

County Table 4.—CHARACTERISTICS OF COMMERCIAL FARMS, CENSUS OF 1959

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

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	The State	Bernalillo	Catron	Chaves	Colfax	Curry	De Baca	Doña Ana	Eddy
Farms, acreage, and value:									
1 All commercial farms..... number.....	9,789	164	176	559	269	589	152	755	482
2 Land in farms..... acres.....	38,777,491	411,754	1,394,317	2,790,907	2,258,991	750,666	1,228,151	423,692	1,080,321
3 Average size of farm..... acres.....	3,940.9	2,510.7	7,922.3	4,992.7	8,397.7	1,274.5	8,079.9	561.2	2,241.3
4 Value of land and buildings..... average per farm, dollars.....	83,047	58,811	44,171	134,195	101,446	97,942	90,487	104,031	91,248
5..... average per acre, dollars.....	27.21	98.38	14.52	48.14	23.06	78.90	14.26	206.63	58.54
6 Cropland harvested..... farms reporting.....	6,553	108	43	396	200	491	72	713	367
7..... acres.....	1,015,149	4,331	1,799	77,216	30,869	202,618	3,412	76,351	52,258
Farm operators:									
8 Working off their farms, total..... number.....	2,895	29	62	133	96	212	26	253	141
9 100 or more days..... number.....	1,504	28	43	58	71	106	9	148	106
10 With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold..... number.....	1,102	38	33	49	34	84	9	53	50
By tenure:									
11 Full owners..... number.....	4,165	104	101	161	81	236	71	304	165
12 Part owners..... number.....	4,069	17	61	259	157	246	78	331	181
13 Managers..... number.....	178	13	...	16	10	4	...	21	7
14 All tenants..... number.....	1,377	30	14	123	21	103	3	99	129
Specified equipment and facilities:									
15 Grain combines..... farms reporting.....	1,815	16	16	63	51	363	21	31	55
16..... number.....	2,118	16	16	73	64	471	21	34	62
17 Corn pickers..... farms reporting.....	111	1	...	11	21	5	...	12	...
18..... number.....	114	1	...	13	22	5	...	12	...
19 Pick-up balers..... farms reporting.....	1,714	18	17	200	135	45	23	162	167
20..... number.....	1,838	25	17	231	138	51	23	163	187
21 Motortrucks..... farms reporting.....	8,439	111	168	507	249	536	144	653	416
22..... number.....	14,099	203	245	1,063	457	1,171	226	1,080	763
23 Tractors other than garden..... farms reporting.....	6,696	66	81	433	229	523	98	695	331
24..... number.....	14,232	153	106	1,454	462	1,215	151	1,847	994
25 Automobiles..... farms reporting.....	7,120	142	134	439	196	506	136	645	430
26..... number.....	9,222	239	155	594	264	681	165	966	582
27 Telephone..... farms reporting.....	4,603	131	17	370	133	455	89	591	310
28 Home freezer..... farms reporting.....	6,027	101	96	388	209	432	123	441	307
29 Milking machine..... farms reporting.....	542	25	6	11	28	58	5	18	13
30 Electric milk cooler..... farms reporting.....	449	21	...	11	25	29	5	17	18
Farms by kind of road on which located:									
31 Hard surface..... farms reporting.....	2,429	74	41	123	70	179	46	364	244
32 Gravel, shell, or shale..... farms reporting.....	1,008	10	7	189	22	2	10	180	52
33 Dirt or unimproved..... farms reporting.....	6,031	72	121	227	176	407	93	204	176
Farm labor, week preceding enumeration:									
34 Family and/or hired workers..... farms reporting.....	8,347	113	162	494	255	498	144	673	417
35 Family workers, including operator..... farms reporting.....	7,919	93	156	454	230	480	138	641	391
36 Operators working 1 or more hours..... persons.....	7,725	93	155	437	224	474	135	632	379
37 Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 or more hours..... farms reporting.....	2,741	56	59	77	118	183	40	125	127
38..... persons.....	4,175	96	99	101	158	240	61	198	217
39 Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)..... farms reporting.....	2,572	44	26	295	66	89	38	430	211
40..... persons.....	7,047	193	43	817	165	132	54	2,138	639
Livestock and poultry on farms:									
41 Cattle and calves..... farms reporting.....	7,334	58	172	387	262	428	125	309	306
42..... number.....	1,006,696	14,129	32,732	53,135	58,428	35,398	28,107	19,488	44,934
43 Milk cows..... farms reporting.....	4,139	20	80	237	176	229	71	186	171
44..... number.....	31,956	3,688	148	691	988	1,668	564	1,462	1,722
45 Horses and/or mules..... farms reporting.....	5,478	63	158	277	173	165	89	188	249
46..... number.....	27,563	192	853	1,767	1,478	411	488	611	1,191
47 Hogs and pigs..... farms reporting.....	2,777	32	30	127	107	193	34	175	117
48..... number.....	46,529	1,798	76	2,656	2,448	5,317	763	2,756	1,636
49 Chickens, 4 months old and over..... farms reporting.....	4,918	57	70	263	170	312	76	230	209
50..... number.....	747,608	199,016	2,777	48,905	13,578	63,965	3,984	78,839	36,081
Livestock and poultry sold:									
51 Cattle, not counting calves, sold alive..... farms reporting.....	4,515	33	132	225	198	282	97	93	157
52..... number.....	314,112	4,310	9,415	12,307	22,892	31,191	8,393	7,024	24,491
53 Calves sold alive..... farms reporting.....	4,689	48	139	208	177	255	63	73	141
54..... number.....	259,939	2,468	8,598	15,002	14,240	10,811	6,441	2,219	7,303
55 Hogs and pigs sold alive..... farms reporting.....	1,232	7	1	70	72	129	23	48	40
56..... number.....	48,797	4,257	12	2,802	3,544	4,424	1,259	2,662	1,405
57 Sheep and lambs sold alive..... farms reporting.....	1,517	22	6	187	33	15	25	56	90
58..... number.....	514,982	9,065	346	166,812	5,070	2,775	11,497	1,220	50,465
59 Chickens including broilers sold..... farms reporting.....	912	30	10	48	61	106	20	21	36
60..... number.....	314,546	76,750	350	30,529	4,032	23,582	975	52,275	12,739
Livestock and poultry products sold:									
61 Chicken eggs sold..... farms reporting.....	1,420	30	18	75	83	137	31	22	47
62..... dozens.....	7,184,864	2,212,875	4,435	495,209	41,062	611,857	28,533	853,895	452,379
63 Milk and cream sold..... farms reporting.....	860	20	1	19	62	82	11	12	34
64..... dollars.....	9,210,413	1,873,874	400	78,300	109,265	415,073	205,610	480,900	537,636
65 Wool..... farms reporting.....	1,671	27	8	191	43	16	32	58	109
66..... pounds.....	7,505,934	183,900	6,860	2,080,099	52,041	5,465	175,181	11,357	716,845
Specified farm expenditures:									
67 Any specified farm expenditures..... farms reporting.....	9,782	164	176	559	269	589	152	755	482
68..... dollars.....	87,778,674	2,501,404	889,224	9,187,434	3,339,378	7,007,196	1,486,633	11,033,066	7,435,857
69 Feed for livestock and poultry..... dollars.....	19,428,449	1,445,677	234,782	1,434,895	663,303	1,999,718	613,444	1,237,006	967,134
70 Purchase of livestock and poultry..... dollars.....	26,888,805	306,924	351,247	2,583,207	1,891,930	3,136,132	521,766	913,002	2,414,365
71 Machine hire..... dollars.....	6,934,388	27,215	10,753	998,865	80,155	286,286	60,899	1,527,738	999,110
72 Hired labor..... dollars.....	24,166,380	626,830	173,024	3,190,809	458,377	638,068	165,036	5,926,051	2,367,787
73 Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... dollars.....	8,944,476	80,471	118,313	877,643	214,282	795,648	114,998	1,187,960	608,037
74 Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... dollars.....	1,416,176	14,287	1,105	102,015	31,331	151,344	10,490	241,309	79,424
Crops harvested:									
75 Sorghums for all purposes..... farms reporting.....	2,462	1	5	134	46	412	22	45	81
76..... acres.....	290,687	22	20	5,112	2,909	89,466	843	939	3,155
77 Winter wheat..... farms reporting.....	1,047	7	1	3	33	361	...	...	5
78..... acres.....	202,864	505	75	22	2,070	100,788	...	...	100
79 Spring wheat..... farms reporting.....	3,309,457	6,475	1,050	660	43,902	1,935,193	...	...	6,000
80..... acres.....	144	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
81..... acres.....	1,879	...	...	...	275	...	...	...	...
82 Cotton..... farms reporting.....	38,868	...	...	...	4,176	...	...	...	...
83..... acres.....	2,817	...	...	...	343	...	...	...	...
84..... acres.....	185,197	...	...	...	33,204	...	...	...	...
85..... bales.....	289,489	...	...	...	59,080	...	...	...	...
86 Land from which hay was cut..... acres.....	162,412	1,957	612	29,861	17,178	...	...	...	...
87 Vegetables for sale (other than Irish and sweet potatoes)..... farms reporting.....	599	20	...	6	...	2	...	173	33
88..... dollars.....	3,516,001	123,375	...	850	...	2,020	2,770	1,991,323	33,225

County Table 4.—CHARACTERISTICS OF COMMERCIAL

[Data are based on reports for only

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Grant	Guadalupe	Harding	Hidalgo	Lea	Lincoln	Los Alamos	Luna	McKinley	Mora
Farms, acreage, and value:										
1 All commercial farms..... number.....	123	169	162	139	507	205	...	241	158	205
2 Land in farms..... acres.....	1,029,109	1,518,227	1,160,019	1,748,136	2,155,140	1,982,304	...	934,989	534,123	988,943
3 Average size of farm..... acres.....	8,366.7	8,983.6	7,160.6	12,576.5	4,250.8	9,669.8	...	3,879.6	3,380.5	4,824.1
4 Value of land and buildings..... average per farm, dollars.....	101,096	104,809	100,310	174,752	103,787	108,236	...	95,532	19,899	85,198
5 Value of land and buildings..... average per acre, dollars.....	14.07	11.97	13.73	13.70	33.57	14.55	...	28.95	8.74	18.59
6 Cropland harvested..... farms reporting.....	41	44	93	95	343	67	...	178	25	139
7 Cropland harvested..... acres.....	1,797	1,216	23,670	12,793	71,161	4,222	...	26,166	2,892	12,274
Farm operators:										
8 Working off their farms, total..... number.....	40	45	66	28	127	49	...	57	30	65
9 100 or more days..... number.....	34	28	43	10	55	20	...	35	9	21
10 With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold..... number.....	27	11	31	8	57	18	...	16	14	20
By tenure:										
11 Full owners..... number.....	31	54	38	41	162	68	...	121	84	95
12 Part owners..... number.....	75	97	91	81	205	136	...	97	22	77
13 Managers..... number.....	5	4	5	4	7	1	...	...	3	6
14 All tenants..... number.....	12	14	28	13	133	...	...	23	49	27
Specified equipment and facilities:										
15 Grain combines..... farms reporting.....	11	1	40	23	111	7	...	59	7	16
16 Grain combines..... number.....	11	1	46	23	115	7	...	75	13	18
17 Corn pickers..... farms reporting.....	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
18 Corn pickers..... number.....	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
19 Pick-up balers..... farms reporting.....	25	22	15	36	109	18	...	30	3	55
20 Pick-up balers..... number.....	27	23	18	37	113	19	...	30	3	59
21 Motortrucks..... farms reporting.....	114	156	138	123	460	187	...	235	82	145
22 Motortrucks..... number.....	217	255	253	229	814	361	...	431	102	256
23 Tractors other than garden..... farms reporting.....	65	64	109	100	392	112	...	197	21	91
24 Tractors other than garden..... number.....	138	82	189	262	891	170	...	515	34	180
25 Automobiles..... farms reporting.....	100	85	124	97	451	143	...	214	27	110
26 Automobiles..... number.....	134	104	173	122	572	194	...	286	31	125
27 Telephone..... farms reporting.....	50	25	44	34	303	83	...	107	14	48
28 Home freezer..... farms reporting.....	90	62	110	104	369	140	...	207	15	111
29 Milking machine..... farms reporting.....	...	...	2	5	16	2	...	15	...	3
30 Electric milk cooler..... farms reporting.....	...	...	...	5	10	2	...	15	...	2
Farms by kind of road on which located:										
31 Hard surface..... farms reporting.....	29	17	15	21	69	43	...	89	6	45
32 Gravel, shell, or shale..... farms reporting.....	4	2	5	11	94	14	...	26	9	11
33 Dirt or unimproved..... farms reporting.....	87	138	142	104	332	140	...	124	110	142
Farm labor, week preceding enumeration:										
34 Family and/or hired workers..... farms reporting.....	115	158	138	131	427	196	...	238	75	167
35 Family workers, including operator..... farms reporting.....	111	151	131	117	405	182	...	223	69	155
36 Operators working 1 or more hours..... persons.....	106	149	130	113	381	175	...	221	69	149
37 Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 or more hours..... farms reporting.....	52	77	60	28	92	64	...	47	47	50
38 Unpaid members of operator's family working 15 or more hours..... persons.....	97	113	97	33	139	89	...	54	134	57
39 Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)..... farms reporting.....	43	39	37	77	173	70	...	144	10	40
40 Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)..... persons.....	76	64	94	189	396	147	...	356	16	101
Livestock and poultry on farms:										
41 Cattle and calves..... farms reporting.....	122	153	148	115	377	180	...	176	33	175
42 Cattle and calves..... number.....	35,935	29,351	38,931	37,854	49,964	29,441	...	28,681	5,880	28,267
43 Milk cows..... farms reporting.....	80	66	83	78	224	87	...	126	10	75
44 Milk cows..... number.....	166	217	224	256	1,367	310	...	385	17	332
45 Horses and/or mules..... farms reporting.....	113	141	105	92	236	163	...	158	83	173
46 Horses and/or mules..... number.....	781	792	970	923	1,064	1,169	...	879	398	815
47 Hogs and pigs..... farms reporting.....	19	42	16	54	170	15	...	76	18	69
48 Hogs and pigs..... number.....	493	151	358	1,670	4,340	104	...	2,130	289	491
49 Chickens, 4 months old and over..... farms reporting.....	76	82	92	73	271	85	...	147	48	110
50 Chickens, 4 months old and over..... number.....	1,856	3,041	5,608	1,756	29,151	2,870	...	28,246	1,546	3,817
Livestock and poultry sold:										
51 Cattle, not counting calves, sold alive..... farms reporting.....	96	99	123	71	219	133	...	86	26	88
52 Cattle, not counting calves, sold alive..... number.....	9,082	5,156	12,005	8,353	8,201	5,145	...	9,455	2,654	9,404
53 Calves sold alive..... farms reporting.....	100	140	121	66	193	134	...	100	23	122
54 Calves sold alive..... number.....	9,963	8,386	11,173	11,549	11,247	8,798	...	5,892	2,286	6,183
55 Hogs and pigs sold alive..... farms reporting.....	15	12	8	37	124	3	...	42	12	16
56 Hogs and pigs sold alive..... number.....	254	74	256	986	4,488	46	...	1,901	151	155
57 Sheep and lambs sold alive..... farms reporting.....	1	50	14	...	93	104	...	13	111	60
58 Sheep and lambs sold alive..... number.....	146	25,004	945	...	20,157	85,053	...	335	12,187	9,484
59 Chickens including broilers sold..... farms reporting.....	6	10	19	17	41	12	...	21	2	8
60 Chickens including broilers sold..... number.....	110	589	616	1,241	6,200	1,281	...	21,578	330	255
Livestock and poultry products sold:										
61 Chicken eggs sold..... farms reporting.....	21	14	27	16	59	11	...	36	4	21
62 Chicken eggs sold..... dozens.....	4,395	3,252	11,278	2,860	316,729	2,630	...	417,385	9,710	2,784
63 Milk and cream sold..... farms reporting.....	1	8	10	1	40	4	...	16	...	8
64 Milk and cream sold..... dollars.....	500	6,767	2,736	355	382,945	56,805	...	69,050	...	68,513
65 Wool..... farms reporting.....	2	54	14	1	108	108	...	12	118	74
66 Wool..... pounds.....	3,400	402,645	20,276	636	421,859	1,433,098	...	2,420	107,318	138,527
Specified farm expenditures:										
67 Any specified farm expenditures..... farms reporting.....	123	169	161	139	502	205	...	241	158	205
68 Any specified farm expenditures..... dollars.....	862,634	1,097,668	1,328,036	2,140,438	4,859,882	1,665,101	...	3,847,817	439,681	1,209,729
69 Feed for livestock and poultry..... dollars.....	182,391	381,552	395,756	315,985	890,006	472,240	...	356,265	129,776	330,710
70 Purchase of livestock and poultry..... dollars.....	279,223	411,779	428,629	633,062	669,105	465,512	...	1,279,717	223,863	511,296
71 Machine hire..... dollars.....	33,298	12,416	39,096	147,625	607,492	73,498	...	517,987	4,532	9,269
72 Hired labor..... dollars.....	251,729	197,316	314,464	734,975	1,909,984	441,786	...	1,175,773	63,808	274,867
73 Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... dollars.....	108,104	93,611	146,432	285,815	653,511	188,518	...	451,351	17,692	79,790
74 Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... dollars.....	7,889	994	3,659	22,976	129,784	23,547	...	66,724	10	3,797
Crops harvested:										
75 Sorghums for all purposes..... farms reporting.....	9	13	27	67	244	9	...	127	...	3
76 Sorghums for all purposes..... acres.....	172	119	3,687	3,563	27,853	244	...	5,757	...	261
77 Winter wheat..... farms reporting.....	2	6	41	1	1	1	...	...	5	6
78 Winter wheat..... acres.....	22	65	8,610	40	10	12	...	...	350	1,434
79 Spring wheat..... bushels.....	365	1,900	126,568	400	350	720	...	...	3,565	25,923
80 Spring wheat..... farms reporting.....	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
81 Spring wheat..... acres.....	...	...	240	...	...	...	...	...	...	135
82 Spring wheat..... bushels.....	...	...	12,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,575
83 Cotton..... farms reporting.....	7	...	...	76	294	1	...	...	...	...
84 Cotton..... acres.....	129	...	...	5,429	24,320	250	...	14,408	...	...
85 Cotton..... bales.....	224	...	...	9,645	31,472	300	...	27,404	...	...
86 Land from which hay was cut..... acres.....	975	823	5,698	1,024	7,203	2,461	...	1,387	128	8,686
87 Vegetables for sale (other than Irish and sweet potatoes)..... farms reporting.....	1	6	1	6	53	2	...	45	1	...
88 Vegetables for sale (other than Irish and sweet potatoes)..... dollars.....	36	390	100	14,500	343,450	350	...	425,930	30	...

