

## GENERAL REPORT

Table 29.—PERCENT OF COMMERCIAL FARMS REPORTING EXPENDITURES FOR FEED FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR EACH TYPE OF FARM BY VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD, FOR THE CONTERMINOUS UNITED STATES: 1959 AND 1954

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

Value of farm products sold and year	Percent of farms reporting expenditures for feed for livestock and poultry by type of farm										
	Total	Cash-grain farms	Cotton farms	Other field-crop farms other than cash-grain and cotton	Vegetable farms	Fruit-and-nut farms	Poultry farms	Dairy farms	Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy	General farms	Miscellaneous farms
All commercial farms.....1959..	79.8	67.2	50.4	62.4	35.0	25.5	99.8	99.5	94.5	86.0	38.1
Farms with value of farm products sold of—											
\$2,500 or more.....1959..	82.4	69.1	53.9	64.9	31.5	24.6	100.0	99.7	96.2	87.9	36.7
.....1954..	80.1	74.2	54.2	61.5	41.0	32.3	98.5	96.4	94.8	89.2	38.2
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....1959..	77.7	59.3	51.0	63.3	36.6	27.4	99.7	99.3	93.6	84.7	48.4
.....1954..	75.7	64.8	51.5	59.6	48.1	34.3	97.9	94.5	92.5	87.5	51.6
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....1959..	84.7	70.9	59.4	68.3	37.1	25.7	100.0	99.7	96.4	90.0	40.9
.....1954..	84.8	78.8	58.5	66.0	41.4	32.5	98.4	97.1	95.1	91.2	41.5
\$10,000 or more.....1959..	84.2	73.7	53.7	63.1	26.2	22.7	100.0	99.9	98.0	88.8	26.9
.....1954..	83.0	78.0	56.9	61.8	35.3	30.9	99.0	98.3	96.5	88.9	27.2
Under \$2,500.....1959..	64.2	45.6	43.6	56.0	49.2	35.4	98.3	97.7	82.5	72.4	44.6

Table 30.—AVERAGE EXPENDITURES FOR FEED FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PER FARM REPORTING FOR COMMERCIAL FARMS FOR EACH TYPE OF FARM, BY VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD, FOR THE CONTERMINOUS UNITED STATES: 1959 AND 1954

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

Value of farm products sold and year	Average expenditures for feed for livestock and poultry per farm reporting by type of farm (dollars)										
	Total	Cash-grain farms	Cotton farms	Other field-crop farms other than cash-grain and cotton	Vegetable farms	Fruit-and-nut farms	Poultry farms	Dairy farms	Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy	General farms	Miscellaneous farms
All commercial farms.....1959..	2,323	828	331	297	790	739	12,142	2,576	2,419	1,250	1,015
Farms with value of farm products sold of—											
\$2,500 or more.....1959..	2,593	862	429	357	1,041	814	13,194	2,738	2,600	1,362	1,200
.....1954..	2,002	712	355	303	856	764	9,631	2,175	2,445	1,176	1,200
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....1959..	665	408	187	191	353	294	2,583	854	718	596	441
.....1954..	711	406	183	182	312	312	2,743	925	852	632	442
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....1959..	1,270	669	302	297	482	457	4,986	1,563	1,290	1,079	646
.....1954..	1,332	618	308	327	495	499	5,171	1,705	1,421	1,082	597
\$10,000 or more.....1959..	5,066	1,244	816	893	1,935	1,306	19,998	5,025	5,057	2,446	2,551
.....1954..	4,472	1,073	855	886	1,694	1,267	17,182	5,106	4,756	2,316	2,685
Under \$2,500.....1959..	269	234	100	113	180	186	817	413	313	283	279

Table 31.—PERCENT OF COMMERCIAL FARMS REPORTING EXPENDITURES FOR MACHINE HIRE FOR EACH TYPE OF FARM, BY VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD, FOR THE CONTERMINOUS UNITED STATES: 1959 AND 1954

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

Value of farm products sold and year	Percent of farms reporting expenditures for machine hire by type of farm										
	Total	Cash-grain farms	Cotton farms	Other field-crop farms other than cash-grain and cotton	Vegetable farms	Fruit-and-nut farms	Poultry farms	Dairy farms	Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy	General farms	Miscellaneous farms
All commercial farms.....1959..	62.2	59.3	100.0	59.9	44.2	58.2	34.9	62.9	55.2	70.3	26.5
Farms with value of farm products sold of—											
\$2,500 or more.....1959..	63.4	60.5	100.0	67.0	48.0	60.5	35.9	63.8	58.5	71.8	27.6
.....1954..	66.5	67.1	70.2	59.4	48.4	61.4	43.3	70.5	67.8	74.1	35.3
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....1959..	63.3	58.8	100.0	62.5	41.0	56.1	33.8	65.4	54.0	70.6	29.6
.....1954..	65.5	65.6	64.5	57.2	43.9	60.1	43.5	73.3	65.2	73.6	37.8
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....1959..	64.1	59.5	100.0	72.2	47.6	58.7	34.5	65.7	59.1	71.3	28.7
.....1954..	68.6	68.3	72.4	63.1	46.5	62.7	43.6	71.8	70.0	74.8	37.0
\$10,000 or more.....1959..	63.0	62.5	100.0	69.4	51.9	63.4	37.2	61.1	61.4	73.5	25.7
.....1954..	65.5	67.1	81.0	62.5	53.1	61.4	43.0	63.5	68.0	73.9	32.7
Under \$2,500.....1959..	54.8	45.2	100.0	41.4	29.1	34.3	23.6	50.8	33.4	59.6	21.5