sup> .....farms reporting...	7,013,076	6,203,784	3,003,948	1,251,288	858,864
.....pounds...	1,010	860	76	159	239
.....dollars...	183,081,733	180,929,487	87,032,060	46,030,512	33,067,618
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	9,317,157	9,210,296	4,765,066	2,238,849	1,576,699
.....dollars...	1,336	922	71	117	144
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	213,804	194,329	68,425	43,151	27,746
.....dozens...	2,037	1,420	92	159	273
.....dollars...	7,636,440	7,184,864	2,777,624	1,888,170	1,119,432
.....dollars...	2,901,849	2,730,249	1,055,497	717,504	425,386

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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...	13,014,247	6,890,222	1,685,222	2,591,415	1,233,298	2,282,537
..... average per farm, dollars...	7,073	3,619	969	605	718	33,080
All crops sold..... dollars...	5,383,982	2,245,019	562,901	874,481	367,008	674,736
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold..... dollars...	4,983,066	1,935,384	413,288	593,419	230,674	194,138
Vegetables sold..... dollars...	61,870	62,880	26,786	47,145	23,360	14,450
Fruits and nuts sold..... dollars...	209,314	140,353	86,847	212,828	74,225	23,538
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold..... dollars...	129,732	106,402	35,980	21,089	18,749	442,610
All livestock and livestock products sold..... dollars...	7,630,265	4,645,203	1,122,321	1,716,934	866,290	1,607,801
Poultry and poultry products sold..... dollars...	294,187	250,807	55,299	107,502	89,199	12,869
Dairy products sold..... dollars...	467,081	139,540	23,061	19,745	15,360	71,756
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold..... dollars...	6,868,997	4,254,856	1,043,961	1,589,687	761,731	1,523,176
<b>LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS</b>						
Cattle and calves..... farms reporting...	1,476	1,514	1,065	2,844	1,147	32
..... number...	118,597	82,107	18,070	30,754	13,689	16,874
Cows, including heifers that have calved..... farms reporting...	1,432	1,466	1,010	2,608	1,091	31
..... number...	66,626	45,104	10,726	16,603	7,905	10,737
Milk cows..... farms reporting...	841	844	416	1,161	531	20
..... number...	3,551	2,458	976	1,857	921	276
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms reporting...	1,313	1,366	835	2,016	833	24
..... number...	26,772	20,286	4,428	8,741	3,474	2,707
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves..... farms reporting...	1,291	1,350	718	1,643	767	29
..... number...	23,199	16,717	2,916	5,410	2,310	3,430
Farms reporting by number on hand:						
Cattle and calves—						
1 head..... farms reporting...	32	19	69	188	45	...
2 to 4 head..... farms reporting...	112	110	170	775	343	1
5 to 9 head..... farms reporting...	89	103	149	796	242	5
10 to 19 head..... farms reporting...	161	171	288	621	272	5
20 to 49 head..... farms reporting...	254	407	359	439	238	7
50 to 99 head..... farms reporting...	374	517	28	25	7	...
100 to 499 head..... farms reporting...	446	180	1	...	...	7
500 or more head..... farms reporting...	8	7	1	...	...	7
Cows including heifers that have calved—						
1 head..... farms reporting...	92	78	95	465	191	1
2 to 9 head..... farms reporting...	312	334	444	1,619	596	5
10 to 19 head..... farms reporting...	154	184	320	301	213	10
20 to 29 head..... farms reporting...	128	213	106	145	72	...
30 to 49 head..... farms reporting...	165	395	37	78	19	2
50 to 74 head..... farms reporting...	261	171	6	...	...	...
75 to 99 head..... farms reporting...	144	44	1	...	...	2
100 or more head..... farms reporting...	176	47	1	...	...	11
Milk cows—						
1 head..... farms reporting...	316	393	209	702	266	2
2 to 9 head..... farms reporting...	431	404	195	459	264	5
10 to 19 head..... farms reporting...	52	42	12	...	1	11
20 to 29 head..... farms reporting...	19	5	...	...	...	...
30 to 49 head..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	...
50 to 74 head..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	1
75 to 99 head..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	1
100 or more head..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Horses and/or mules..... farms reporting...	1,014	1,030	1,013	2,232	775	16
..... number...	3,862	3,971	2,798	6,301	1,831	7,680
Hogs and pigs..... farms reporting...	534	531	579	1,556	515	23
..... number...	7,737	7,222	3,801	8,860	2,522	928
Born since June 1..... farms reporting...	4,886	4,174	2,038	4,501	1,442	574
..... number...	394	400	453	1,088	365	16
Born before June 1..... farms reporting...	2,851	3,048	1,763	4,359	1,080	354
..... number...	298	360	467	922	348	13
Lambs under 1 year old..... farms reporting...	90,877	64,151	31,471	36,829	23,097	73,214
..... number...	208	236	324	668	271	12
18,465..... farms reporting...	275	340	6,956	9,829	6,009	18,099
..... number...	72,432	49,864	24,515	807	332	13
Ewes..... farms reporting...	275	335	429	792	307	13
..... number...	69,534	47,929	22,986	25,777	16,199	51,652
Rams and wethers..... farms reporting...	193	198	305	405	195	13
..... number...	2,878	1,935	1,529	1,223	889	3,463
Goats and kids..... farms reporting...	81	121	247	397	124	7
..... number...	6,557	2,305	4,150	6,046	2,037	31,847
Chickens 4 months old and over..... farms reporting...	1,016	993	840	2,132	999	13
..... number...	101,860	95,281	34,918	82,805	50,895	3,894
Livestock and livestock products sold:						
Cattle and calves sold alive..... farms reporting...	1,328	1,383	872	2,067	844	24
..... number...	48,766	30,481	6,175	10,144	4,913	7,500
..... dollars...	5,797,510	3,461,809	703,177	1,146,652	529,994	788,529
Hogs and pigs sold alive..... farms reporting...	244	228	155	369	155	19
..... number...	8,024	6,176	1,985	4,734	1,938	492
..... dollars...	240,720	185,280	59,550	142,020	58,140	14,760
Sheep and lambs sold alive..... farms reporting...	220	286	374	618	282	14
..... number...	42,556	33,219	15,032	15,421	8,604	43,416
..... dollars...	510,672	398,628	180,384	185,052	103,248	520,992
Milk and cream sold <sup>1</sup> ..... farms reporting...	182	160	44	68	70	12
..... pounds...	10,398,147	3,659,791	741,359	459,388	400,408	1,292,450
..... dollars...	467,081	139,540	23,061	19,745	15,360	71,756
Chickens including broilers sold..... farms reporting...	245	241	104	227	179	8
..... dollars...	21,379	23,330	10,298	9,755	8,537	1,183
Chicken eggs sold..... farms reporting...	367	375	154	315	294	8
..... dozens...	696,512	591,340	111,786	230,891	195,195	25,490
..... dollars...	264,675	224,708	42,479	87,738	74,176	9,686

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 [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... 1,749	1,222	95	218	257
	number of litters... 8,869	6,863	859	1,816	1,094
1 or 2 litters.....	farms reporting... 896	580	31	75	125
3 to 9 litters.....	farms reporting... 622	461	32	101	99
10 to 19 litters.....	farms reporting... 142	98	23	13	27
20 to 39 litters.....	farms reporting... 70	69	5	21	6
40 to 69 litters.....	farms reporting... 16	11	3	6	...
70 or more litters.....	farms reporting... 3	3	1	2	...
June 2 to November 30.....	farms reporting... 1,409	983	84	167	201
	number of litters... 4,529	3,463	496	876	474
December 1 to June 1.....	farms reporting... 1,092	824	69	170	183
	number of litters... 4,340	3,400	363	940	620
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>					
Corn for all purposes.....					
	farms reporting... 2,783	1,571	130	193	228
	acres... 35,207	25,378	6,660	3,764	4,012
Under 11 acres.....	farms reporting... 2,160	1,062	37	103	146
11 to 24 acres.....	farms reporting... 339	267	35	47	27
25 to 49 acres.....	farms reporting... 150	119	19	22	36
50 to 74 acres.....	farms reporting... 52	46	13	7	6
75 to 99 acres.....	farms reporting... 24	24	9	9	1
100 or more acres.....	farms reporting... 58	53	17	12	5
Harvested for grain.....	farms reporting... 2,230	1,178	61	114	184
	acres... 21,689	13,855	2,612	1,583	2,750
	bushels... 585,510	432,136	87,970	62,525	88,591
Sales.....	farms reporting... 429	237	15	30	44
	bushels... 200,771	172,601	14,910	29,756	37,451
Sorghums for all purposes.....					
	farms reporting... 2,724	2,465	331	535	586
	acres... 297,060	289,495	52,827	76,087	67,239
Harvested for grain or seed.....	farms reporting... 1,813	1,709	222	395	409
	acres... 227,595	224,102	40,587	64,118	51,009
	pounds... 396,740,284	391,555,494	107,461,450	118,201,325	89,265,029
Sales.....	farms reporting... 1,449	1,381	162	331	349
	pounds... 332,717,310	328,112,620	91,604,550	98,930,075	75,366,025
Winter wheat harvested.....					
	farms reporting... 1,344	1,047	131	198	280
	acres... 208,837	203,056	61,956	49,458	52,411
	bushels... 3,363,912	3,298,294	1,362,078	788,172	715,565
Sales.....	farms reporting... 1,154	968	129	197	265
	bushels... 3,156,156	3,103,461	1,288,189	754,377	674,122
Spring wheat harvested.....					
	farms reporting... 269	149	5	5	14
	acres... 2,486	1,929	332	465	230
	bushels... 48,675	40,518	13,430	7,338	5,550
Sales.....	farms reporting... 87	54	2	5	8
	bushels... 38,811	34,621	12,900	7,318	4,560
Barley harvested.....					
	farms reporting... 858	635	168	146	99
	acres... 25,372	24,071	10,556	4,706	4,013
	bushels... 762,652	732,775	378,347	158,025	82,295
Sales.....	farms reporting... 407	366	109	96	65
	bushels... 483,250	474,165	225,664	116,910	60,321
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....					
	farms reporting... 368	348	11	79	126
	acres... 5,591	5,521	379	1,701	2,484
	pounds... 10,136,990	10,062,990	589,200	3,454,285	4,528,780
Dry field and seed beans harvested for beans.....					
	farms reporting... 415	300	18	46	67
	acres... 12,667	11,076	1,506	1,495	1,810
	100-lb. bags... 66,452	60,370	10,229	17,710	10,237
Hay crops:					
Land from which hay was cut.....					
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for hay and for dehydrating.....	farms reporting... 5,070	2,980	466	531	545
	acres... 138,849	120,463	53,251	23,128	17,326
	tons... 491,755	452,417	240,626	87,092	56,053
Sales.....	farms reporting... 2,494	1,649	329	347	308
	tons... 288,840	272,545	150,346	57,858	28,193
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses cut for hay.....					
	farms reporting... 612	234	10	15	26
	acres... 11,370	6,223	956	670	1,173
	tons... 13,744	8,803	1,386	1,470	1,347
Sales.....	farms reporting... 155	58	...	...	9
	tons... 2,141	1,201	...	...	332
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grains cut for hay.....					
	farms reporting... 840	404	60	38	61
	acres... 14,400	10,256	2,680	1,498	2,042
	tons... 14,713	11,131	3,284	1,891	2,027
Sales.....	farms reporting... 147	54	18	4	13
	tons... 2,082	1,464	322	365	344
Wild hay cut.....					
	farms reporting... 310	156	30	22	18
	acres... 15,984	13,542	7,014	2,345	1,438
	tons... 13,766	11,923	6,175	1,731	1,118
Sales.....	farms reporting... 50	14	1	1	1
	tons... 999	362	50	22	100
Other hay cut.....					
	farms reporting... 389	241	10	32	42
	acres... 13,353	12,128	1,215	2,223	2,522
	tons... 12,110	10,865	1,173	1,786	2,009
Sales.....	farms reporting... 97	69	...	10	9
	tons... 2,882	2,753	...	622	369
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa, clover, or small grains.....					
	farms reporting... 6	6	...	...	1
	acres... 35	35	...	...	20
	tons, green weight... 265	265	...	...	160

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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>						
Litters farrowed December 1, 1958, to						
November 30, 1959.....farms reporting...	244	229	179	382	124	21
.....number of litters...	1,365	1,216	513	1,278	582	146
1 or 2 litters.....farms reporting...	133	121	95	254	52	10
.....farms reporting...	66	79	84	102	56	3
8 to 9 litters.....farms reporting...	22	13	...	21	16	7
10 to 19 litters.....farms reporting...	22	15	...	...	...	1
20 to 39 litters.....farms reporting...	1	1	...	5	...	...
40 to 69 litters.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	...
70 or more litters.....farms reporting...	186	193	152	305	105	16
June 2 to November 30.....number of litters...	694	607	316	661	338	67
December 1 to June 1.....farms reporting...	160	150	92	191	61	16
.....number of litters...	671	609	197	617	244	79
<b>SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Com for all purposes.....farms reporting...	231	337	452	816	364	32
.....acres...	4,746	3,931	2,265	3,739	1,655	4,435
Under 11 acres.....farms reporting...	137	256	383	746	327	25
11 to 24 acres.....farms reporting...	54	44	60	43	27	2
25 to 49 acres.....farms reporting...	21	14	7	21	10	...
50 to 74 acres.....farms reporting...	1	17	2	6	...	...
75 to 99 acres.....farms reporting...	5	...	...	...	...	...
100 or more acres.....farms reporting...	13	6	...	...	...	5
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting...	154	284	381	718	312	22
.....acres...	2,688	2,716	1,506	2,729	1,376	3,729
.....bushels...	78,435	88,505	26,110	50,645	35,919	66,810
Sales.....farms reporting...	54	71	23	135	55	2
.....bushels...	39,550	48,625	2,309	14,020	13,320	830
Sorghums for all purposes.....farms reporting...	556	359	98	158	84	17
.....acres...	58,776	28,689	5,877	5,169	1,625	771
Harvested for grain or seed.....farms reporting...	382	234	67	57	35	12
.....acres...	43,523	20,367	4,498	1,950	780	763
.....pounds...	50,141,670	22,171,480	4,314,540	3,133,300	1,143,200	908,290
Sales.....farms reporting...	310	179	50	47	15	6
.....pounds...	41,790,330	18,772,500	1,649,140	2,960,800	946,200	697,690
Winter wheat harvested.....farms reporting...	217	129	92	182	101	14
.....acres...	26,274	12,036	921	2,236	2,566	979
.....bushels...	320,533	101,596	10,350	30,083	23,515	12,020
Sales.....farms reporting...	203	109	65	119	53	14
.....bushels...	289,111	90,177	7,485	23,409	18,320	10,966
Spring wheat harvested.....farms reporting...	12	32	81	71	46	3
.....acres...	224	363	315	240	117	200
.....bushels...	4,328	6,827	3,045	3,670	1,555	2,932
Sales.....farms reporting...	8	16	15	20	10	3
.....bushels...	3,043	6,250	550	1,800	220	2,170
Barley harvested.....farms reporting...	98	58	66	131	86	6
.....acres...	2,606	1,396	794	737	437	127
.....bushels...	69,656	28,181	16,271	16,983	11,395	1,499
Sales.....farms reporting...	45	30	21	30	10	1
.....bushels...	49,825	14,520	6,925	3,215	5,800	70
Peanuts harvested for picking						
or threshing.....farms reporting...	77	45	10	5	15	...
.....acres...	712	230	15	15	55	...
.....pounds...	1,203,290	266,805	20,630	15,000	59,000	...
Dry field and seed beans						
harvested for beans.....farms reporting...	48	59	62	77	32	6
.....acres...	2,008	3,214	1,043	727	492	372
.....100-lb. bags...	12,678	6,137	3,379	3,490	809	1,783
Hay crops:						
Land from which hay was cut.....acres...	19,650	14,784	8,712	20,103	7,209	4,032
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for						
hay and for dehydrating.....farms reporting...	455	448	535	1,480	578	32
.....acres...	12,086	9,301	5,371	10,876	3,821	3,689
.....tons...	33,474	24,668	10,504	23,325	7,394	8,619
Sales.....farms reporting...	228	220	217	637	188	20
.....tons...	17,762	13,079	5,307	10,354	2,298	3,643
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover						
and grasses cut for hay.....farms reporting...	34	24	125	264	114	...
.....acres...	1,406	693	1,325	3,851	1,296	...
.....tons...	1,589	1,051	1,960	3,615	1,326	...
Sales.....farms reporting...	7	6	36	81	16	...
.....tons...	250	80	539	795	145	...
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small						
grains cut for hay.....farms reporting...	77	74	94	322	110	4
.....acres...	1,712	1,811	513	2,754	1,086	304
.....tons...	1,655	1,614	660	2,400	809	373
Sales.....farms reporting...	12	1	6	72	20	1
.....tons...	198	20	215	488	110	20
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting...	29	26	31	108	46	...
.....acres...	1,323	1,079	343	1,717	725	...
.....tons...	1,200	1,083	616	1,166	677	...
Sales.....farms reporting...	2	2	7	25	11	...
.....tons...	45	70	75	345	292	...
Other hay cut.....farms reporting...	54	49	54	115	26	7
.....acres...	3,108	1,900	1,160	905	281	39
.....tons...	2,754	1,790	1,353	934	264	47
Sales.....farms reporting...	16	14	20	21	1	6
.....tons...	1,190	492	80	90	4	35
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa,						
clover, or small grains.....farms reporting...	5	...	...	...	...	...
.....acres...	15	...	...	...	...	...
.....tons, green weight...	105	...	...	...	...	...

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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					
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting...	351	315	10	53	90
acres...	42,025	40,824	2,720	9,303	12,742
tons of brush...	7,013	6,887	603	2,148	2,064
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting...	2,983	2,812	550	704	717
acres...	186,822	185,652	94,463	47,994	28,431
bales...	291,934	290,599	158,662	75,618	38,080
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting...	86	52	7	7	6
acres <sup>2</sup> ..	1,348	1,214	880	111	105
hundredweight...	244,759	241,839	184,000	23,600	14,674
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting...	900	599	128	116	93
Sales.....dollars...	3,600,956	3,516,001	2,673,008	450,325	241,132
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees <sup>3</sup> .....farms reporting...	2,283	1,076	116	134	140
acres...	14,543	11,066	5,393	1,663	948

<sup>2</sup> Reported in small fractions.

<sup>1</sup> Includes milk equivalent of cream and butterfat sold.

<sup>2</sup> Does not include acreage for farms with less than 10 hundredweight 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>						
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting...	104	38	20	21	10	5
acres...	11,467	3,717	875	751	325	125
tons of brush...	1,427	552	93	41	35	50
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting...	465	289	87	100	65	6
acres...	10,348	3,765	651	530	420	220
bales...	13,144	4,286	809	695	430	210
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting...	7	20	5	5	25	4
acres <sup>2</sup> ...	78	15	25	(2)	20	114
hundredweight...	15,180	1,885	2,500	25	1,890	1,005
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting...	86	85	91	211	81	9
Sales.....dollars...	61,870	62,880	26,786	47,145	23,360	14,450
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees <sup>3</sup> .....farms reporting...	174	183	329	819	371	17
acres...	847	1,011	1,204	2,315	970	192