

## TABLE 4. Specified Farm Expenditures and Hired Workers: 1930 to 1964

[Data for 1950 to 1964 based on sample; see Introduction and Appendix A]

Subject	1964	1959	1954	1950	1945	1940	1935	1930
<b>SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Feed for livestock and poultry.....	farms.. 3,660	5,599	8,792	10,500	13,685	12,326	(NA)	12,716
dollars.. 16,975,475	20,827,003	21,817,077	22,619,737	17,843,047	7,619,245	(NA)	(NA)	7,622,921
Purchase of livestock and poultry.....	farms.. 1,942	2,734	(NA)	6,823	7,419	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
dollars.. 2,567,617	2,825,507	(NA)	3,716,680	3,029,945	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....	farms.. 2,129	2,368	(NA)	7,588	9,637	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
dollars.. 504,956	491,961	(NA)	762,904	457,602	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fertilizer and fertilizing materials.....	farms.. 2,430	2,674	3,495	(NA)	9,146	6,557	(NA)	6,947
tons.. 16,311	19,421	17,829	(NA)	(NA)	9,929	(NA)	11,500	(NA)
dollars.. 1,182,574	(NA)	897,137	(NA)	613,369	294,920	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business.....	farms.. 4,034	5,937	6,883	7,478	(NA)	6,301	(NA)	(NA)
dollars.. 1,610,764	1,754,513	1,713,322	1,696,014	(NA)	591,924	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Machine hire, custom and contract work.....	farms.. 1,225	1,765	3,819	4,447	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
dollars.. 319,872	328,771	525,532	482,993	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hired labor <sup>2</sup> .....	farms.. 1,916	2,753	3,675	5,531	7,298	5,665	(NA)	8,849
dollars.. 5,601,297	6,573,322	5,819,601	7,887,713	5,955,672	3,297,763	(NA)	(NA)	3,980,361
<b>HIRED WORKERS</b>								
Regular workers (150 days or more).....	farms.. 882	1,167	1,273	1,932	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
persons.. 1,752	2,129	2,172	3,772	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

<sup>1</sup> NA Not available. <sup>2</sup>For censuses of 1964, 1959, and 1954, expenditures during census years; for earlier censuses, expenditures during the preceding calendar years. <sup>3</sup>Cash payments for farm labor; housework not included. For 1964, 1959, 1954, 1950, 1945, and 1940, the data do not include expenditures for contract construction work, machine hire and labor included in cost of machine hire.

## TABLE 5. Farm Equipment and Facilities: 1945 to 1964

[Based on sample; see Introduction and Appendix A]

Subject	1964	1959	1954	1950	1945
Automobiles.....	farms.. 4,152	5,400	7,823	9,446	13,195
number.. 5,911	6,790	10,188	12,068	14,987	
Motortrucks (including pickups).....	farms.. 3,355	4,642	6,281	6,708	7,486
number.. 5,556	6,801	8,395	8,843	9,191	
Tractors other than garden.....	farms.. 3,365	4,140	4,884	4,637	15,386
number.. 6,253	6,605	6,635	5,696	4,710	
1 tractor.....	farms.. 1,579	2,425	3,649	3,806	14,799
2 tractors or more.....	farms.. 1,786	1,715	1,235	831	1,587
Wheel tractors.....	farms.. 3,338	4,075	4,818	4,514	(NA)
number.. 5,695	6,196	6,271	5,398	4,521	
Crawler tractors.....	farms.. 502	393	346	281	(NA)
number.. 558	409	364	298	189	
Garden tractors and motor tillers.....	farms.. 1,391	1,299	1,435	1,207	(NA)
number.. 1,577	1,430	1,525	1,250	1,149	
Grain and bean combines.....	farms.. 23	34	120	78	82
number.. 27	39	125	83	82	
Pickup balers.....	farms.. 1,653	1,659	975	281	(NA)
number.. 1,681	1,673	995	292	(NA)	
Cornpickers.....	farms.. 14	30	40	17	(NA)
number.. 14	30	40	17	(NA)	
Telephone.....	farms.. 4,272	5,591	8,212	10,055	11,795
Home freezer.....	farms.. 3,123	3,762	3,958	2,325	(NA)
Milking machine.....	farms.. 1,681	2,427	2,664	2,931	1,953

NA Not available. <sup>1</sup>Figures for 1945 are for all tractors.

## TABLE 6. Specified Expenditures by Amount Per Farm: 1964

[Based on sample; see Introduction and Appendix A]

Subject	Farms	Amount (dollars)	Subject	Farms	Amount (dollars)	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....	3,660	16,975,475	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for the farm business.....			
Farms by expenditure per farm:			Farms by expenditure per farm:			
\$1 to \$99.....	370	19,497	\$1 to \$99.....	4,034	1,610,764	
\$100 to \$999.....	1,509	590,969	\$100 to \$499.....	1,173	49,350	
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	339	480,766	\$500 to \$999.....	1,864	448,778	
\$2,000 to \$4,999.....	580	1,885,799	\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	619	415,754	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	423	2,875,608	\$5,000 or more.....	369	632,722	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	269	3,655,709		9	64,160	
\$20,000 or more.....	170	7,467,127				
Purchase of livestock and poultry.....	1,942	2,567,617	Machine hire, custom and contract work.....			
Farms by expenditure per farm:			Farms by expenditure per farm:			
\$1 to \$99.....	1,380	297,265	\$1 to \$199.....	800	55,446	
\$1,000 to \$2,499.....	301	475,503	\$200 to \$499.....	256	69,708	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	143	492,049	\$500 to \$999.....	105	68,818	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	79	483,158	\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	45	61,610	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	25	358,308	\$2,000 to \$4,999.....	17	48,128	
\$20,000 or more.....	14	461,334	\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	2	16,162	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees.....	2,129	504,956	\$10,000 or more.....	-	-	
Farms by expenditure per farm:						
\$1 to \$99.....	1,249	42,706				
\$100 to \$499.....	700	139,466				
\$500 to \$999.....	92	61,864				
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	54	66,109				
\$2,000 or more.....	34	194,811				
Fertilizer and fertilizing materials.....	2,430	1,182,574	Hired labor.....			
Farms by expenditure per farm:			Farms by expenditure per farm:			
\$1 to \$99.....	1,099	36,115	\$1 to \$199.....	1,916	5,601,297	
\$100 to \$499.....	674	166,144	\$200 to \$499.....	476	34,443	
\$500 to \$999.....	291	205,833	\$500 to \$999.....	328	99,214	
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	211	280,360	\$1,000 to \$999.....	228	139,605	
\$2,000 to \$4,999.....	133	351,446	\$2,000 to \$4,999.....	351	581,010	
\$5,000 or more.....	22	142,676	\$5,000 to \$49,999.....	267	936,017	
			\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	167	1,145,601	
			\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	64	793,784	
			\$50,000 or more.....	22	647,616	
				13	1,224,007	