

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	
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms	number...	97,619	49,527	1,218	2,749	5,438
Percent distribution	percent...	100.0	50.7	1.2	2.8	5.6
Land in farms	acres...	13,157,646	9,705,592	1,034,568	1,333,180	1,775,368
Percent distribution	percent...	100.0	73.8	7.9	10.1	13.5
Average size of farm	acres...	134.8	196.0	849.4	485.0	326.5
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm	dollars...	18,256	26,505	155,105	79,205	46,923
Average per acre	dollars...	140.54	138.19	181.83	168.00	145.50
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested	farms reporting...	86,255	47,076	1,143	2,602	5,170
1 to 9 acres	acres...	2,943,496	2,448,702	302,105	399,320	506,656
10 to 19 acres	farms reporting...	29,566	8,208	70	66	96
20 to 29 acres	farms reporting...	18,753	8,879	30	30	206
30 to 49 acres	farms reporting...	11,271	6,856	22	77	277
50 to 99 acres	farms reporting...	10,844	8,140	56	163	655
100 to 199 acres	farms reporting...	9,597	8,835	131	546	1,987
200 to 499 acres	farms reporting...	4,383	4,334	243	1,031	1,524
500 to 999 acres	farms reporting...	1,649	1,639	445	654	422
1,000 or more acres	farms reporting...	166	161	124	34	3
Cropland used only for pasture	farms reporting...	26	24	22	1	...
35,079 acres	acres...	1,075,008	788,369	106,517	125,124	139,118
Cropland not harvested and not pastured	farms reporting...	27,760	15,195	272	652	1,454
532,396 acres	acres...	347,569	21,042	27,741	45,365	651
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes	farms reporting...	9,362	5,951	104	247	651
143,127 acres	acres...	101,942	6,386	8,848	15,323	1,000
Other cropland (idle and crop failure)	farms reporting...	21,962	11,632	188	485	1,000
389,269 acres	acres...	245,627	14,656	18,893	30,042	30,042
Woodland pastured	farms reporting...	37,229	21,393	489	1,159	2,447
1,163,723 acres	acres...	790,891	66,899	74,190	121,861	121,861
Woodland not pastured	farms reporting...	60,563	32,275	824	2,057	3,990
4,447,856 acres	acres...	3,150,154	285,858	392,778	566,933	566,933
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland)	farms reporting...	52,353	26,510	656	1,679	3,192
2,503,673 acres	acres...	1,862,395	220,049	277,180	339,197	339,197
Improved pasture	farms reporting...	16,033	10,829	407	1,040	1,966
678,122 acres	acres...	586,215	89,050	121,357	123,323	123,323
Irrigated land in farms	farms reporting...	2,127	1,935	159	131	355
33,431 acres	acres...	31,491	16,487	3,554	4,573	4,573
Land use practices:						
Cropland in cover crops	farms reporting...	13,056	10,551	315	908	1,932
281,786 acres	acres...	264,298	44,516	57,008	68,431	68,431
Cropland used for grain or row crops farmed on the contour	farms reporting...	6,664	4,988	115	310	742
125,297 acres	acres...	106,742	7,680	13,103	27,835	27,835
Land in strip-cropping systems for soil-erosion control	farms reporting...	4,059	3,394	139	296	747
122,990 acres	acres...	109,646	14,286	15,535	30,214	30,214
System of terraces on crop and pasture land	farms reporting...	5,785	4,734	53	113	577
145,186 acres	acres...	126,993	6,768	7,024	28,145	28,145
FARM OPERATORS BY AGE						
Operators reporting age	number...	96,845	48,966	1,191	2,721	5,395
Under 25 years	number...	1,189	859	10	17	61
25 to 34 years	number...	8,179	4,637	91	313	663
35 to 44 years	number...	18,239	10,140	352	697	1,368
45 to 54 years	number...	24,077	13,831	312	777	1,479
55 to 64 years	number...	22,538	14,122	231	599	1,120
65 or more years	number...	22,623	5,377	195	318	704
Average age	years...	53.2	50.4	50.1	49.3	49.2
OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME						
Farm operators—						
Working off their farms, total	operators reporting...	44,452	14,765	334	775	1,877
1 to 99 days	operators reporting...	12,250	8,451	111	357	1,018
100 to 199 days	operators reporting...	5,520	1,587	52	80	250
200 or more days	operators reporting...	26,682	4,727	171	338	609
With other members of family working off farm	operators reporting...	12,999	3,812	77	176	589
With income from sources other than farm operated and off-farm work	operators reporting...	18,043	5,965	216	429	987
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold	operators reporting...	30,554	4,777	118	263	539
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting as to work off their farms	operators reporting...	53,167	34,762	884	1,974	3,561
With other members of family working off farm	operators reporting...	10,302	5,578	125	318	697
With income from sources other than farm operated ..	operators reporting...	21,974	7,798	376	681	1,188
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold	operators reporting...	13,516	1,967	50	81	224
FARMS BY SIZE						
Under 10 acres	number...	8,013	3,143	67	105	120
10 to 49 acres	number...	28,919	9,006	53	85	216
50 to 99 acres	number...	10,241	3,935	5	25	125
100 to 199 acres	number...	11,430	5,484	22	87	260
200 to 499 acres	number...	11,685	6,697	56	111	545
500 to 999 acres	number...	7,249	4,729	32	185	610
1,000 to 1,999 acres	number...	4,997	3,641	54	220	545
2,000 to 2,999 acres	number...	3,283	2,525	58	125	490
3,000 to 4,999 acres	number...	7,718	6,572	195	880	1,571
5,000 to 9,999 acres	number...	3,085	2,843	390	687	768
10,000 to 19,999 acres	number...	764	729	176	194	161
20,000 or more acres	number...	235	223	110	45	27

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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
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE						
Farms.....number...	9,408	16,084	14,630	30,820	17,220	52
Percent distribution.....percent...	9.6	16.5	15.0	31.6	17.6	0.1
Land in farms.....acres...	2,093,259	2,365,331	1,103,886	2,003,236	1,403,784	45,034
Percent distribution.....percent...	15.9	18.0	8.4	15.2	10.7	0.3
Average size of farm.....acres...	222.5	147.1	75.5	65.0	81.5	866.0
Value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm.....dollars...	28,084	17,157	7,895	10,421	9,278	170,335
Average per acre.....dollars...	128.06	120.19	106.65	165.35	117.71	194.88
Land in farms according to use:						
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting...	9,051	15,384	13,726	24,608	14,519	52
.....acres...	526,234	507,622	206,765	289,870	193,459	11,465
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting...	402	1,616	5,958	14,028	7,320	10
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting...	841	3,569	4,203	5,977	3,897	...
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting...	1,109	3,426	1,945	2,561	1,853	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting...	2,220	3,858	1,188	1,564	1,140	...
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting...	3,239	2,522	410	453	288	21
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting...	1,140	375	21	25	21	3
200 to 499 acres.....farms reporting...	100	17	1	...	...	10
500 to 999 acres.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	5
1,000 or more acres.....farms reporting...	...	1	...	...	...	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting...	4,161	6,306	4,359	9,844	5,919	15
.....acres...	152,314	191,946	73,350	172,173	112,000	2,466
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting...	2,912	5,422	4,483	7,370	5,179	16
.....acres...	73,862	111,747	67,812	104,298	79,861	668
Soil-improvement grasses and legumes.....farms reporting...	1,370	2,276	1,303	2,019	1,383	9
.....acres...	27,627	28,881	14,877	24,041	16,892	252
Other cropland (idle and crop failure).....farms reporting...	2,070	4,138	3,751	5,969	4,346	15
.....acres...	46,235	82,866	52,935	80,227	62,969	416
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting...	4,472	7,374	5,452	9,851	5,971	14
.....acres...	172,837	231,914	123,190	236,996	134,558	1,278
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting...	6,532	10,345	8,527	16,993	11,264	31
.....acres...	708,308	800,787	395,490	717,000	563,735	16,967
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting...	5,300	8,488	7,195	16,250	9,552	41
.....acres...	398,162	436,627	191,180	379,242	252,753	9,283
Improved pasture.....farms reporting...	2,681	3,358	1,377	3,321	1,859	24
.....acres...	129,331	102,094	21,060	54,350	33,428	4,129
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting...	537	547	206	136	45	11
.....acres...	3,707	2,420	750	435	675	830
Land use practices:						
Cropland in cover crops.....farms reporting...	2,506	3,435	1,455	1,543	941	21
.....acres...	48,622	35,751	9,970	9,518	6,350	1,620
Cropland used for grain or row crops farmed on the contour.....farms reporting...	1,210	1,684	927	1,056	601	19
.....acres...	26,444	23,365	8,315	8,170	8,624	1,721
Land in strip-cropping systems for soil-erosion control.....farms reporting...	906	970	336	442	210	13
.....acres...	26,329	18,460	4,822	7,145	3,340	2,859
System of terraces on crop and pasture land.....farms reporting...	1,229	1,824	938	475	566	10
.....acres...	38,120	33,292	13,644	7,705	10,188	300
FARM OPERATORS BY AGE						
Operators reporting age.....number...	9,310	15,966	14,383	30,615	17,220	44
Under 25 years.....number...	86	255	430	330	...	...
25 to 34 years.....number...	866	1,499	1,205	3,542	...	...
35 to 44 years.....number...	2,107	3,320	2,296	8,095	...	4
45 to 54 years.....number...	2,732	4,216	4,315	10,235	...	11
55 to 64 years.....number...	2,171	3,864	6,137	8,413	...	3
65 or more years.....number...	1,348	2,812	...	...	17,220	26
Average age.....years...	50.6	51.4	50.0	47.3	71.6	55.6
OFF-FARM WORK AND OTHER INCOME						
Farm operators—						
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting...	3,200	5,357	3,222	26,746	2,930	11
1 to 99 days.....operators reporting...	1,528	2,215	3,222	2,346	1,448	5
100 to 199 days.....operators reporting...	434	771	...	3,532	400	1
200 or more days.....operators reporting...	1,238	2,371	...	20,868	1,082	5
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	906	1,523	541	8,366	821	...
With income from sources other than farm operated and off-farm work.....operators reporting...	1,543	2,198	592	9,854	2,218	6
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	1,255	2,602	...	23,543	2,229	5
Operators not working off their farms or not reporting as to work off their farms.....operators reporting...	6,208	10,727	11,408	4,074	14,290	41
With other members of family working off farm.....operators reporting...	1,208	1,936	1,294	2,036	2,686	2
With income from sources other than farm operated.....operators reporting...	1,601	2,777	1,175	2,834	11,333	9
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting...	417	1,195	...	4,074	7,474	1
FARMS BY SIZE						
Under 10 acres.....number...	185	781	1,885	3,680	1,190	...
10 to 49 acres.....number...	951	2,825	4,876	13,565	6,348	...
50 to 99 acres.....number...	430	1,480	1,870	3,925	2,371	10
100 to 199 acres.....number...	795	2,150	2,170	3,410	2,536	...
200 to 299 acres.....number...	1,506	2,698	1,781	2,842	2,141	5
300 to 399 acres.....number...	1,155	1,882	865	1,335	1,185	...
400 to 499 acres.....number...	1,046	1,291	485	806	550	...
500 to 599 acres.....number...	770	840	242	435	322	1
600 to 699 acres.....number...	1,855	1,681	390	686	440	20
700 to 799 acres.....number...	577	366	55	126	115	7
800 to 899 acres.....number...	109	80	9	9	19	1
900 to 999 acres.....number...	29	10	2	1	3	8

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		Commercial farms			
		Total	Class I	Class II	Class III
FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR					
All farm operators:					
Full owners..... number...	64,647	24,982	570	1,208	2,406
Part owners..... number...	18,312	13,429	470	1,235	2,304
All tenants..... number...	14,064	10,594	63	197	643
Cash tenants..... number...	1,247	607	18	55	117
Share-cash tenants..... number...	419	329	1	25	43
Crop-share tenants..... number...	3,903	3,147	11	6	147
Livestock-share tenants..... number...	773	703	16	78	187
Croppers..... number...	5,515	4,755	...	26	81
Other and unspecified tenants..... number...	2,207	1,053	17	7	68
White farm operators:					
Full owners..... number...	58,061	23,206	565	1,207	2,381
Part owners..... number...	15,203	11,586	470	1,220	2,238
All tenants..... number...	8,879	6,279	63	197	593
Croppers..... number...	2,370	1,895	...	26	61
Nonwhite farm operators:					
Full owners..... number...	6,586	1,776	5	1	25
Part owners..... number...	3,109	1,843	...	15	66
All tenants..... number...	5,185	4,315	...	...	50
Croppers..... number...	3,145	2,860	...	...	20
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM					
Cash-grain farms..... number...	2,387	2,387	46	140	294
Tobacco farms..... number...	17,352	17,352	1	18	502
Cotton farms..... number...	55	55	...	...	...
Other field-crop farms..... number...	2,989	2,989	90	251	557
Vegetable farms..... number...	358	358	28	10	55
Fruit-and-nut farms..... number...	665	665	113	105	86
Poultry farms..... number...	3,151	3,151	314	477	642
Dairy farms..... number...	6,261	6,261	329	1,085	1,398
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms..... number...	11,120	11,120	163	416	1,200
General farms..... number...	3,939	3,939	48	153	459
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms..... number...	49,342	1,250	86	94	245
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD					
Grain combines..... farms reporting...	9,756	8,230	475	1,160	1,918
..... number...	10,133	8,600	564	1,244	1,999
Corn pickers..... farms reporting...	7,647	6,866	413	1,075	1,815
..... number...	7,914	7,125	477	1,151	1,879
Pick-up balers..... farms reporting...	14,148	11,887	730	1,720	2,729
..... number...	14,419	12,140	807	1,794	2,784
Field forage harvesters..... farms reporting...	3,656	3,436	492	1,066	1,044
..... number...	3,864	3,640	571	1,128	1,079
Motortrucks..... farms reporting...	47,831	29,563	1,095	2,477	4,517
..... number...	58,007	38,302	3,372	4,443	6,452
Tractors..... farms reporting...	55,962	34,354	1,146	2,600	5,095
..... number...	92,329	64,718	5,256	8,839	12,475
Tractors other than garden..... farms reporting...	50,332	33,028	1,117	2,537	4,955
..... number...	75,143	55,756	4,579	7,586	10,723
1 tractor..... farms reporting...	34,951	19,320	181	326	1,275
2 tractors..... farms reporting...	10,094	8,624	197	684	2,179
3 tractors..... farms reporting...	3,284	3,179	200	791	1,080
4 tractors..... farms reporting...	1,136	1,066	160	423	306
5 or more tractors..... farms reporting...	867	839	379	313	115
Wheel tractors..... farms reporting...	49,897	32,799	1,104	2,536	4,933
..... number...	72,881	54,033	4,271	7,313	10,425
Crawler tractors..... farms reporting...	2,074	1,566	237	244	285
..... number...	2,262	1,723	308	273	298
Garden tractors..... farms reporting...	16,242	8,204	478	1,075	1,572
..... number...	17,186	8,962	677	1,253	1,752
Automobiles..... farms reporting...	65,063	34,792	1,091	2,531	4,917
..... number...	77,965	43,593	2,503	4,336	6,688
Automobiles and/or motortrucks..... farms reporting...	79,856	42,705	1,208	2,697	5,298
Telephone..... farms reporting...	49,170	25,251	1,157	2,526	4,425
Home freezer..... farms reporting...	41,404	23,584	971	2,283	4,227
Milking machine..... farms reporting...	6,565	5,741	393	1,184	1,532
Electric milk cooler..... farms reporting...	7,144	6,194	392	1,153	1,563
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops)..... farms reporting...	993	824	251	228	212
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower..... farms reporting...	8,585	8,002	701	1,730	2,325
Farms by kind of road on which located:					
Hard surface..... farms reporting...	48,607	25,441	859	1,884	3,482
Gravel, shell, or shale..... farms reporting...	21,398	10,034	227	509	993
Dirt or unimproved..... farms reporting...	26,262	13,378	119	324	939
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road..... farms reporting...	12,598	6,490	53	123	487
1 or more miles to a hard surface road..... farms reporting...	13,664	6,888	66	201	452
1 mile..... farms reporting...	6,922	3,695	35	114	250
2 or 3 miles..... farms reporting...	5,548	2,696	31	79	179
4 miles..... farms reporting...	582	266	...	2	16
5 or more miles..... farms reporting...	612	231	...	6	7
FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION					
Hired workers..... farms reporting...	15,978	13,338	1,049	2,190	3,271
..... persons...	41,561	36,848	8,770	6,746	7,757
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)..... farms reporting...	9,565	8,812	1,008	1,984	2,527
..... persons...	20,546	19,525	5,889	4,797	4,396
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:					
1 hired worker..... farms reporting...	5,369	4,736	151	688	1,375
2 hired workers..... farms reporting...	2,098	2,007	148	596	713
3 or 4 hired workers..... farms reporting...	1,392	1,373	311	494	376
5 to 9 hired workers..... farms reporting...	550	543	265	186	63
10 or more hired workers..... farms reporting...	156	153	133	20	...
RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR					
Residing on farm operated..... operators reporting...	87,746	44,161	990	2,457	4,871
Not residing on farm operated..... operators reporting...	5,179	2,977	202	173	341
Operators not reporting residence..... number...	4,694	2,389	26	119	221

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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	4,272	7,839	8,687	24,503	15,162	...
Part owners	3,098	3,933	2,389	3,652	1,231	...
All tenants	1,913	4,257	3,521	2,648	822	...
Cash tenants	142	160	115	510	130	...
Share-cash tenants	80	115	65	75	15	...
Crop-share tenants	623	1,340	1,020	550	206	...
Livestock-share tenants	221	151	50	55	15	...
Croppers	667	2,081	1,900	590	170	...
Other and unspecified tenants	180	410	371	868	286	...
White farm operators:						
Full owners	4,172	7,449	7,432	22,218	12,637	...
Part owners	2,803	3,211	1,644	2,817	800	...
All tenants	1,303	2,397	1,726	2,043	557	...
Croppers	227	801	780	395	80	...
Nonwhite farm operators:						
Full owners	100	390	1,255	2,285	2,525	...
Part owners	295	722	745	835	431	...
All tenants	610	1,860	1,795	605	265	...
Croppers	440	1,280	1,120	195	90	...
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM						
Cash-grain farms	480	716	711	...	...	...
Tobacco farms	2,644	6,721	7,466	...	...	...
Cotton farms	5	...	90	...	...	...
Other field-crop farms	811	830	450	...	...	...
Vegetable farms	50	70	145	...	...	...
Fruit-and-nut farms	140	101	120	...	...	...
Poultry farms	735	707	276	...	...	...
Dairy farms	908	1,236	1,305	...	...	...
Livestock farms other than poultry and dairy farms	2,402	4,015	2,924	...	...	...
General farms	972	1,389	918	...	...	...
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms	261	299	265	30,820	17,220	52
SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES AND KIND OF ROAD						
Grain combines	2,157	1,913	607	958	553	15
Com pickers	2,232	1,949	612	958	553	22
Pick-up balers	1,827	1,391	345	506	262	13
Field forage harvesters	1,857	1,416	345	511	262	16
Field forage harvesters	3,065	2,895	748	1,655	587	19
Field forage harvesters	3,085	2,922	748	1,665	587	27
Field forage harvesters	427	321	86	130	80	10
Field forage harvesters	445	331	86	130	80	14
Motortrucks	6,875	8,957	5,642	13,214	5,003	51
Motortrucks	8,147	9,905	5,983	14,203	5,269	233
Tractors	8,022	11,487	6,004	15,454	6,118	36
Tractors	14,261	16,725	7,162	19,920	7,475	216
Tractors other than garden	7,786	11,030	5,603	12,232	5,036	36
Tractors other than garden	12,263	14,515	6,290	13,649	5,549	189
1 tractor	4,265	8,267	5,006	11,038	4,587	6
2 tractors	2,734	2,513	517	1,051	408	11
3 tractors	651	387	70	78	20	7
4 tractors	107	60	10	50	20	...
5 or more tractors	29	3	...	15	1	12
Wheel tractors	7,714	10,960	5,552	12,092	4,970	36
Wheel tractors	11,930	13,935	6,159	13,227	5,447	174
Crawler tractors	325	344	131	397	102	9
Crawler tractors	333	380	131	422	102	15
Garden tractors	1,908	2,324	847	6,169	1,859	10
Garden tractors	1,998	2,410	872	6,271	1,926	27
Automobiles	7,656	11,491	7,106	22,502	7,738	31
Automobiles	9,307	13,193	7,566	25,866	8,433	73
Automobiles and/or motortrucks	8,968	14,300	10,234	26,618	10,482	51
Telephone	5,874	7,258	4,011	16,193	7,676	50
Home freezer	5,765	7,262	3,076	12,643	5,141	36
Milking machine	1,159	1,183	290	510	290	24
Electric milk cooler	1,387	1,339	360	550	380	20
Crop drier (for grain, forage, or other crops)	72	41	20	51	105	13
Power-operated elevator, conveyor, or blower	1,925	1,214	107	376	192	15
Farms by kind of road on which located:						
Hard surface	5,194	8,339	5,683	15,274	7,844	48
Gravel, shell, or shale	1,878	3,059	3,368	7,418	3,945	1
Dirt or unimproved	2,235	4,424	5,337	7,687	5,196	1
Less than 1 mile to a hard surface road	1,160	2,287	2,380	3,831	2,277	...
1 or more miles to a hard surface road	1,075	2,137	2,957	3,856	2,919	1
1 mile	640	1,224	1,432	1,795	1,432	...
2 or 3 miles	402	815	1,190	1,640	1,211	1
4 miles	22	46	180	181	135	...
5 or more miles	11	52	155	240	141	...
FARM LABOR, WEEK PRECEDING ENUMERATION						
Hired workers	3,302	2,763	763	1,714	886	40
Regular hired workers (employed 150 or more days)	6,869	5,363	1,343	2,966	1,535	212
Farms reporting by number of regular hired workers:	1,979	1,141	173	484	239	30
1 hired worker	2,774	1,474	195	545	296	180
2 hired workers	1,474	897	151	423	202	8
3 or 4 hired workers	354	174	22	61	27	3
5 to 9 hired workers	123	69	...	...	10	9
10 or more hired workers	28	1	...	...	...	7
RESIDENCE OF FARM OPERATOR						
Residing on farm operated	8,309	14,551	12,983	27,536	16,011	38
Not residing on farm operated	663	834	764	1,792	408	2
Operators not reporting residence	436	699	883	1,492	801	12

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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...	75,300	44,430	1,014	2,471	4,955
acres on which used...	2,237,443	1,932,094	272,250	327,998	423,805
tons...	629,020	548,573	88,171	93,655	117,011
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	75,218	44,368	1,007	2,456	4,955
tons...	618,424	538,315	85,901	91,148	113,975
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	2,037	1,820	109	268	584
tons...	10,596	10,258	2,270	2,507	3,036
Crops on which used—					
Hay and cropland pasture.....farms reporting...	24,773	15,777	613	1,503	2,654
acres...	489,447	410,287	72,313	77,506	91,354
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	24,722	15,736	607	1,503	2,634
tons...	133,301	111,175	19,716	21,337	24,035
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	127	107	27	15	35
tons...	528	482	296	26	132
Other pasture (not cropland).....farms reporting...	10,032	7,128	289	839	1,438
acres...	225,888	194,193	28,369	40,272	45,906
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	9,990	7,086	283	828	1,423
tons...	58,678	50,483	6,847	10,477	11,888
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	68	63	7	21	25
tons...	462	458	28	333	77
Corn.....farms reporting...	53,794	34,972	710	1,977	4,227
acres...	673,207	575,780	60,943	94,103	128,505
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	53,622	34,825	703	1,952	4,202
tons...	167,201	145,250	17,025	26,038	34,950
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	1,664	1,508	75	223	507
tons...	7,507	7,316	1,165	1,815	2,374
Wheat.....farms reporting...	20,933	15,769	258	847	2,023
acres...	234,982	201,651	13,720	22,312	40,242
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	20,791	15,642	257	822	1,993
tons...	47,908	41,013	3,153	4,881	8,119
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	307	277	9	34	102
tons...	897	883	76	215	318
Tobacco.....farms reporting...	32,832	22,086	70	264	1,181
acres...	83,323	71,745	661	1,409	7,491
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	32,832	22,086	70	264	1,181
tons...	61,314	52,181	540	848	5,783
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	5	5	...	...	...
tons...	12	12	...	...	...
All other crops.....farms reporting...	27,032	18,398	656	1,532	3,152
acres...	530,596	478,438	96,244	92,396	110,307
Dry materials.....farms reporting...	26,957	18,348	651	1,527	3,142
tons...	150,022	138,213	38,620	27,567	29,200
Liquid materials.....farms reporting...	275	234	29	43	77
tons...	1,190	1,107	705	118	135
Lime or liming materials used during the year.....farms reporting...	19,089	13,511	555	1,480	2,430
acres limed...	362,461	308,328	42,830	65,420	69,248
tons...	530,054	442,082	61,449	96,796	92,211
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES					
Any of the following specified expenditures.....farms reporting...	95,500	49,510	1,218	2,749	5,438
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting...	73,359	38,154	1,058	2,548	5,056
dollars...	78,075,735	69,507,852	22,933,220	16,281,934	13,418,704
Under \$100.....farms reporting...	22,833	9,593	33	60	266
\$100 to \$999.....farms reporting...	38,674	17,943	124	374	1,821
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....farms reporting...	4,383	3,446	59	264	730
\$2,000 to \$4,999.....farms reporting...	4,133	3,878	139	633	1,279
\$5,000 or more.....farms reporting...	3,336	3,294	703	1,217	960
Purchase of livestock and poultry.....farms reporting...	42,842	24,770	852	1,838	3,680
dollars...	39,648,059	35,876,971	12,549,760	7,140,373	6,895,978
Under \$1,000.....farms reporting...	35,859	18,565	136	614	1,960
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting...	3,636	3,019	106	347	896
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting...	1,772	1,628	109	387	498
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms reporting...	943	928	181	328	194
\$10,000 or more.....farms reporting...	632	630	320	162	132
Machine hire.....farms reporting...	43,611	26,328	587	1,531	3,196
dollars...	7,537,340	5,919,224	507,606	784,846	1,177,662
Under \$200.....farms reporting...	32,337	17,272	148	536	1,330
\$200 to \$999.....farms reporting...	10,448	8,287	320	809	1,619
\$1,000 or more.....farms reporting...	826	769	119	186	247
Hired labor.....farms reporting...	45,554	31,565	1,195	2,627	4,705
dollars...	50,574,524	47,730,243	17,606,524	10,840,536	8,857,765
Under \$200.....farms reporting...	23,160	12,186	46	178	559
\$200 to \$499.....farms reporting...	8,816	6,872	29	144	624
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting...	4,133	3,559	29	141	730
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....farms reporting...	4,727	4,305	131	592	1,453
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....farms reporting...	2,564	2,510	167	746	941
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....farms reporting...	1,313	1,310	270	596	345
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....farms reporting...	572	557	299	188	53
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....farms reporting...	217	215	173	42	...
\$50,000 or more.....farms reporting...	52	51	51	...	...
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....farms reporting...	45,787	27,856	853	1,961	3,727
dollars...	6,902,321	6,074,372	1,599,181	1,237,022	1,175,799
Under \$100.....farms reporting...	31,922	15,907	112	229	839
\$100 to \$499.....farms reporting...	11,350	9,556	223	982	2,243
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting...	1,552	1,465	205	450	450
\$1,000 or more.....farms reporting...	963	928	313	300	195
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business.....farms reporting...	84,018	45,388	1,216	2,748	5,398
dollars...	20,562,977	17,482,895	2,780,179	2,931,689	3,736,342
Under \$100.....farms reporting...	43,968	14,037	49	99	343
\$100 to \$499.....farms reporting...	28,655	20,522	162	557	1,886
\$500 to \$999.....farms reporting...	6,998	6,556	135	819	1,845
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....farms reporting...	4,243	4,124	743	1,253	1,322
\$5,000 or more.....farms reporting...	154	149	127	20	...

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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...	8,681	14,752	12,557	19,435	11,394	41
acres on which used.....	403,414	367,681	134,946	185,212	108,236	11,901
tons.....	109,757	101,973	38,006	49,628	27,402	3,417
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	8,671	14,727	12,552	19,415	11,394	41
tons.....	108,525	100,949	37,817	49,397	27,358	3,354
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	407	345	107	145	70	2
tons.....	1,232	1,024	189	231	44	63
Crops on which used—						
Hay and cropland pasture..... farms reporting...	3,584	4,849	2,574	6,031	2,937	28
acres.....	74,724	70,959	23,431	52,340	24,583	2,237
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	3,574	4,844	2,574	6,021	2,937	28
tons.....	20,131	19,835	6,121	14,946	6,514	666
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	10	20	...	20	...	...
tons.....	16	12	...	46	...	...
Other pasture (not cropland)..... farms reporting...	1,835	1,991	736	2,128	754	22
acres.....	40,309	31,022	8,315	21,747	7,459	2,489
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	1,835	1,981	736	2,128	754	22
tons.....	11,123	8,221	1,927	5,843	1,826	526
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	...	10	...	5	...	...
tons.....	...	20	...	4	...	...
Corn..... farms reporting...	7,160	11,859	9,039	11,112	7,674	36
acres.....	121,354	119,691	51,184	55,291	39,431	2,705
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	7,130	11,814	9,024	11,087	7,674	36
tons.....	29,209	27,284	10,744	12,659	8,378	914
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	351	270	82	105	50	1
tons.....	981	829	152	158	30	3
Wheat..... farms reporting...	3,882	5,950	2,809	2,839	2,300	25
acres.....	54,859	53,465	17,053	18,513	13,825	993
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	3,847	5,920	2,803	2,834	2,290	25
tons.....	11,086	10,459	3,315	3,899	2,785	211
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	67	45	20	20	10	...
tons.....	139	104	31	7	7	...
Tobacco..... farms reporting...	3,786	8,469	8,316	6,287	4,454	5
acres.....	19,063	28,727	14,394	6,578	4,985	15
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	3,786	8,469	8,316	6,287	4,454	5
tons.....	14,127	20,442	10,441	5,414	3,700	19
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	...	5	...	...	...	...
tons.....	...	12	...	...	...	...
All other crops..... farms reporting...	4,384	5,318	3,356	5,378	3,222	34
acres.....	95,105	63,817	20,569	30,743	17,953	3,462
Dry materials..... farms reporting...	4,374	5,303	3,351	5,363	3,212	34
tons.....	22,849	14,708	5,269	6,636	4,155	1,018
Liquid materials..... farms reporting...	55	20	10	25	15	1
tons.....	96	47	6	16	7	60
Lime or liming materials used during the year..... farms reporting...	3,434	3,949	1,663	3,854	1,702	22
acres limed.....	65,712	51,063	14,055	37,774	13,951	2,408
tons.....	89,624	79,877	22,125	62,333	21,749	3,890
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES						
Any of the following specified expenditures..... farms reporting...	9,408	16,084	14,613	29,794	16,144	52
Feed for livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	7,781	12,216	9,495	22,958	12,213	34
dollars.....	8,521,978	6,432,166	1,919,850	5,665,755	2,567,210	334,918
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,127	3,579	4,528	7,866	5,374	...
\$100 to \$999..... farms reporting...	4,123	6,786	4,715	14,247	6,477	7
\$1,000 to \$1,999..... farms reporting...	1,135	1,071	187	650	282	5
\$2,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	1,022	740	65	180	75	...
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	374	40	...	15	5	22
Purchase of livestock and poultry..... farms reporting...	5,660	7,852	4,888	11,678	6,361	33
dollars.....	4,964,777	3,571,713	754,370	2,749,525	971,702	49,861
Under \$1,000..... farms reporting...	4,321	6,796	4,738	11,063	6,209	22
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	809	741	126	495	116	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	340	264	30	115	26	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	179	46	...	5	10	...
\$10,000 or more..... farms reporting...	11	5	...	...	...	2
Machine hire..... farms reporting...	5,733	9,298	5,983	10,926	6,326	31
dollars.....	1,356,196	1,559,654	533,260	1,069,380	536,752	11,984
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	3,323	6,618	5,317	9,438	5,615	12
\$200 to \$999..... farms reporting...	2,281	2,607	651	1,438	706	17
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	129	73	15	50	5	2
Hired labor..... farms reporting...	7,457	10,460	5,121	8,784	5,154	51
dollars.....	5,659,010	3,833,513	932,895	1,533,599	761,384	549,298
Under \$200..... farms reporting...	2,302	5,178	3,923	6,747	4,227	...
\$200 to \$499..... farms reporting...	1,879	3,295	901	1,321	623	...
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	1,409	1,130	120	392	181	1
\$1,000 to \$2,499..... farms reporting...	1,332	650	147	294	112	16
\$2,500 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	424	202	30	30	11	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms reporting...	94	5	...	...	...	3
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms reporting...	17	...	...	...	...	15
\$20,000 to \$49,999..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	2
\$50,000 or more..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees..... farms reporting...	6,003	8,818	6,494	11,514	6,387	30
dollars.....	968,619	781,931	311,820	543,950	237,828	46,171
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	2,827	6,092	5,808	10,153	5,862	...
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	2,875	2,593	640	1,281	510	3
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	218	117	25	55	15	17
\$1,000 or more..... farms reporting...	83	16	21	25	...	10
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business..... farms reporting...	9,242	15,337	11,447	27,027	11,552	51
dollars.....	3,566,099	3,267,751	1,200,835	2,067,887	923,323	88,872
Under \$100..... farms reporting...	1,279	4,784	7,483	21,160	8,771	...
\$100 to \$499..... farms reporting...	5,182	9,104	3,631	5,495	2,617	21
\$500 to \$999..... farms reporting...	2,228	1,263	266	306	123	13
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms reporting...	553	186	67	66	41	12
\$5,000 or more..... farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	5

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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...	428,515,624	390,825,452	98,191,638	75,036,663	75,404,958
average per farm, dollars...	4,390	7,891	80,617	27,296	13,866
All crops sold.....dollars...	182,098,041	165,443,015	36,709,672	20,241,776	27,794,624
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	132,872,391	118,656,130	10,107,760	13,735,172	21,740,964
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	9,007,261	8,440,071	4,998,957	945,740	1,201,084
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	19,190,506	18,713,866	12,689,845	2,843,853	1,519,231
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	21,027,883	19,632,948	8,913,110	2,717,011	3,333,345
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	246,417,583	225,382,437	61,481,966	54,794,887	47,610,334
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	61,131,991	58,573,621	26,400,573	12,566,104	9,692,628
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	73,091,252	69,666,234	16,677,778	24,228,774	17,519,764
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	112,194,340	97,142,582	18,403,615	18,000,009	20,397,942
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS					
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	72,756	37,590	930	2,324	4,536
number...	1,363,107	1,119,404	157,752	210,913	235,372
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	69,767	36,334	873	2,231	4,343
number...	695,562	563,646	68,702	100,978	118,127
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	57,702	30,284	737	1,847	3,556
number...	325,829	258,173	39,356	60,989	55,245
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	44,446	24,973	799	2,083	3,782
number...	383,651	311,098	45,171	62,184	67,894
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	34,565	21,325	786	1,926	3,459
number...	283,894	244,660	43,879	47,751	49,351
Farms reporting by number on hand:					
Cattle and calves-					
1 head.....farms reporting...	12,719	5,586	10	41	196
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	18,912	6,818	44	96	403
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	12,180	4,456	23	87	304
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	11,161	5,550	52	144	462
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	10,849	8,289	123	329	1,138
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	4,655	4,628	114	816	1,439
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	2,224	2,210	521	803	594
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	56	53	43	8	...
Cows, including heifers that have calved-					
1 head.....farms reporting...	18,351	7,644	40	101	357
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	33,070	13,535	120	328	1,035
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	8,530	5,794	69	185	512
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	3,849	3,459	53	194	659
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	3,533	3,485	92	583	1,132
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	1,303	1,296	121	467	393
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	586	584	123	229	163
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	545	537	255	144	92
Milk cows-					
1 head.....farms reporting...	20,834	9,493	95	179	638
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	30,307	14,712	232	482	1,377
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	2,955	2,493	25	65	188
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	1,122	1,117	8	71	433
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	1,474	1,466	25	509	811
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	599	596	104	399	92
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	244	242	102	123	17
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	167	165	146	19	...
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...	41,416	23,711	508	1,124	2,383
number...	84,798	53,469	3,590	5,624	7,092
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	64,630	34,979	599	1,560	3,636
number...	804,561	612,948	41,310	76,840	134,985
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	32,388	19,361	385	1,104	2,464
number...	449,396	350,466	24,437	49,035	80,218
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	57,244	31,483	510	1,389	3,361
number...	355,165	262,482	16,873	27,805	54,767
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...	9,139	5,793	241	520	883
number...	349,293	279,898	38,147	46,652	51,360
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	5,372	3,528	171	312	565
number...	83,385	69,457	12,151	13,485	11,355
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	8,804	5,624	229	494	847
number...	265,908	210,441	25,996	33,167	40,005
Ewes.....farms reporting...	8,652	5,547	229	489	837
number...	251,941	199,724	24,844	31,866	38,124
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	7,325	4,891	196	445	742
number...	13,967	10,717	1,152	1,301	1,881
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...	65,168	33,504	556	1,522	3,450
number...	6,717,456	5,402,982	929,386	911,819	1,109,181
Livestock and livestock products sold:					
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...	59,402	31,403	884	2,272	4,128
number...	669,372	557,448	85,065	101,939	112,459
dollars...	83,440,883	72,979,670	15,250,395	14,123,213	14,758,549
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	26,711	16,924	416	1,113	2,555
number...	695,083	583,571	54,751	88,719	147,055
dollars...	21,547,573	18,090,701	1,697,281	2,750,289	4,558,705
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	8,556	5,738	238	522	880
number...	270,616	223,095	31,776	35,356	41,195
dollars...	4,059,240	3,346,425	476,640	530,340	617,925
Milk and cream sold ¹farms reporting...	23,853	14,109	484	1,378	2,154
pounds...	1,577,611,485	1,469,577,958	306,877,858	475,250,339	363,540,468
dollars...	73,091,252	69,666,234	16,677,778	24,228,774	17,519,764
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	15,327	10,099	452	924	1,883
dollars...	24,272,837	23,610,246	10,274,587	5,328,958	4,873,233
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	28,311	15,675	349	871	2,103
dozens...	57,450,265	52,509,977	12,394,282	11,787,487	11,571,364
dollars...	21,256,607	19,428,699	4,585,879	4,361,372	4,281,402

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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
ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD BY SOURCE						
All farm products sold.....total, dollars...	65,468,720	57,763,808	18,959,665	22,337,568	13,654,484	1,698,120
.....average per farm, dollars...	6,959	3,591	1,296	725	793	32,656
All crops sold.....total, dollars...	33,708,629	33,824,822	13,163,492	9,595,019	6,582,028	477,979
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts, sold.....dollars...	29,427,907	31,314,925	12,329,402	8,348,513	5,730,579	137,169
Vegetables sold.....dollars...	630,965	436,060	227,265	220,065	118,385	228,740
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars...	1,016,055	458,335	186,547	287,511	174,201	14,928
Forest products and horticultural specialty products sold.....dollars...	2,633,702	1,615,502	420,278	738,930	558,863	97,142
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars...	31,760,091	23,938,986	5,796,173	12,742,549	7,072,456	1,220,141
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars...	5,973,582	3,400,978	539,756	1,446,406	1,024,350	87,614
Dairy products sold.....dollars...	5,896,957	3,992,306	1,350,655	1,821,855	1,106,223	496,940
Livestock and livestock products, other than poultry and dairy, sold.....dollars...	19,889,552	16,545,702	3,905,762	9,474,288	4,941,883	635,587
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS						
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	7,599	12,112	10,089	22,542	12,580	44
.....number...	224,369	220,103	70,895	158,281	79,134	6,288
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting...	7,334	11,685	9,868	21,216	12,173	44
.....number...	115,337	117,934	42,568	82,644	46,326	2,946
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	5,872	9,558	8,714	16,898	10,494	26
.....number...	36,629	40,633	25,321	40,092	26,441	1,123
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	5,474	7,753	5,082	13,236	6,198	39
.....number...	56,631	60,412	18,806	49,754	20,696	2,103
Steers and bulls including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	5,179	6,752	3,223	8,932	4,279	29
.....number...	52,401	41,757	9,521	25,883	12,112	1,239
Farms reporting by number on hand:						
Cattle and calves—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	766	2,128	2,445	4,223	2,910	...
2 to 4 head.....farms reporting...	1,051	2,134	3,090	7,672	4,422	...
5 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	753	1,347	1,942	5,132	2,587	5
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	1,023	2,047	1,822	3,751	1,850	10
20 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	2,442	3,484	773	1,759	790	11
50 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	1,326	916	17	5	21	1
100 to 499 head.....farms reporting...	238	54	...	...	...	14
500 or more head.....farms reporting...	...	2	...	...	...	3
Cows including heifers that have calved—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	1,162	2,794	3,190	6,807	3,900	...
2 to 6 head.....farms reporting...	2,263	4,286	5,503	12,410	7,110	15
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	1,490	2,541	997	1,742	994	...
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	1,149	1,258	146	231	153	6
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	951	695	32	26	16	6
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	220	95	...	...	...	7
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	57	12	...	...	...	2
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	42	4	...	...	...	8
Milk cows—						
1 head.....farms reporting...	1,668	3,431	3,482	7,161	4,180	...
2 to 9 head.....farms reporting...	2,894	4,805	4,922	9,502	6,088	5
10 to 19 head.....farms reporting...	743	1,162	310	235	226	1
20 to 29 head.....farms reporting...	455	150	...	...	...	5
30 to 49 head.....farms reporting...	111	10	...	...	...	8
50 to 74 head.....farms reporting...	1	...	...	...	...	3
75 to 99 head.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	2
100 or more head.....farms reporting...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...						
.....number...	4,508	8,078	7,110	9,825	7,850	30
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...						
.....number...	10,133	15,183	11,847	19,044	12,009	276
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	6,871	11,956	10,357	18,997	10,607	47
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	150,767	148,016	61,030	118,806	61,114	11,693
.....number...	4,359	6,406	4,643	8,724	4,261	42
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	84,352	81,322	31,102	62,969	29,590	6,371
.....number...	6,326	10,966	8,931	16,361	9,353	47
.....number...	66,415	66,694	29,928	55,837	31,524	5,322
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...						
.....number...	1,350	1,870	929	2,202	1,137	7
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	63,201	61,708	18,830	44,783	23,370	1,242
.....number...	867	1,126	487	1,266	572	6
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	16,851	12,307	3,308	9,358	4,028	542
.....number...	1,325	1,825	904	2,071	1,102	7
Ewes.....farms reporting...	46,350	49,401	15,522	35,425	19,342	700
.....number...	1,298	1,800	894	2,021	1,077	7
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	43,627	46,617	14,646	33,352	18,194	671
.....number...	1,169	1,605	734	1,586	842	6
.....number...	2,723	2,784	876	2,073	1,148	29
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...						
.....number...	6,512	11,395	10,069	18,533	13,088	43
.....number...	1,097,596	935,548	419,452	711,207	573,990	29,277
Livestock and livestock products sold:						
Cattle and calves sold alive.....farms reporting...	6,693	9,896	7,530	18,004	9,956	39
.....number...	117,039	108,246	32,700	70,570	38,955	2,399
.....dollars...	14,322,587	11,832,333	2,692,593	6,537,648	3,595,090	328,475
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting...	4,373	5,649	2,818	6,580	3,164	43
.....number...	144,157	119,103	29,786	69,870	32,095	9,547
.....dollars...	4,468,867	3,692,193	923,366	2,165,970	994,945	295,957
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting...	1,335	1,889	874	1,806	1,006	6
.....number...	50,308	50,996	13,464	30,995	15,984	542
.....dollars...	754,620	764,940	201,960	464,925	239,760	8,130
Milk and cream sold ¹farms reporting...	2,742	4,221	3,130	5,775	3,948	21
.....pounds...	150,508,211	128,202,859	45,198,223	60,810,133	39,609,942	7,613,452
.....dollars...	5,896,957	3,992,306	1,350,655	1,821,855	1,106,223	496,940
Chickens including broilers sold.....farms reporting...	2,489	2,964	1,387	2,696	2,499	33
.....dollars...	1,950,405	1,103,148	79,915	505,492	138,423	18,676
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting...	3,554	5,021	3,777	5,988	6,615	33
.....dozens...	9,471,569	6,080,545	1,204,730	2,445,955	2,315,661	178,672
.....dollars...	3,504,480	2,249,810	445,756	904,999	856,801	66,108

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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...	24,105	15,459	285	1,017	2,269
..... number of litters...	122,907	99,414	5,061	14,976	23,075
1 or 2 litters..... farms reporting...	12,082	6,165	52	161	522
3 to 9 litters..... farms reporting...	8,906	6,393	106	367	881
10 to 19 litters..... farms reporting...	2,096	1,904	47	225	515
20 to 39 litters..... farms reporting...	800	782	49	180	307
40 to 69 litters..... farms reporting...	179	179	18	63	42
70 or more litters..... farms reporting...	42	36	13	21	2
June 2 to November 30..... farms reporting...	20,610	13,461	250	922	2,058
..... number of litters...	62,421	49,385	2,355	7,256	11,126
December 1 to June 1..... farms reporting...	16,871	11,656	257	920	1,921
..... number of litters...	60,486	50,029	2,706	7,720	11,949
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED					
Corn for all purposes..... farms reporting...	63,556	38,903	814	2,192	4,494
..... acres...	744,818	626,051	65,573	101,700	135,696
Under 11 acres..... farms reporting...	46,434	23,592	87	314	1,051
11 to 24 acres..... farms reporting...	10,143	8,534	132	463	1,403
25 to 49 acres..... farms reporting...	4,481	4,297	155	644	1,243
50 to 74 acres..... farms reporting...	1,364	1,355	161	349	447
75 to 99 acres..... farms reporting...	496	496	54	187	203
100 or more acres..... farms reporting...	638	629	225	235	147
Harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	60,917	36,946	698	1,887	4,051
..... acres...	628,995	516,495	41,939	72,521	109,671
..... bushels...	28,998,355	24,498,690	2,451,362	4,098,888	5,746,165
Sales..... farms reporting...	15,904	10,627	180	627	1,344
..... bushels...	9,209,073	8,229,869	977,297	1,656,187	2,169,576
Sorghums for all purposes..... farms reporting...	2,284	1,730	153	269	333
..... acres...	18,459	17,514	3,814	5,719	4,384
Harvested for grain or seed..... farms reporting...	723	682	53	92	157
..... acres...	7,833	7,651	1,153	2,083	2,115
..... bushels...	268,348	264,443	40,980	74,643	71,395
Sales..... farms reporting...	96	96	11	19	10
..... bushels...	29,900	29,900	11,000	6,200	5,450
Wheat harvested..... farms reporting...	24,633	17,975	310	960	2,253
..... acres...	256,204	217,126	14,911	24,629	42,384
..... bushels...	6,091,730	5,268,656	400,685	640,474	1,076,116
Sales..... farms reporting...	15,737	12,517	282	839	1,975
..... bushels...	4,469,562	4,000,998	376,060	573,965	911,375
Oats harvested for grain..... farms reporting...	12,439	9,317	385	960	1,739
..... acres...	109,471	95,004	12,055	19,582	20,993
..... bushels...	4,179,680	3,754,077	519,740	845,612	854,753
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,792	1,416	56	155	288
..... bushels...	782,072	731,168	51,933	197,673	201,972
Barley harvested..... farms reporting...	9,692	8,073	405	1,017	1,820
..... acres...	112,968	103,961	16,271	23,987	26,102
..... bushels...	4,484,162	4,179,370	699,814	1,005,353	1,075,875
Sales..... farms reporting...	2,034	1,732	95	218	393
..... bushels...	975,005	915,063	183,298	228,497	242,928
Rye harvested..... farms reporting...	2,533	2,144	129	341	513
..... acres...	19,338	17,766	2,768	4,278	4,671
..... bushels...	371,689	348,879	58,192	87,352	92,359
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,008	932	87	186	261
..... bushels...	214,500	207,374	42,629	50,442	59,126
Soybeans harvested for beans..... farms reporting...	9,841	6,886	177	669	1,376
..... acres grown alone...	278,663	249,207	28,439	57,232	63,150
..... acres grown with other crops...	1,445	1,380	180	290	185
..... bushels...	5,694,362	5,195,966	699,511	1,243,611	1,331,853
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing..... farms reporting...	5,223	4,227	60	279	778
..... acres...	102,393	97,651	4,726	17,409	29,397
..... pounds...	182,306,601	175,919,690	9,044,290	37,139,915	54,153,915
Hay crops:					
Land from which hay was cut..... acres...	1,138,852	880,400	95,765	137,706	169,185
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for hay and for dehydrating..... farms reporting...	20,492	13,233	622	1,329	2,329
..... acres...	261,104	218,566	32,421	44,076	44,618
..... tons...	641,400	564,629	99,001	123,363	124,397
Sales..... farms reporting...	2,008	1,208	56	71	231
..... tons...	39,902	33,102	3,569	3,692	4,801
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses cut for hay..... farms reporting...	26,419	15,313	484	1,217	2,172
..... acres...	390,378	298,534	29,448	45,802	59,101
..... tons...	513,341	417,537	49,321	69,293	94,184
Sales..... farms reporting...	2,077	1,025	23	62	155
..... tons...	26,056	19,669	2,405	2,031	4,550
Lespedeza cut for hay..... farms reporting...	22,135	14,083	233	682	1,750
..... acres...	241,855	179,522	10,165	19,822	32,386
..... tons...	264,736	204,466	14,004	24,762	40,110
Sales..... farms reporting...	1,591	854	2	54	106
..... tons...	12,619	8,588	500	670	1,570
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grains cut for hay..... farms reporting...	9,715	6,040	145	404	772
..... acres...	57,847	43,962	4,463	7,099	7,700
..... tons...	74,225	59,803	8,045	10,278	11,613
Sales..... farms reporting...	236	121	5	11	15
..... tons...	1,329	919	50	134	245
Other hay cut..... farms reporting...	12,017	6,353	217	491	793
..... acres...	161,769	114,937	10,816	13,297	19,735
..... tons...	176,646	133,033	15,149	17,767	24,236
Sales..... farms reporting...	789	351	6	32	42
..... tons...	8,174	5,223	100	339	759
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa, clover, or small grains..... farms reporting...	1,218	1,132	213	341	352
..... acres...	25,899	24,879	8,452	7,610	5,645
..... tons, green weight...	143,230	137,784	48,870	42,878	33,007

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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
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Continued						
Litters farrowed December 1, 1958, to November 30, 1959.....	farms reporting... 3,800	5,346	2,742	5,787	2,816	43
..... number of litters... 24,544		24,657	7,101	15,007	6,846	1,640
1 or 2 litters.....	farms reporting... 1,253	2,331	1,846	3,930	1,987	...
..... number of litters... 1,764		2,460	815	1,736	766	11
3 to 9 litters.....	farms reporting... 592	449	76	116	63	13
..... number of litters... 155		86	5	5	...	13
10 to 19 litters.....	farms reporting... 36	20	...	...	...	...
..... number of litters... 70 or more litters.....	farms reporting... 3,383	4,601	2,247	4,897	2,210	6
..... number of litters... 12,129		12,659	3,860	8,348	3,805	42
June 2 to November 30.....	farms reporting... 3,046	3,896	1,616	3,432	1,740	883
..... number of litters... 12,415		11,998	3,241	6,659	3,041	43
December 1 to June 1.....						757
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED						
Corn for all purposes.....	farms reporting... 7,719	12,887	10,797	14,654	9,963	36
..... acres... 131,804		130,875	60,403	68,377	47,600	2,790
Under 11 acres.....	farms reporting... 3,344	9,016	9,780	13,508	9,327	7
..... acres... 2,671		2,989	876	1,025	584	...
11 to 24 acres.....	farms reporting... 1,356	768	131	121	47	16
..... acres... 282		106	10	...	5	4
25 to 49 acres.....	farms reporting... 47	5	...	...	...	...
..... acres... 19		3	...	...	...	9
50 to 74 acres.....	farms reporting... 7,314	12,390	10,606	14,164	9,773	34
..... acres... 115,110		119,676	57,578	64,617	45,937	1,946
75 to 99 acres.....	bushels... 5,172,124	4,943,986	2,086,165	2,584,944	1,797,285	117,436
..... farms reporting... 2,599		3,796	2,081	3,157	2,120	...
..... bushels... 1,624,394		1,414,725	387,690	603,279	375,925	...
100 or more acres.....	farms reporting... 294	366	315	335	215	4
..... acres... 1,921		1,294	382	675	135	135
Harvested for grain.....	farms reporting... 184	161	35	30	10	1
..... acres... 1,541		664	95	90	25	67
..... bushels... 54,380		21,150	1,895	2,035	770	1,100
..... farms reporting... 41		15	...	...	...	...
..... bushels... 4,950		2,300	...	...	...	...
Sales.....	farms reporting... 4,318	6,745	3,389	3,598	3,035	25
..... acres... 58,157		57,532	19,513	21,708	16,321	1,049
..... bushels... 1,398,846		1,345,230	407,305	455,804	344,802	22,468
..... farms reporting... 3,430		4,464	1,527	1,913	1,287	20
..... bushels... 1,074,146		866,920	198,532	278,609	169,977	19,978
Wheat harvested.....	farms reporting... 2,396	2,540	1,297	1,855	1,241	26
..... acres... 20,186		16,694	5,494	8,175	5,284	1,008
..... bushels... 786,162		579,270	168,540	245,625	161,995	17,983
..... farms reporting... 405		362	150	260	115	1
..... bushels... 161,260		94,775	23,555	34,000	16,010	894
Sales.....	farms reporting... 2,250	2,025	556	915	673	31
..... acres... 21,287		13,444	2,870	4,660	3,350	997
..... bushels... 812,611		493,002	92,715	155,595	106,945	42,252
..... farms reporting... 546		385	95	116	116	1
..... bushels... 178,055		68,835	13,450	38,210	21,080	652
Barley harvested.....	farms reporting... 469	487	205	265	116	8
..... acres... 2,662		2,767	620	1,030	505	37
..... bushels... 56,406		45,545	9,025	16,190	5,795	825
..... farms reporting... 162		201	35	65	10	1
..... bushels... 29,737		23,460	1,980	6,390	250	486
Soybeans harvested for beans.....	farms reporting... 1,933	1,970	761	1,880	1,068	7
..... acres grown alone... 55,554		35,538	9,294	19,385	9,923	148
..... acres grown with other crops... 415		290	20	40	...	...
..... bushels... 1,089,308		690,234	141,449	331,895	164,491	2,010
Peanuts harvested for picking or threshing.....	farms reporting... 1,200	1,290	620	535	460	1
..... acres... 25,774		15,730	4,615	2,430	2,280	32
..... pounds... 44,729,460		24,356,570	6,495,540	3,411,495	2,896,140	79,276
Hay crops:						
Land from which hay was cut.....	acres... 190,373	203,422	83,949	154,226	99,421	4,805
Alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures cut for hay and for dehydrating.....	farms reporting... 3,126	3,855	1,972	4,922	2,314	23
..... acres... 45,141		40,099	12,211	28,427	13,214	897
..... tons... 108,035		88,763	21,070	51,116	23,545	2,110
..... farms reporting... 379		351	120	560	240	...
..... tons... 10,544		5,386	1,110	5,150	1,650	...
Clover, timothy, and mixtures of clover and grasses cut for hay.....	farms reporting... 3,360	4,661	3,419	6,672	4,416	18
..... acres... 66,001		69,581	28,601	53,073	37,701	1,070
..... tons... 87,848		87,426	29,465	54,661	39,191	1,952
..... farms reporting... 372		263	150	632	420	...
..... tons... 5,565		4,323	795	3,792	2,595	...
Lespedeza cut for hay.....	farms reporting... 3,093	5,028	3,297	4,508	3,521	23
..... acres... 41,910		51,541	23,698	34,325	26,633	1,375
..... tons... 47,763		55,564	22,263	32,858	25,173	2,239
..... farms reporting... 241		320	131	387	350	...
..... tons... 2,825		2,250	773	2,101	1,930	...
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grains cut for hay.....	farms reporting... 1,167	1,981	1,571	2,191	1,471	13
..... acres... 8,437		11,176	5,087	5,243	5,243	130
..... tons... 11,554		13,026	5,287	9,166	5,041	215
..... farms reporting... 20		40	75	40	...	...
..... tons... 90		175	225	250	160	...
Other hay cut.....	farms reporting... 1,330	1,943	1,579	3,513	2,139	12
..... acres... 26,974		29,983	14,132	29,304	16,575	953
..... tons... 29,280		32,578	14,023	27,056	14,740	1,817
..... farms reporting... 115		105	267	170	...	...
..... tons... 2,120		1,575	330	1,866	835	250
Grass silage made from grasses, alfalfa, clover, or small grains.....	farms reporting... 124	67	35	65	15	6
..... acres... 1,910		1,042	220	585	55	380
..... tons, green weight... 8,555		4,144	330	3,290	235	1,921

See footnotes at end of table.

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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					
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting...	3,225	2,439	23	107	340
acres...	14,544	12,578	687	1,262	2,903
bales...	11,781	10,283	580	1,063	2,293
Irish potatoes harvested for home use					
or for sale.....farms reporting...	47,084	22,737	432	1,001	2,125
acres ² ...	24,500	22,653	12,929	5,237	2,508
bushels...	4,925,707	4,559,236	2,740,781	946,432	454,605
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use					
or for sale.....farms reporting...	22,573	11,778	137	452	1,086
acres ² ...	18,271	17,554	3,299	5,598	3,827
bushels...	3,663,524	3,537,618	776,155	1,228,265	694,175
Flue-cured tobacco harvested.....farms reporting...	18,378	14,972	39	152	834
acres...	66,993	60,996	531	1,095	6,513
pounds...	97,433,388	90,010,916	877,390	1,812,810	11,302,828
Burley and other					
tobacco harvested.....farms reporting...	16,392	8,422	43	141	447
acres...	18,427	12,231	137	367	1,078
pounds...	29,704,272	19,863,150	251,377	648,611	1,613,951
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting...	4,502	2,950	145	236	555
Sales.....dollars...	9,007,261	8,440,071	4,998,957	945,740	1,201,084
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit					
orchards, groves, vineyards, and					
planted nut trees ³farms reporting...	8,061	4,143	212	281	496
acres...	69,821	61,227	31,285	10,788	7,350
Apples ³farms reporting...	7,659	3,907	194	258	471
Trees of all ages.....number...	2,121,494	1,901,911	1,061,405	279,515	242,483
Trees not of bearing age.....number...	505,562	465,551	257,740	87,666	50,044
Trees of bearing age.....number...	1,615,932	1,436,360	803,665	191,849	192,439
Quantity harvested.....bushels...	9,993,750	9,837,230	7,048,778	1,402,800	714,972

¹Includes milk equivalent of cream and butterfat sold.²Does not include acreage for farms with less than 20 bushels harvested.³Does 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
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued						
Cotton harvested.....farms reporting...	543	831	595	400	385	1
acres...	3,036	3,110	1,580	945	965	56
bales...	2,599	2,593	1,155	740	730	28
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting...	4,191	7,433	7,555	15,159	9,156	32
acres...	778	641	560	989	629	229
bushels...	156,152	143,576	117,690	205,091	131,250	30,130
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting...	2,178	4,075	3,850	5,891	4,880	24
acres...	3,006	1,429	395	286	324	107
bushels...	559,694	210,129	69,200	53,953	57,341	14,612
Flue-cured tobacco harvested.....farms reporting...	2,970	6,542	4,435	1,995	1,406	5
acres...	17,130	25,376	10,351	3,487	2,495	15
pounds...	27,454,000	36,333,598	12,230,290	4,483,835	2,898,637	40,000
Burley and other tobacco harvested.....farms reporting...	1,138	2,382	4,271	4,622	3,348	...
acres...	2,467	3,976	4,206	3,456	2,740	...
pounds...	4,114,834	6,395,220	6,839,157	5,524,925	4,316,197	...
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting...	598	746	670	990	540	22
Sales.....dollars...	630,965	436,060	227,265	220,065	118,385	228,740
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees ¹farms reporting...	778	1,345	1,031	2,281	1,616	21
acres...	5,428	3,915	2,461	4,824	3,618	152
Apples ²farms reporting...	728	1,275	981	2,176	1,556	20
Trees of all ages.....number...	147,119	111,887	59,502	120,338	98,240	1,005
Trees not of bearing age.....number...	36,199	22,572	11,330	26,776	12,820	415
Trees of bearing age.....number...	110,920	89,315	48,172	93,562	85,420	590
Quantity harvested.....bushels...	432,415	183,670	54,595	94,753	60,410	1,357